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FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDING

2021
ARKANSAS SENATE
93rd GENERAL ASSEMBLY

MONDAY
JANUARY 11, 2021
OPENING DAY
The 93rd General Assembly is called to order by Lieutenant Governor Tim Griffin, at High Noon, Monday, January 11, 2021.

Ann Cornwell, Director of the Senate and Secretary of the Senate, will call the roll.

The following members answered the roll:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL,
CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS,
ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER,
GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL,
INGRAM, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, O. JOHNSON, LEDING,
PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD,
STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Gary Stubblefield is recognized to share the history of the Senate Bible.

Senator Kim Hammer is recognized to read Proverbs 27:17 (KJV) and Philippians 2:3-4 (KJV).

Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr. is recognized to introduce Pastor Kenneth Reid.

Everyone please rise.

The Senate will be led in prayer by Pastor Kenneth Reid, Mt. Grove Baptist Church, Texarkana, Arkansas.
Everyone please remain standing.

State Police Color Guard will enter and “present arms” and post colors in the Senate Chamber.

The Senate will be led in the Pledge of Allegiance by Senator Jim Hendren, Senator Trent Garner and Senator David Wallace; all Senate members that have defended our country in the armed services.

Senator Terry Rice nominates Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr. to serve as President Pro Tempore of the 93rd General Assembly.

The Honorable John Dan Kemp, Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court, will administer the oath of office as Senator representing District 11 and Pro Tempore of the Arkansas Senate to The Honorable Jimmy Hickey, Jr., District 11.

Ann Cornwell, Director of the Senate and Secretary of the Senate, announces the following Senators elected within their respective caucus to serve in leadership during the 93rd General Assembly:

- Senator Scott Flippo, Majority Leader
- Senator Keith Ingram, Minority Leader
- Senator Mathew Pitsch, Majority Whip
- Senator Larry Teague, Minority Whip

Senator Scott Flippo, Majority Leader and Senator Keith Ingram, Minority Leader, will come forward and present the Senate lapel pin to Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Arkansas Senate.

Remarks by President Pro Tempore Jimmy Hickey, Jr.

The Honorable Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, appoints the following members to escort The Honorable John Thurston, Secretary of State, to the Senate chamber for the purpose of delivering the certificates of election to members of the Senate:

- Senator Missy Irvin
- Senator Alan Clark
- Senator Blake Johnson

The Honorable John Thurston, Secretary of State, is escorted to the well of the Senate and will deliver remarks.
Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, will present the Senate lapel pin to each of the following returning Senators when their name is called by the Secretary of the Senate.

Senator Cecile Bledsoe District 3
Senator Greg Leding District 4
Senator Bob Ballinger District 5
Senator Gary Stubblefield District 6
Senator Mathew Pitsch District 8
Senator Terry Rice District 9
Senator Larry Teague District 10
Senator Bill Sample District 14
Senator Mark Johnson District 15
Senator Scott Flippo District 17
Senator Missy Irvin District 18
Senator James Sturch District 19
Senator Blake Johnson District 20
Senator Keith Ingram District 24
Senator Linda Chesterfield District 30
Senator Joyce Elliott District 31
Senator Kim Hammer District 33
Senator Jason Rapert District 35

The Honorable Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, appoints the following members to escort The Honorable John Dan Kemp, Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court, to the Senate chamber for the purpose of administering oaths of office:

Senator Stephanie Flowers
Senator Bob Ballinger
Senator Mark Johnson

The Honorable John Dan Kemp, Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court, will administer the oath of office to re-elected returning Senators.
Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, will then present the Senate lapel pin to the re-elected returning Senators.

The following members will come forward as their name is called by the Secretary of the Senate:

- Senator Bart Hester, District 01
- Senator Jim Hendren, District 02
- Senator Lance Eads, District 07
- Senator Alan Clark, District 13
- Senator Breanne Davis, District 16
- Senator David Wallace, District 22
- Senator Ronald Caldwell, District 23
- Senator Stephanie Flowers, District 25
- Senator Trent Garner, District 27
- Senator Jonathan Dismang, District 28
- Senator Ricky Hill, District 29
- Senator Jane English, District 34

The Honorable John Dan Kemp, Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court, will administer the oath of office to the new incoming Senator-elect.

Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, will present the Senate lapel pin to the newly elected Senators.

The following members will come forward as their name is called by the Secretary of the Senate:

- Senator-elect Charles Beckham, District 12
- Senator-elect Dan Sullivan, District 21
- Senator-elect Ben Gilmore, District 26
- Senator-elect Clarke Tucker, District 32

Ann Cornwell, Director of the Senate and Secretary of the Senate, announces the appointments by Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, of
the Assistant Pro Tempores of the Senate for the 93rd General Assembly by Congressional District:

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Senator Bart Hester submits to the Secretary of the Senate the names of the Efficiency Committee to be filed in the Senate Journal of the 93rd General Assembly:

Senator Bart Hester, Chairman  
Senator Breanne Davis, Vice-Chairman

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Efficiency Committee Chairman, Senator Bart Hester, submits to the Secretary of the Senate the names of the session employees to be filed in the Senate Journal for the 93rd General Assembly.

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### STANDING COMMITTEES

#### CLASS “A”

**Public Health, Welfare & Labor**

1. Bledsoe, Cecile **Chair**  
2. Flippo, Scott **Vice-Chair**  
3. Hester, Bart  
4. Wallace, David  
5. Davis, Breanne  
6. Hammer, Kim  
7. Sullivan, Dan  
8. Gilmore, Ben

**Revenue & Taxation**

1. Sample, Bill **Chair**  
2. Dismang, Jonathan **Vice-Chair**  
3. Teague, Larry  
4. Rapert, Jason  
5. Caldwell, Ronald  
6. Ingram, Keith  
7. Hickey, Jr., Jimmy  
8. Johnson, Mark

**Education**

1. Irvin, Missy **Chair**  
2. Elliott, Joyce **Vice-Chair**  
3. Chesterfield, Linda  
4. English, Jane  
5. Eads, Lance  
6. Leding, Greg  
7. Sturch, James  
8. Beckham, Charles

**Judiciary**

1. Clark, Alan **Chair**  
2. Flowers, Stephanie **Vice-Chair**  
3. Hendren, Jim  
4. Stubblefield, Gary  
5. Rice, Terry  
6. Johnson, Blake  
7. Garner, Trent  
8. Ballinger, Bob

#### CLASS “B”

**Agriculture, Forestry & Economic Development**

1. Caldwell, Ronald **Chair**  
2. Hill, Ricky **Vice-Chair**  
3. Sample, Bill  
4. Wallace, David  
5. Leding, Greg  
6. Sturch, James  
7. Beckham, Charles  
8. Gilmore, Ben

**Insurance & Commerce**

1. Hendren, Jim **Chair**  
2. Teague, Larry **Vice-Chair**  
3. Elliott, Joyce  
4. Irvin, Missy  
5. Dismang, Jonathan  
6. Ingram, Keith  
7. Hickey, Jr., Jimmy  
8. Pitts, Matthew

**City, County, Local Affairs**

1. Stubblefield, Gary **Chair**  
2. Rice, Terry **Vice-Chair**  
3. Flowers, Stephanie  
4. Clark, Alan  
5. Flippo, Scott  
6. Johnson, Mark  
7. Hammer, Kim  
8. Sullivan, Dan

**State Agencies & Governmental Affairs**

1. Rapert, Jason **Chair**  
2. Garner, Trent **Vice-Chair**  
3. Bledsoe, Cecile  
4. English, Jane  
5. Hester, Bart  
6. Davis, Breanne  
7. Ballinger, Bob  
8. Tucker, Clarke
### CLASS “C” COMMITTEE
Transportation, Technology & Legislative Affairs

1. Johnson, Blake Chair
2. Pitsch, Mathew Vice Chair
3. Chesterfield, Linda
4. English, Jane +
5. Garner, Trent
6. Eads, Lance
7. Hill, Ricky
8. Tucker, Clarke

**Pro Tempore shall appoint two (2) members to serve on any Class “A”, “B” or “C” Committee that does not have 8 Senate members - Senate Rule 7.01(b)(2)**

### SENATE JOINT COMMITTEES

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### Joint Interim Committee on Children and Youth

1. Wallace, David Chair
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### SENATE SELECT COMMITTEES

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JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

Dismang, Jonathan, Co-Chair
Wallace, David, Co-Vice Chair

JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBERS

1st Congressional District
1. Irvin, Missy
2. Ingram, Keith
3. Flippo, Scott
4. Johnson, Blake
5. Wallace, David
6. Hill, Ricky
Alternate: Sturch, James

2nd Congressional District
1. Elliott, Joyce
2. Chesterfield, Linda
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6. Hammer, Kim

3rd Congressional District
1. Hendren, Jim
2. Hester, Bart
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4. Davis, Breanne
5. Ballinger, Bob
6. Leding, Greg
Alternate: Pitsch, Mathew

4th Congressional District
1. Teague, Larry
2. Flowers, Stephanie
3. Sample, Bill
4. Clark, Alan
5. Stubblefield, Gary
6. Hickey, Jr., Jimmy
Alternate: Garner, Trent
Code 10-3-502

Terry Rice, Current Co-Chair of Legislative Council

Cecile Bledsoe, Past Co-Chair Legislative Council
(if not a Senate member - President Pro Tem appointee)

Ronald Caldwell, Current Co-Chair of Legislative Audit

Jason Rapert, Past Co-Chair of Legislative Audit
(if not a Senate member - President Pro Tem appointee)

The Senate members of the Legislative Council Committee shall select one member of the committee as Co-Chair and one member of the committee as Co-Vice Chair

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Rice, Terry Co-Chair

Irvin, Missy Vice-Chair

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Code 10-3-301

Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate 1st Alternate:

Jim Hendren, Immediate Past President Pro Tempore
(if not a Senate member President Pro Tem appointee)

Kim Hammer, President Pro Tempore-elect (appointed by Pro Tem until position is filled)

Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair, Joint Budget Committee

Ronald Caldwell, Co-Chair Legislative Audit

Gary Stubblefield, Co-Vice Chair Legislative Audit

Jason Rapert, Past Co-Chair, Legislative Audit
(if not a Senate member Pro Tem appointee)

Cecile Bledsoe, Past Co-Chair, Legislative Council
(if not a Senate member Pro Tem appointee)
Scott Flippo, Majority Leader  
Mathew Pitsch, Majority Whip  
Keith Ingram, Minority Leader  
Larry Teague, Minority Whip

The Senate members of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee shall select one member of the committee as Co-Chair and one member of the committee as Co-Vice Chair

**LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE**

Caldwell, Ronald, Co-Chair  
Stubblefield, Gary, Vice-Chair

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Code 10-3-403  
Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore  
Jason Rapert, Past Co-Chair, Legislative Audit  
(if not a Senate member Pro Tem appointee)  
Terry Rice, Current Co-Chair of Legislative Council  
Missy Irvin, Current Co-Vice Chair of Legislative Council
Rules Committee Chair, Senator Lance Eads is recognized to present the Senate Rules of the 92nd General Assembly as amended during the Senate Organizational Meeting on November 6, 2020, for adoption.

Senator Irvin moved the adoption of Amendments to the Senate ethics rules as follows:

Amendment 1 to Ethics Rule 24.09

DRAFT: Proposed Amendment, Senator Irvin 01/11/2021

24.09 Allegations of Violations

Any member of the Senate who has good reason to believe that a member or members of the Senate have violated the Senate’s Code of Ethics may petition the Senate Ethics Committee to meet in a public forum or in executive session to conduct an investigation regarding the alleged violation. The petitioning process shall be as follows:

(1) For purposes of the process set forth in this rule, “claimant” means the Senator who is making an allegation of a violation of the Senate’s Code of Ethics, and “respondent” means the Senator who is the subject of the allegation.

(2) A Senator The claimant shall prepare a petition. The petition shall list the accused respondent Senator’s name, the name of the accused claimant or accused claimants, the Senate Code of Ethics provision that has allegedly been violated and a description of the alleged unethical activity. The Senator making the accusation claimant shall deliver a copy of the petition to the accused respondent and the Secretary of the Senate. The Committee shall commence its investigation of the allegations within ten (10) business days of receiving the petition.

(3) (i) If the accused respondent or the accused claimant is a member of the Senate Ethics Committee, the President Pro Tempore, or his or her designee, or, the minority party leader, or his or her designee, shall serve in lieu of the accused member respondent or accused claimant.

(ii) If the President Pro Tempore is a party to the allegation (either accused respondent or accused claimant) and a majority party member of the Senate Ethics Committee is also a party to the allegation, the Senate Rules Committee shall select a Senator to fill the vacancy on the Senate Ethics Committee for the duration of the proceedings on the allegation.

(iii) If the minority party leader is a party to the allegation (either accused respondent or accused claimant) and a minority party member of the Senate Ethics
Committee is also a party to the allegation, the Senate Rules Committee shall select a Senator to fill the vacancy on the Senate Ethics Committee for the duration of the proceedings on the allegation.

(4) Unless the Senate Ethics Committee is in an executive session, the public shall be allowed to observe the entire proceeding.

Any allegation of violation of the Senate’s Code of Ethics shall be brought in the manner described in this rule, by filing a written petition. A Senator shall not make an allegation of a violation verbally in a meeting of the Senate or by any other means outside the petition and committee process of these rules. A Senator who improperly brings an allegation of a violation may be subject to any of the penalties set forth in Section 24.11 of this rule.

An allegation of violation may be withdrawn by the claimant at any time prior to the final vote of the Ethics Committee during its hearing procedure. Withdrawal of the allegation of violation shall be reported by the Ethics Committee to the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

By voice vote, Amendment 1 was adopted.

DRAFT: Proposed Amendment; Senator Irvin 01/11/2021

Senator Irvin moved the adoption of Amendment 2 to the Senate Ethics Rules as follows:

24.10 Hearing Procedure

The hearing shall proceed as follows:

(1) The accused(s) claimant(s) shall state why he or she asked for the hearing, stating the section of the Code of Ethics he or she believes has been violated.

(2) The accused respondent shall be asked by the presiding officer to answer any and all allegations. The accused respondent may decline to answer any allegations and his or her refusal to answer shall not be used against him or her in the proceedings.

(3) The accused respondent and the accused claimant may call witnesses who shall be allowed to testify under oath.

(4) At the end of the hearing, the accused claimant and accused respondent may make closing statements.

(5) Within twenty (20) calendar days of the conclusion of its hearing, the committee shall provide a written copy of its findings and recommendations to the President Pro
Tempore for consideration by the full Senate. The report of the committee shall include recommendations regarding penalties to be imposed on the accused member respondent, if any. The findings of the committee are not binding on the Senate, but are merely recommendations.

(6) Within ten (10) business days of receipt of the findings and recommendations of the committee, the President Pro Tempore shall call a business meeting of the Senate to consider the recommendation of the committee. At the business meeting of the Senate, the membership, including the accused respondent and the accuser claimant, shall vote in public on whether the accused respondent has violated the Senate’s Code of Ethics. The roll shall be called by the Secretary of the Senate. Each Senator shall respond at the time his or her name is called by voting yea, nay, present or abstain.

(7) Eighteen (18) or more votes are required to find a Senator in violation of the Senate’s Code of Ethics. The pairing of votes shall not be recognized.

Senator Garner spoke against the Amendment.
Senator Irvin closed for the Amendment.

By voice vote, Amendment 2 was adopted.

Senator Irvin moved the adoption of Amendment 3 to the Senate Ethics Rules as follows:

24.13 Spurious or Frivolous Accusations

If the Senate votes to absolve an accused member a respondent of any ethical violation, the membership may levy against the accuser claimant one or more of the penalties as described in Rule 24.11 if it determines that the accusations were spurious or frivolous.

By voice vote, the Amendment was adopted.
Senator Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, moves the Senate go into a Committee of the Whole for discussion of the Senate Chamber Temporary Emergency Procedures and Senate Resolution Outlining Temporary Committee Procedures.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Senate Chamber Temporary Emergency Procedures

Jill Thyer of the Bureau of Legislative Research was recognized to speak on the Senate Chamber Temporary Emergency Procedures.

Temporary Emergency Procedures - Arkansas Senate
2021 Regular Session
Ninety-Third General Assembly

Section 1. Intent and Duration.

(a) Upon affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Senate, these procedures shall become effective and applicable to the proceedings of the Senate and shall continue until such time that the COVID-19 public health emergency for the State of Arkansas is terminated or allowed to expire. If the public health emergency is terminated or allowed to expire during the 2021 Regular Session, a majority of the members of the Senate may vote to extend specific provisions of these temporary emergency procedures through sine die adjournment of the 2021 Regular Session.

(b) The purpose of these emergency procedures ins provide for continuity of government and the carrying out of the Constitutional duties of the members of the Senate related to the regular legislative session, while also providing for member and staff participation in an environment that is as safe and healthy as possible.

(c) If the procedures set forth herein conflict with existing provisions of the Rules of the Arkansas Senate, these temporary emergency procedures shall supersede the conflicting Senate Rules for the duration of the temporary emergency procedures.

Section 2. Senate Chamber Health and Safety Requirements. The following health and safety requirements shall be followed by all individuals, including members, staff, and members of the public in the Senate facilities. For purposes of these procedures,
"Senate facilities" includes without limitation the Senate chamber, offices, quiet room, and other Senate work space.

(a) Mask Requirement. A mask or other cloth face covering is required to be worn over the mouth and nose of every individual in Senate facilities at all times, except an individual who: is speaking directly into the microphone, is able to maintain physical distance of six (6) feet or more from other individuals; is consuming food or drink; or has a medical condition or disability that prevents wearing a face covering.

(b) Physical Distancing. Every effort shall be made to maintain physical distancing of at least six (6) feet in the Senate facilities, except where members, staff, and press are seated at their desks in the chambers where Plexiglas has been installed.

(c) Temperature Check. All individuals shall have submitted to a temperature check and been given an armband indicating admittance at the entrance to either the State Capitol Building or the MAC Building that calendar day prior to entering Senate facilities.

Section 3. Admittance to Senate Chamber. Unless circumstances require otherwise, when the Senate is in session, only the following individuals will be allowed in the Senate chamber: Senators, the Lieutenant Governor, staff, and no more than two (2) members of the media at a time.

Section 4. Remote Participation of Members.

(a) A member who is either unwilling or unable to be physically present when the Senate is in session due to one of the following reasons shall be allowed to participate remotely via Zoom.

1. He or she is considered an individual at high risk for severe illness related to COVID-19;

2. He or she has a household member or individual for whom he or she is a caregiver who is considered an individual at high risk for severe illness related to COVID-19;

3. He or she has been directed to quarantine due to close contact with an individual who has tested positive for COVID-19;

4. He or she has tested positive for COVID-19; or

5. He or she fails the temperature check for that calendar day.
(b) A member who wishes to participate remotely may submit a request to the Secretary of the Senate, who will submit that request to the President Pro Tempore of the Senate for approval.

(c) It is the expectation that a member will make every effort to notify the office of the Secretary of the Senate of his or her desire to participate remotely in a session of the Senate at least one (1) hour prior to the commencement of the session.

(d) A member participating remotely shall be able to be seen and heard while making any comments during debate, asking any questions of other members, and when casting his or her vote.

(c) Senate staff shall record the names of all members that participate remotely in the Senate Journal for each day.

Section 5. Quorum.

(a) A member participating remotely in a session of the Senate under these procedures shall be considered present for purposes of establishing a quorum; however, the member will not be counted as present for the purposes of per diem, unless the member has travelled to Little Rock from his or her district for the purpose of participating in the session.

(b) A quorum that is established through the use of remote participation and sessions held that include votes take via remote participation, as set forth herein, shall satisfy the requirement that the General Assembly meet at the seat of government every year, as set forth in Article 5, Subsection 5 of the Arkansas Constitution.

Senator Flowers was recognized to present an amendment to the emergency procedures during the COVID pandemic. The amendment is as follows:

PROPOSED SENATE PROCEDURE FOR 93RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY-FLOWERS

Due to the current COVID-19 pandemic, all members of the Senate shall be required to wear a mask covering their nose and nostrils and mouth, at all times, while in the Chamber. Senators are also required to wear a mask in the Quiet Room and
areas immediately adjacent to the Senate Chamber. A Senator, while in the well, may remove his or her mask while speaking if given permission from the Presiding Officer.

If any member knowingly and purposely refuses to wear a mask over his or her nose and nostrils and mouth, such refusal shall be reported to the Presiding Officer by any member receiving recognition. If the Presiding Officer determines that the member is in such non-compliance, the Presiding Officer shall inform the member that he or she shall forfeit that day's per diem for the violation, subject to approval of the Senate. For a second and any additional violation, a member, in addition to the loss of per diem, shall be excluded from the next meeting of the Senate following the violation cited.

Senator Clark spoke against the proposed amendment.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the amendment.
By voice vote the amendment failed.

Senate Resolution Outlining Temporary Committee Procedures
Marty Garrity and Jill Thyer were present for discussion of temporary committee procedures. They are from Bureau of Legislative Research. Jill Thyer was recognized to discuss the procedures.

Senator Clark moved that the rules be changed to lower the threshold from 2/3 vote to a simple majority (Page 9 Section 10). Senator Dismang spoke on the amendment. Senator Clark closed for the amendment. By voice vote, the motion failed.

Senator Ricky Hill moves the Senate rise and report progress.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ADOPT RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.
Senate Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Resolution 1 at this time.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Resolution No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ADOPT RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR COMMITTEES OF THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 1 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Hickey moved the Rules for Temporary Committee Procedures by voice vote. Motion was adopted.

Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, appoints the following members to notify The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of the great State of Arkansas, that the Senate is organized and ready for business:

Senator Keith Ingram
Senator Scott Flippo
Senator Terry Rice
Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, appoints the following members, who will be serving in their last General Assembly in the State of Arkansas, to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is organized and ready for business:

- Senator Cecile Bledsoe
- Senator Joyce Elliott
- Senator Larry Teague

Introduction of Senate Bills.

Introduction of other bills and resolutions.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR A VIRTUAL JOINT SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE AT 10:30 A.M., TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2021, TO DECLARE ELECTION RESULTS AND TO HEAR AN ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the rules were suspended in considering House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 at this time.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was called up for third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

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House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was returned to the House as concurred in.

SENATE BILL NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES FOR THE A Bill for an Act to be Entitled ARKANSAS SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the calendar.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THAT THE ARKANSAS STATE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATOR HOLD A REFERENDUM TO DETERMINE WHETHER A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DESIRE FULL SOCIAL SECURITY COVERAGE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES


Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and sent to Committee PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE INCOME TAX IMPOSED ON CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS, TRUSTS, AND ESTATES; TO INCREASE THE STANDARD DEDUCTION FOR INCOME TAX PURPOSES; TO CREATE AN EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT; TO CREATE THE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT TRUST FUND; TO FUND INCOME TAX REDUCTIONS THROUGH NEW TAXES ON CIGARETTES AND E-CIGARETTES; TO IMPOSE A PRIVILEGE TAX ON E-CIGARETTES; TO IMPOSE A SPECIAL EXCISE TAX ON THE RETAIL SALE OF CIGARETTES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. HENDREN, ELLIOTT, L. CHESTERFIELD, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVE, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CREATING A SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST A PERSON DUE TO THE PERSON'S ATTRIBUTES; TO REQUIRE AN ANNUAL REPORT CONCERNING THE COMMISSION OF HATE CRIMES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISABILITY RETIREMENT, EMPLOYER ACCUMULATION ACCOUNTS, AND EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT, BENEFIT RIGHTS, AND DEFERRED RETIREMENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
SENATE BILL NO. 6
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS UNBORN CHILD PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLANS AND INTERNAL REVENUE CODE-QUALIFIED PLANS OF FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUNDS AND POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.
SENATE BILL NO. 8
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO NAME THE VISITORS CENTER IN PETIT JEAN STATE PARK; TO HONOR DR. T.W. HARDISON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 9
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAXES AND FEES APPLICABLE TO CAR WASH OPERATORS; TO REPEAL THE FEE LEVIED ON CAR WASH OPERATORS BASED ON WATER USAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 10
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WORKING TAXPAYER RELIEF ACT; TO ALLOW AN INCOME TAX CREDIT BASED ON AN INDIVIDUAL'S INCOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 11
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ARKANSAS CORPORATIONS AND ARKANSAS BANKS TO HOLD ANNUAL OR SPECIAL SHAREHOLDER MEETINGS REMOTELY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 12
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO CREATE MODIFIED ELECTION PROCEDURES DURING AN EMERGENCY DECLARED UNDER THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY SERVICES ACT OF 1973; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 13
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CODIFY EXECUTIVE ORDERS 20-18 AND 20-34 TO ENSURE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS ARE EQUIPPED WITH THE TOOLS NECESSARY TO COMBAT CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) AND HAVE ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE RESOURCES TO TREAT CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 14
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 15
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY SERVICES ACT OF 1973 CONCERNING THE SUSPENSION OF REGULATORY STATUTES, ORDERS, OR RULES DURING AN EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 15 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 16
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO SUSPEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE WORKERS’ COMPENSATION LAW WITH REGARD TO CERTAIN WORKERS DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) OUTBREAK; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 16 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 17
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING BUSINESS LIABILITY FOR A PERSON EXPOSED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 17 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 18  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, LOWERY  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 18 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 19  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESENCE OF A SUPPORT PERSON FOR A PATIENT IN A HOSPITAL OR PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE; CONCERNING VISITATION RIGHTS OF PATIENTS IN HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIAN'S OFFICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 19 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 20  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VACANCY, SUSPENSION, AND REMOVAL PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY ELECTIVE, COUNTY QUORUM COURT DISTRICT, AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 20 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXCLUDE MILL SCALE AND SLAG FROM THE DEFINITION OF “SOLID WASTE” IN THE ARKANSAS SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT ACT AND THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RECYCLING FUND ACT; TO ADD A DEFINITION FOR "MILL SCALE AND SLAG"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 21 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 22
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR CERTIFICATION TO PRACTICE AS AN ORTHOTIC ASSISTANT, ORTHOTIC/PROSTHETIC ASSISTANT, OR PROSTHETIC ASSISTANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 22 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 23
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE CORPORATION SELF-REGULATION ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 23 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 24
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, T. GARNER,
B. JOHNSON, FLIPPO, HESTER, D. WALLACE, HILL, IRVIN,
M. JOHNSON, BECKHAM, GILMORE, RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A
PERSON WITH THE USE OF PHYSICAL FORCE OR DEADLY PHYSICAL
FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 24 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 25
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING THE LIMITATION ON SCHOOL CHOICE TRANSFERS UNDER
THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 25 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 26
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REDUCED SALES AND USE TAX RATE FOR UTILITIES USED BY MANUFACTURERS; TO APPLY A REDUCED SALES AND USE TAX RATE TO SALES OF COAL FOR USE IN MANUFACTURING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 26 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 27
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT THE SUICIDE PREVENTION HOTLINE EMPLOYS INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 27 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 28  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE RAPE OF A CHILD BY FORCIBLE COMPULSION A CAPITAL OFFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 28 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.  

SENATE BILL NO. 29  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TRAFFICKING FENTANYL A CAPITAL OFFENSE; CONCERNING CAPITAL OFFENSES; CONCERNING FENTANYL OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 29 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 30  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS AND OUTSIDE VENDORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 30 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 31  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A STATEWIDE STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE COMPONENTS OF A COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS ASSESSMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 31 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 32
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A RETAIL LIQUOR PERMIT HOLDER TO DELIVER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO A CONSUMER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 32 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 33
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 33 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 34
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPENSATION FOR TEACHERS IN THE NATIONAL GUARD YOUTH CHALLENGE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 34 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 35
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TUITION BENEFITS FOR SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD; TO ALLOW A TEMPORARY WAIVER OF THE COMPLETION OF THE INITIAL ACTIVE DUTY TRAINING REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 35 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 36
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 36 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 37
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, RESEARCH, PROMOTION AND CONSUMER ACTIVITIES FOR THE ARKANSAS CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 37 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 38
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 38 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 39
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BEEF COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 39 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 40
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 40 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 41
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 41 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 42
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE AND DISABILITY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 42 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 43
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 43 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 44  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 44 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 45  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 45 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 46 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 47 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 48
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 48 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 49
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE MINORITY HEALTH INITIATIVE OF THE TARGETED STATE NEEDS PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 49 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 50
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 50 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 51
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 51 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 52  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MONITORING AND EVALUATING PROGRAM EXPENDITURES FROM THE PROGRAM ACCOUNTS OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM FUND FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - ARKANSAS TOBACCO SETTLEMENT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 52 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 53  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 53 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 54
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 54 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 55
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 55 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 56
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 56 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 57
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 57 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 58
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - DIVISION OF AERONAUTICS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 58 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 59
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES: GONZALES, PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM, DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES AND PUBLIC OFFICERS TO DISREGARD UNCONSTITUTIONAL OVERREACHES OF POWER; TO PROTECT THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF ARKANSANS; TO PREVENT THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FROM REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, AND TRADE OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 59 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING MANDATED VISION SCREENINGS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 60 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE COLLEGE AND CAREER COACHES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 61 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 62  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY 
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO READ ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 62 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 63  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY 
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ATTENDANCE OF THE COMMISSIONER AND THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION AT BOARD OR COMMISSION MEETINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 63 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 64
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS
OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC EDUCATION; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 64 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 65
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW
REGARDING STATE EMISSION PLANS FOR FOSSIL-FUEL-FIRED ELECTRIC
GENERATING UNITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 65 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 66
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING TUITION BENEFITS FOR SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD; TO ALLOW THE TUITION-FREE BENEFIT FOR SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD TO APPLY TO PROGRAMS OF STUDY IN WHICH THE COURSES ARE TAKEN EXCLUSIVELY ONLINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 66 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 67
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 67 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 68
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 68 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 69
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 69 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 70
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SPEAKS, L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COUNTY FINANCIAL RECORDS AND THE FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OF A COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 70 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 71
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ETHICAL VIOLATIONS APPLICABLE TO EDUCATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 71 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 72
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR SCHOOL PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 72 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 73
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENTS; TO PROVIDE FOR STATE ENTITY TRANSFERS; TO AMEND DEFINITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 73 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 74
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HILL, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVANS, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY REFORM ACT OF 2013; TO ALLOW A GOVERNMENT ENTITY TO PURCHASE FROM A PRIVATE PROVIDER AND PROVIDE VOICE, DATA, BROADBAND, VIDEO, OR WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 74 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 75
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENTS 91 AND 101, TO PROVIDE THAT PROCEEDS GENERATED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 91, MAY BE APPLIED TO MULTILANE HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENTS 91 AND 101, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY GRANTED BY ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, § 1; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 75 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 76
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN EXCURSION TRAIN PERMIT; TO AUTHORIZE AN EXCURSION TRAIN PERMIT HOLDER TO SELL AND SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 76 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 77
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EDUCATION RENEWAL ZONES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 77 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 78
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HILL, D. WALLACE, T. GARNER, IRVIN, J. HENDREN, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LYNCH, COZART, BROWN, EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING OF UNIFORMED SERVICE MEMBERS, VETERANS, AND SPOUSES ACT OF 2021; TO MODIFY THE AUTOMATIC OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR UNIFORMED SERVICES MEMBERS, RETURNING UNIFORMED SERVICES VETERANS, AND THEIR SPOUSES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 78 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 79
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - PAROLE BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 79 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 80
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE GOVERNOR TO APPOINT POTENTIAL MEMBERS TO THE STATE PLANT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 80 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 81
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING SPOOFING; TO REGULATE MUNICIPAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 81 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 82
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO ESTABLISH THE PROCEDURE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS WHEN A CANDIDATE WITHDRAWS AND FILES FOR A DIFFERENT OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 82 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 83
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CONSTRUCTION PROJECT EXEMPTIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO ADD A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO THE STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS THAT ARE EXEMPT FROM CERTAIN STATE LAWS THAT GOVERN THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 83 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 84
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE NOTICE AND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS OF LISTS OF ABANDONED PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 84 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 85
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE RIGHT TO VIEW ULTRASOUND IMAGES BEFORE AN ABORTION; TO CREATE THE RIGHT-TO-KNOW-AND-SEE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 85 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 86
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "ATHLETE" WITHIN THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 86 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 87
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE CRIMINAL OFFENSES THAT WOULD CAUSE THE DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSURE OF A MASSAGE THERAPIST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 87 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 88
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMPOSITION OF
THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF HEARING INSTRUMENT DISPENSERS; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 88 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 89
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 89 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 90
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 90 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 91
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE
OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 91 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 92  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - ARKANSAS SENTENCING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 92 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 93  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE - OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 93 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 94
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAINTAINING AND OPERATING A CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY CLERKS, CIRCUIT CLERKS, COUNTY TREASURERS, COUNTY COLLECTORS AND COUNTY CORONERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 94 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 95
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 95 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 96
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AND FUNDS TO ALLEVIATE CONDITIONS ARISING IN PUBLIC EMERGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 96 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 97
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 97 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 10:00, Tuesday, January 12, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Jason Rapert.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
SENATE BILL NO. 98  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTOR COORDINATOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 98 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.  

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.  

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.  

SENATE BILL NO. 1  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 1 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?  

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 1. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill................................. 27

So the bill was passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 1, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*Senate Bill No. 1* was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

President of the Senate, Tim Griffin, announces the following named Senate Committee appointed by Senate Pro Tempore Jimmy Hickey, Jr.:

Senator Jane English  Senator Breanne Davis
Senator Greg Leding  Senator James Sturch

On motion of Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore, the Senate will recess for the Virtual Joint Session.
1. Call to order by the Speaker of the House.

2. Roll Call of the Senate by the Secretary of the Senate.

The following members answered the roll:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

3. Electronic Roll Call of the House by the Chief Clerk

ALLEN, BARKER, BEATY, BECK, BENTLEY, S. BERRY, M. BERRY, BOYD, BRAGG, BREAUX, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CARR, CAVENAUGH, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, CLOWNEY, COLEMAN, COLLINS, COOPER, COZART, CRAWFORD, DALBY, DAVIS, DEFFENBAUGH, DOTSON, EAVES, ENNETT, EUBANKS, EVANS, D. FERGUSON, K. FERGUSON, FIELDING, C. FITE, L. FITE, FLOWERS, FORTNER, FURMAN, GARNER, GAZAWAY, GODFREY, GONZALES, GRAY, HAAK, HAWKS, HILLMAN, M. HODGES, HOLCOMB, HOLLOWELL, HUDSON, JEAN, JETT, JOHNSON, LADYMAN, LOVE, LOWERY, LUNDSTRUM, LYNCH, MADDOX, MAGIE, MAYBERRY, MCCLURE, MCCOLLUM, MCCULLOUGH, MCELROY, MCGREW, MCKENZIE, MCNAIR, MEEKS, MILLER, MILLIGAN, MURDOCK, NICKS, PAYTON, PENZO, PERRY, PILKINGTON, RAY, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, RYE, SCOTT, SLAPE, B. SMITH, S. SMITH, SPEAKS, SPRINGER, TOLLETT, TOSH, UNDERWOOD, VAUGHT, WARDLAW, WARREN, WATSON, WHITAKER, WING, WOMACK, WOOTEN, MR. SPEAKER.

4. Invocation by the House Chaplain

5. House led in Pledge of Allegiance by Representative.

7. Speaker recognizes Parliamentarian Finos "Buddy" Johnson to announce the results of the General Election vote for the United States Senate, the United States Congress, Proposed Constitutional Amendments, and Ballot Issues.

8. President of the Senate, Tim Griffin, announces the following named Senate Committee appointed by Senate Pro Tempore Jimmy Hickey, Jr.
   - Representative Bruce Coleman, Chairperson:
     - Representative Monte Hodges
     - Representative Karilyn Brown
     - Representative Austin McCollum
     - Representative Johnny Rye
     - Representative Jim Wooten
     - Representative Craig Christiansen
     - Representative Tippi McCullogh
     - Representative David Ray

   as a Committee to notify Governor Asa Hutchinson that the Virtual Joint Session is ready to receive him to escort the Governor to the Speaker's Rostrum.

9. Speaker Shepherd recognizes Sergeant at Arms.

10. Remarks by The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of the State of Arkansas

    Governor Asa Hutchinson State of the State Address
    To the 93rd General Assembly
    January 12, 2021
    Arkansas House of Representatives Chamber
    10:30 a.m.

    Thank you, Speaker Shepherd, and to Senate Pro Tem, Jimmy Hickey, and to the honorable Members of the General Assembly.

    Thank you for that warm greeting. Let me assure you that is gratefully received, and hopefully that signals a strong relationship as we enter this session. I also welcome those members joining from the Senate chambers, and those that are joining from the public.

    First, let me extend my congratulations to the new members. By my count, we have over 20 members newly elected in this session. And for some, it is a return in a new role and for many others, this will be your first regular session.
Well, as you will remember, when I was elected governor, we hit the ground running, and we did not intend to slow down. So buckle your seatbelt, because we've got a lot of work to do.

Now, this marks my seventh year as governor, and today will be the last time that I address the General Assembly in regular session. Thank you for not applauding on that last line.

Today, we begin this session with historic challenges besetting our nation. We are beginning the 11th month of a global pandemic that has impacted every aspect of life, from losing friends and loved ones, to increased unemployment needs; to changes in education, health care community events, and even in this legislative session, our life is different today.

And then last week, we witnessed a violent mob assault our nation's capital. When they breached our Article 1 branch of government, they attacked the foundations of our democracy. And let me say clearly, that each person who breached the heart of our democracy must be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

A presidential election often divides the country along political and cultural lines. And I understand the passion. It is okay to be passionate. But we must not let passion cloud our common sense and our commitment to our state and nation. And when the election is over, then we need to come together, united to strengthen our democracy and heal our land.

As we enter this session, I ask you to take the long look through the perspective of time. How do we want history to remember this session? Will it be one that brought people together? Or did we just add more fuel to the flames of division?

We all have our political principles and convictions. And we dare not abandon those. But we can still find solutions and ways to work together for the common good.

Some people look at the upcoming session and predict that it will be acrimonious and accomplish little. I wholeheartedly disagree with that assessment. I expect us to meet the challenge of the moment and to pass legislation that will give our health care workers and public the tools needed to defeat the Coronavirus.
I expect legislation that will boost our economy.

We need laws that will assure that our police officers have the highest standards, are fully trained, funded, and supported.

And yes … And yes, we want laws to increase accountability and oversight as well.

And we must … and we must take action to reward our teachers who make a difference every day for the next generation.

This session will also build on the accomplishments of the past. In each regular session, we have lowered taxes on hard working Arkansans, and this year the individual income tax rate has been reduced to 5.9%. In total, as a result of our all of our income tax cuts, we have moved $800 million from the government checkbook into the hands of individuals across our state. And because of your efforts, we have raised the pay of our dedicated teachers in our public schools, and we have become a nationally recognized leader in computer science education.

We have, for the first time, devoted state resources to expand high speed internet in unreached areas of our state. $86.8 million has been invested in the Rural Connect Grant program. This has provided internet access to over 70,000 Arkansans, who previously lacked service. This is progress.

We equalized our sales tax collections, so that online transactions are treated the same as sales from our Main Streets small businesses, and those small businesses are the lifeblood of our communities.

The legislation that you passed allowed our cities and counties to survive through the pandemic. Thank you.

We have worked hard to make state government more efficient. And the result is that 1,700 fewer state employees are employed in state government than in 2015. This is estimated to be an annual savings of $77 million each year. And so today, despite the cross winds of a national economy that is struggling, we are beginning this session in the best budget position in more than a decade. The state right now has an unallocated surplus of over $200 million. And after six months
into our current budget year, we have exceeded our revenue forecasts by more than $300 million.

So the state of our state finances is strong. And our state budget reflects a resilient state economy in which the private sector continues to create jobs. And I have never been more proud of Arkansans. We are still all determined to come through this health care crisis stronger and more hopeful than ever.

And while we have been focused on our health care emergency, my administration continues to do the work of job creation. Despite the limitations on travel, companies have moved or expanded in Arkansas over the last year creating more than 2,200 new jobs and invested over $800 million this last year. These jobs and investments are the result of incentives and signed agreements by our economic development teams. It has been exciting for me to help celebrate some of these job announcements.

From Synergy Cargo in Crossett, to Emerson Motors in Ash Flat. From Nice-Pak in Jonesboro, to Hytrol in Fort Smith, to name just a few. Thank you for supporting the economic incentives that have been critical to closing many of these investments.

Even with the challenges of the pandemic, we have over 53,000 more Arkansans employed today than in January of 2015.

Most importantly, we have supported our farmers and ranchers with reduced regulation and efforts to expand market opportunities.

And while our tourism and hospitality industry have struggled, they continue to be a foundational part of our economy. They might need more help; we will be there for them.

Now, let me address the upcoming session. Our first responsibility is to act on the health care emergency that faces our state. The General Assembly has been an essential and effective partner during the last 11 months. Without your action, we would not have built a grant program for small businesses. Without your help, we would not have had, we would not have provided enhanced benefits to the unemployed, or additional funds for food assistance and
rental assistance. And without your work, we would not have been successful in building the health care infrastructure to fight coronavirus today.

So on behalf of the people of Arkansas, I thank you for your work through the Legislative Council and through your own actions in meeting the needs of our citizens.

And now is not the time to withdraw from the battle. We must not be faint of heart, but we must keep fighting and not call for retreat as some would advocate. The current emergency rules are in place until February 27. And prior to that date, you need to act. I trust you will both affirm the emergency and continue the emergency rules that are proven necessary during this health care crisis. These include our telemedicine rules, our educational waivers, our immunity liability for business and health care workers, and other important life-saving measures. If you do not act, these measures will end.

As part of our pandemic response. I'm asking the General Assembly to pass appropriations to allow federal COVID relief funds, which have been granted by Congress, sent to the states to be spent on getting the vaccines more quickly and into the arms of more Arkansans.

We need health department infrastructure to coordinate and administer the coronavirus vaccines. We need a continued investment in testing. We need stable funding for contact tracing and support for our K-12 education and higher education. All of these investments require major appropriations and actions on your part. When it comes to our public schools, I support another round of increased pay for teachers. My goal is to raise average teacher salaries by $2,000 over the next two years. You have already signaled your support to raise teacher pay. You've paved the way, you've led the way, and we can work together to accomplish this goal. Now, let me move to a more difficult subject. Let me read portions of a couple of letters I've received on a topic that has already generated some discussion, hate crimes legislation. My only request is that you listen and make your own judgment on the merits and fairness of the bill.

From Jimmy D. Warren of Conway, who writes in support of hate crime legislation in Arkansas:

"Arkansas has always been on the forefront of leading on important issues. With this being an important and an opportunity to take a stand against actors who
clearly represent the worst of crimes that are against people for their identity. This legislation is important not just for economic development, but it demonstrates that Arkansas is no place for racism and discrimination."

From Rabbi Barry Block of Congregation B'nai Israel in Little Rock:

“As a people historically targeted with horrific hate crimes, the Jewish Community well understands the importance of hate crime legislation. Arkansans would be safer if such hateful and heinous criminals faced sentence enhancement on the basis of their animus, motivated crimes.” He goes on to say “adopting this legislation will enhance Arkansas's reputation, much to the credit of the General Assembly.”

From IBM:

“IBM plans to engage Arkansas business and community leaders to ensure that all reasonable measures are considered to get Hate Crime legislation enacted on a bipartisan basis. The time to act is now. The swift passage of Georgia’s hate crime law shows that the moment has come. The status quo is unacceptable. We look forward to working with the state legislature to pass a hate crime law in Arkansas.”

And from Fifty for the Future President Scott Copas, from here in Little Rock: “Not only is hate crime legislation the right thing to do morally, failure to pass a bill will leave Arkansas as only one of three states without such a law. This would negatively impact our ability to recruit and retain employers and talent, as it will result in a black eye for Arkansas on a national scale that will cripple our economic development efforts for years to come.”

I could read scores of letters but let me make another point.

The main objection that I hear from my conservative friends, is that it gives some people more protection than others. Or it has been phrased, if you're going to do it for one group of people, why wouldn't you do it for another?

This legislation applies equally. If you are Hispanic, and you are targeted, it applies. If you're a Jewish, it applies. If you're a Caucasian, it applies. Or African American or any other race, it applies equally. It enhances the penalty for targeting regardless of the race that is targeted.
I’ve talked to a broad range of people across Arkansas about hate crimes, and they all expressed a sincere conviction, whether for or against it. And the only way we can come together on this issue is for us to listen to each other, and to step into others’s shoes who live in a different world than ours. When we do this, then we can come together and find the best solution.

Many of you ask that I not have a special session of the legislature for hate crimes. I respected your request. And we are here today. And the time to act is now. Polls show that a clear majority of Republicans, Democrats, and Independents support passage of this kind of legislation. Let's not be the last to enact it. But let's lead and do what is important for so many.

In each session, each general session while I have been governor, we have also supported children suffering from abuse, increased our support for foster children, and we have passed pro-life legislation. And now we're the number one pro-life state in the nation.

And I want to acknowledge the First Lady who is here. My wife, Susan, of 47 years, and she has worked hard to protect the children of our state. And I can't think of a greater responsibility than to protect our children. And I look forward to working with you to make sure we do all we can to take care of the most vulnerable among us.

Six years ago, when we started cutting the income tax rate in Arkansas, there were many who said we were going to become just like Kansas. They warned that it would be a financial catastrophe to cut taxes. And yet because of our measured approach and our emphasis upon private sector growth, we have lowered taxes, fully funded K-12 education, increased funding for higher education, and created not only a surplus, but the first Long-Term Reserve Fund in history. And now we are poised to do more.

I have set aside $100 million in my proposed budget for the Long-Term Reserve Fund increase. And we have set aside over $50 million for tax cuts for middle- and lower-income Arkansans. Let’s work together to determine the best way to get this done.

But I have asked for two specific tax cuts proposals as part of the package. Let’s reduce the sales tax on used cars that sell from $4,000 to $10,000. Currently,
the sales tax rate is 6.5%. We can reduce that to 3.5% and give relief to thousands of Arkansans who depend upon used vehicles for getting to work and school. Let's do that together.

But to pay for tax cuts, we need to continue to grow our economy and bring people to Arkansas. If we can lower our tax rate for new residents to 4.9% for five years, then we will attract new Arkansans who will create jobs, spend money, and pay taxes.

You say, Well, how do you know this? I know it because we've done it. By just lowering our tax rate to 5.9%, we have seen people return to our state and invest in our future.

According to one study, Arkansas ranked number 10 in the nation for the number of people moving into our state.

And it sets a goal for us as well to lower our tax rate in a similar way for all citizens. And if we don't get there, the tax break for new residents will sunset. But we can get there together.

I'm also asking for support to expand high-speed internet into more rural areas of our state. We have to reduce the digital divide. We have to provide education fairly in all areas of our state. And it takes high-speed internet to do this and so much more from improving the quality of life to attracting businesses and entrepreneurs. I've set aside $30 million for this purpose in our proposed budget. If we can, let's do more, it is such a great need for our state.

And when it comes to our success in computer science education, I asked you to support legislation that will require a computer science course as a graduation credit. And yes, we will have to increase the training of our teachers even more, but we are ready to do it because it gives our young people even greater opportunities right here in Arkansas.

It is an honor to serve the people of this state. Usually during a legislative session, there is nothing else but the session on my mind. That consumes my time and energy. This year, it's a little different because of the need to get vaccinations out to the millions of Arkansans that are waiting. I'm intentionally devoting a great deal of my time to that effort. But my door is open to you. Anytime we can work
together, anytime you want an audience, anytime you want to share an idea, let's visit.

And let me end with a story today.

When I was 17 years of age, on April 4, 1968, Senator Robert Kennedy was told of the news that Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. had been assassinated. He broke the earth-shattering news to the mostly black audience he was scheduled to address in Indianapolis.

He said these words:

"What we need in the United States is not division. What we need in the United States is not hatred. What we need in the United States is not violence, or lawlessness, but love and wisdom and compassion toward one another, and a feeling of justice towards those who still suffer within our country, whether they be white, or be black."

Those words ring true more than 50 years later, but our prayer is the same. Let's pray for our nation, our leaders, and pray for understanding, wisdom, and let us pursue justice for all Americans.

May God bless the United States, the state of Arkansas, and your work in the coming days.
Thank you.

12. House reconvenes in five (5) minutes.
13. Senate reconvenes in ten (10) minutes.
SENATE BILL NO. 99
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 99 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 100
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE HIGHER EDUCATION FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING STUDENT ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE POLICIES AND CERTAIN FINANCIAL CONDITION REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 100 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NECESSARY EXPENSES, PAY EXPENSES OF MEMBERS, PAY SALARIES OF EMPLOYEES, PAY FOR SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY RECESS ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2021, AND RECONVENE ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL RECESSES OF FOUR (4) OR MORE CONSECUTIVE DAYS; AND TO EXTEND BILL AND RESOLUTION INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION DEADLINES IN THE EVENT OF A RECESS OF FOUR (4) OR MORE CONSECUTIVE DAYS DUE TO CIRCUMSTANCES RELATED TO THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY.

House Bill No. 1006 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 101
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENHANCED STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT
FUNDING AND SCHOOL FUNDING UNDER THE PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING
ACT OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 101 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 102
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS STATE
HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 102 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
SENATE BILL NO. 103
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 103 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 104
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "AVERAGE COMPENSATION" AS THE TERM APPLIES TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 104 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
SENATE BILL NO. 105
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MARRIAGE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT FOR SURVIVOR ANNUITY BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 105 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 106
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY TO RECEIVE INCREASED BENEFITS, THE HEALTHCARE OFFSET, AND DEFERRED OPTION ACCOUNTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 106 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 107 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

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SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 1

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., January 13, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
January 13, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sullivan.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 24, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 108
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - LICENSING AND REGULATION BOARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 108 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 109  
ninety-third general assembly  
regular session  
by: joint budget committee

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, AND THE INTERIM COMMITTEES OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 109 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006  
ninety-third general assembly  
regular session  
by: representative shepherd  
by: senator hickey

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY RECESS ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 14, 2021, AND RECONVENE ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL RECESSES OF FOUR (4) OR MORE CONSECUTIVE DAYS; AND TO EXTEND BILL AND RESOLUTION INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION DEADLINES IN THE EVENT OF A RECESS OF FOUR (4) OR MORE CONSECUTIVE DAYS DUE TO CIRCUMSTANCES RELATED TO THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY.
House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was read third time and concurred in.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was returned to the House as concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1001 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NECESSARY EXPENSES, PAY EXPENSES OF MEMBERS, PAY SALARIES OF EMPLOYEES, PAY FOR SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1001 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1001. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1001, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency cause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.
(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1001 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, moved to have the rules suspended considering Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 24.

By voice vote the Chair ruled the motion to suspend the rules passed.
Senator Flowers called for roll call. Five hands were seen.

Roll call:

Total ...........................................................................................20
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, English, Hester, Hickey, Irvin, Sample, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the suspension of the rules ...................................................... 24

So the motion to suspend the rules failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1 was ordered returned from the House as passed.

Senate Bill No. 1 was ordered engrossed.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES OF THE JUDICIAL BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE - GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS, ARKANSAS SENATE AND ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1085 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 110
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 110 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 111
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 111 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 112
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SUITABILITY IN ANNUITY CONTRACT TRANSACTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 112 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 113
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "APPROVED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 113 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 114
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING APPLICATIONS AND ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ACADEMIC SUPPORT SCHOLARSHIP, THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR’S SCHOLARS PROGRAM, AND SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TEACHERS IN HIGH-NEED SUBJECT AREAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 114 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 115
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCLURE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SUBSTITUTE "ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS" FOR "COLLEGE OF THE OUACHITAS" IN THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 115 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 116
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOMACK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSOLIDATION OF HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY; TO AMEND THE NAME OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY; TO ABOLISH THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY; TO AMEND THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 116 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 117
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENT THAT AN ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION FEE BE PAID FOR ELECTRIC AND HYBRID VEHICLES; TO REPEAL THE ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF HYBRID VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 117 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 118
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH EXTRA HELP POSITIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION INTERNSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 118 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE POLICY ACT; TO AMEND THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 119 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 13, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1, BY SENATE EFFICIENCY,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:16 p.m. delivered it to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 1

RECEIVED the above paper from the Secretary of the Senate this Thirteenth day of January, 2021 at 3:16 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 1

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, January 14, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Tucker.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
SENATE BILL NO. 120
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PROMULGATE RULES CONCERNING THE SCHOOL COUNSELING IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2019; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 120 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 121
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - DIVISION OF LABOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 121 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 122
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 122 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 123
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC RECORDING COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 123 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 124  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CONTENT STANDARDS AND CURRICULUM FRAMEWORKS; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE STATEWIDE STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 124 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 125  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 125 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 126
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE APPLICABILITY AND ADDITIONAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 126 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 24 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 24

Amend Senate Bill No. 24 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 18 through 21, and substitute the following:

"(4) Is not committing a felony offense of possession of a firearm by certain persons, § 5-73-103, with the firearm used to employ the deadly physical force, unless the person is in or at the person’s dwelling or in the curtilage surrounding the person’s dwelling;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 24 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1085 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES OF THE JUDICIAL BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE - GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS, ARKANSAS SENATE AND ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1085 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill 1085. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1085, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0
Total number of votes cast ..............................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1085 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 14, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 24, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER, ET AL

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO ALLOW LIBRARIES TO ACCEPT DEBIT CARD AND CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 127 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY, LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; TO DELEGATE THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ARKANSAS CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 128 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 129
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PRIVATE RESIDENT AND CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 129 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 130
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 1; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 130 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 131
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ARKANSAS
CONCURRENT CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 131 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 132
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 132 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 133
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNOR'S LEGISLATIVE LIAISONS DURING THE NINETY-THIRD SESSION OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 133 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 134
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 134 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 135
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATORS, THE OFFICIAL COURT REPORTERS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS, JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS AND DRUG COURT JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 135 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, ET AL
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM RELIGIOUS FREEDOM DAY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, January 19, 2021.
Little Rock, Arkansas
January 19, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:10 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Gilmore.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 66 was withdrawn from the Committee on Education, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 66

Amend Senate Bill No. 66 as originally introduced:

Immediately following Section 1, add the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-60-214(e), concerning reimbursements to state-supported institutions of higher education for certain tuition expenses, is amended to read as follows:
(e) The State of Arkansas shall reimburse a state-supported institution of higher education the following for the remainder of tuition expenses that are not covered by funding sources under subsection (a) of this section for each soldier and airman of the Arkansas National Guard who enrolls in the state-supported institution of higher education under subsection (a) of this section:
(1) A state-supported institution of higher education; and
(2) An exclusively online, degree-offering institution that is associated with a state-supported institution of higher education."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 66 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ricky Hill, Senate Bill No. 78 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Agencies & Governmental Affairs, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 78

Amend Senate Bill No. 78 as originally introduced:

Page 9, line 4, delete "under § 17-4-105 or §17-4-" and substitute "under § 17-4-"

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on January 14, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

SENATE BILL NO. 1 - ACT 3

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 66, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 66 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 78, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 32, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 76, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Jason Rapert, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, S. MEEKS, B. SMITH, WING, MCCLURE, CRAWFORD, VAUGHT, CLOUD, S. SMITH, RYE
BY: SENATOR JASON RAPERT

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM RELIGIOUS FREEDOM DAY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was read third time and concurred in.

So the resolution passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was returned to the House as concurred in.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 24 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 24
As Engrossed:  S1/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATORS B. BALLINGER, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, T. GARNER, B. JOHNSON, FLIPPO, HESTER, D. WALLACE, HILL, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, BECKHAM, GILMORE, RICE
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, ET AL.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A PERSON WITH THE USE OF PHYSICAL FORCE OR DEADLY PHYSICAL FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 24 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.
Senator Flowers spoke against the bill.
Senator Clark spoke for the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.
Senator Leding spoke against the bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Hendren spoke against the bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the bill.
Senator Ballinger closed for the bill.

The Chair announced a Pair Vote at the Desk.

Voting Yea:  Senator Irvin
Voting Nay:  Senator Leding
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ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE:  January 19, 2021

PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 24

VOTING YEA  (SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

VOTING NAY  (SIGNED)  SENATOR GREG LEDING

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 24 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE JOINT RULES OF
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-
THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended,
read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 136
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY GAS RATES TO
DETERMINE THE LOWEST OR MOST ADVANTAGEOUS MARKET FOR
PIPELINE COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 136 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 137  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR MISSY IRVIN  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF THE ENERGY SOURCE OF A UTILITY SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 137 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.  

SENATE BILL NO. 138  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ETHICS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST OF STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS; TO REENACT THE REQUIREMENT TO FILE AN ADDITIONAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 138 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 139
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN SCHOLARSHIPS; TO ALLOW A STUDENT APPLYING FOR THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM OR THE CRITICAL NEEDS MINORITY TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM TO USE HIS OR HER ACT SUPERSCORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 139 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 140
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING STUDENT DISCIPLINE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS TO INCLUDE IN STUDENT DISCIPLINE POLICIES THE REQUIREMENT THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS CONDUCT AN ASSESSMENT OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT'S ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES BEFORE DISCIPLINING A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 140 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 141
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE EMERGENCY POWERS OF THE GOVERNOR; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; TO ALLOW THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO ISSUE EMERGENCY RULES FOR ELECTION PROCEDURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 141 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 142
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. INGRAM, ELLIOTT, L. CHESTERFIELD, L. EADS, J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING BASED ON THE AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 142 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 143
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES OF THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM HAVE ACCESS TO NEW PRODUCTS AND LABEL EXPANSIONS APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; TO CREATE THE RARE DISEASE ADVISORY COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 143 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 144
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 144 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 145
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BEATY, JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT TO COMPLY WITH CHANGES TO THE NATIONAL STANDARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 145 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 146
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OFFICE OF PUBLIC GUARDIAN FOR ADULTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN FOR ADULTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 146 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS OPPORTUNITY PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 147 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW RELATED TO THE RECORDING OF COORDINATES BASED ON THE ARKANSAS COORDINATE SYSTEM 1983; TO REPEAL THE PROXIMITY-TO-STATION REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 148 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 149
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO MODIFY CERTAIN DEFINITIONS UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO CLARIFY THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR LICENSURE UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO PROVIDE A PROCESS TO ALLOW A LOAN OFFICER TO WORK REMOTELY; TO MODIFY THE PROCESS FOR A CHANGE OF NAME OR ADDRESS OF A LICENSEE UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO REQUIRE A LICENSEE TO ESTABLISH CYBERSECURITY POLICY AND PROCEDURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 149 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 150
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM MONEY SERVICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 150 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 151
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 151 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 152
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPRINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; TO AMEND THE SUPERVISION AND PRESCRIPTION AUTHORITY OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 152 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 153
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WORKFORCE EXPANSION ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 153 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT A JUROR TO DONATE HIS OR HER PER DIEM COMPENSATION AND MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT TO AN ELIGIBLE NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1058 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 154
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CREATION AND ASSESSMENT COLLECTION MATTERS OF CERTAIN FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 154 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 155
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH LILA’S LAW; TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES REGARDING ACCESS TO ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION; TO REQUIRE COVERED ENTITIES TO MAKE REASONABLE MODIFICATIONS TO POLICIES, PRACTICES, AND PROCEDURES; TO PROVIDE AUXILIARY AIDS AND SERVICES DURING THE ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION PROCESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 155 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 24

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1005

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1058
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, January 20, 2021

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
January 20, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Ingram requested leave for Senator Elliott. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Caldwell.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 28 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 28

Amend Senate Bill No. 28 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Gilmore as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representative Underwood as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-1-109(a)(1), concerning the statute of limitations for offenses, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) A prosecution for the following offenses may be commenced at any time:

(A) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(B) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
(C) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
(D) Rape, § 5-14-103, if the victim was a minor at the time of the offense, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(E) Sexual indecency with a child, § 5-14-110;
(F) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(G) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125, if the victim was a minor at the time of the offense;
(H) Incest, § 5-26-202, if the victim was a minor at the time of the offense;
(I) Engaging children in sexually explicit conduct for use in visual or print medium, § 5-27-303;
(J) Transportation of minors for prohibited sexual conduct, § 5-27-305;
(K) Employing or consenting to the use of a child in a sexual performance, § 5-27-402;
(L) Producing, directing, or promoting a sexual performance by a child, § 5-27-403; and
(M) Computer exploitation of a child in the first degree, § 5-27-605.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-1-109(b)(1)(B), concerning the statute of limitations for rape, is amended to read as follows:

(B) However, for rape, § 5-14-103, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, the period of limitation is eliminated if biological
evidence of the alleged perpetrator is identified that is capable of producing a
deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) profile;

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 5-3-203 is amended to read as follows:
5-3-203. Classification.
A criminal attempt is a:
(1) Class Y felony if the offense attempted is capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(2) Class A felony if the offense attempted is treason, § 5-51-201, rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or a Class Y felony other than capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(3) Class B felony if the offense attempted is a Class A felony;
(4) Class C felony if the offense attempted is a Class B felony;
(5) Class D felony if the offense attempted is a Class C felony;
(6) Class A misdemeanor if the offense attempted is a Class D felony or an unclassified felony;
(7) Class B misdemeanor if the offense attempted is a Class A misdemeanor;
(8) Class C misdemeanor if the offense attempted is a Class B misdemeanor;
(9) Violation if the offense attempted is a Class A misdemeanor or an unclassified misdemeanor.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 5-3-301(b)(1), concerning the inchoate offense of solicitation, is amended to read as follows:
(1) Class A felony if the offense solicited is capital murder, treason, capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or a Class Y felony;

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 5-3-404 is amended to read as follows:
5-3-404. Classification.
Criminal conspiracy is a:
(1) Class A felony if an object of the conspiracy is commission of capital murder, treason, capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or a Class Y felony;
(2) Class B felony if an object of the conspiracy is commission of a Class A felony;
(3) Class C felony if an object of the conspiracy is commission of a Class B felony;
(4) Class D felony if an object of the conspiracy is commission of a Class C felony;
(5) Class A misdemeanor if an object of the conspiracy is commission of a Class D felony or an unclassified felony;
(6) Class B misdemeanor if an object of the conspiracy is commission of a Class A misdemeanor;
(7) Class C misdemeanor if an object of the conspiracy is commission of a Class B misdemeanor.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 5-4-104(a)-(e), concerning authorized sentences, are amended to read as follows:
(a) No defendant convicted of an offense shall be sentenced otherwise than in accordance with this chapter.
(b) A defendant convicted of capital murder, § 5-10-101, or treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, shall be sentenced to death or life imprisonment without parole in accordance with §§ 5-4-601 — 5-4-605, 5-4-607, and 5-4-608, except if the defendant was younger than eighteen (18) years of age at the time he or she committed the capital murder or treason capital murder.
§ 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, he or she shall be sentenced to life imprisonment with the possibility of parole after serving a minimum of thirty (30) years' imprisonment.

(c)(1) A defendant convicted of a Class Y felony or murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103, shall be sentenced to a term of imprisonment in accordance with §§ 5-4-401 — 5-4-404.

(2) In addition to imposing a term of imprisonment, the trial court may sentence a defendant convicted of a Class Y felony or murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103, to any one (1) or more of the following:

(A) Pay a fine as authorized by §§ 5-4-201 and 5-4-202;

(B) Make restitution as authorized by § 5-4-205; or

(C) Suspend imposition of an additional term of imprisonment, as authorized by subdivision (e)(3) of this section.

(d) A defendant convicted of an offense other than a Class Y felony, capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103, may be sentenced to any one (1) or more of the following, except as precluded by subsection (e) of this section:

(1) Imprisonment as authorized by §§ 5-4-401 — 5-4-404;

(2) Probation as authorized by §§ 5-4-301 — 5-4-307 and 16-93-306 — 16-93-314;

(3) Payment of a fine as authorized by §§ 5-4-201 and 5-4-202;

(4) Restitution as authorized by a provision of § 5-4-205; or

(5) Imprisonment and payment of a fine.

(e)(1)(A) The court shall not suspend imposition of sentence as to a term of imprisonment nor place the defendant on probation for the following offenses:

(i) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;

(ii) Treason, § 5-51-201;

(iii) Rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

(iv) A Class Y felony, except to the extent suspension of an additional term of imprisonment is permitted in subsection (c) of this section;

(v) Driving or boating while intoxicated, § 5-65-103;

(vi) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103, except to the extent suspension of an additional term of imprisonment is permitted in subsection (c) of this section; or

(vii) Engaging in a continuing criminal enterprise, § 5-64-405.

(B)(i) In any other case, the court may suspend imposition of sentence or place the defendant on probation, in accordance with §§ 5-4-301 — 5-4-307 and 16-93-306 — 16-93-314, except as otherwise specifically prohibited by statute.

(ii) The court may not suspend execution of sentence.

(3)(A) The court may sentence the defendant to a term of imprisonment and suspend imposition of sentence as to an additional term of imprisonment.

(B) However, the court shall not sentence a defendant to imprisonment and place him or her on probation, except as authorized by § 5-4-304.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 5-4-106(b), concerning an extended no contact order, is amended to read as follows:

(b) At the request of the prosecuting attorney, a court shall determine whether to issue an extended post-conviction no contact order to a person convicted of one (1) or more of the following offenses:

(1) Capital murder, § 5-10-101, or attempted capital murder;
(2) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102, or attempted murder in the first degree;
(3) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103, or attempted murder in the second degree;
(4) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
(5) Battery in the first degree, § 5-13-201;
(6) Battery in the second degree, § 5-13-202;
(7) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(8) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(9) Domestic battering in the first degree, § 5-26-303;
(10) Domestic battering in the second degree, § 5-26-304; or
(11) Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 5-4-301(a)(1), concerning offenses for which suspension or probation is prohibited, is amended to read as follows:
(a)(1) A court shall not suspend imposition of sentence as to a term of imprisonment or place a defendant on probation for the following offenses:
(A) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(B) Treason, § 5-51-201;
(C) Rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(D) A Class Y felony, except to the extent suspension of an additional term of imprisonment is permitted in § 5-4-104(c);
(E) Driving or boating while intoxicated, § 5-65-103;
(F) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103, except to the extent suspension of an additional term of imprisonment is permitted in § 5-4-104(c);
or
(G) Engaging in a continuing criminal enterprise, § 5-64-405.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 5-4-501(c)(2), concerning habitual offenders and what offenses are considered serious felonies involving violence, is amended to read as follows:
(2) As used in this subsection, “serious felony involving violence” means:
(A) Any of the following felonies:
(i) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
(ii) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
(iii) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102, involving an activity making it a Class Y felony;
(iv) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
(v) Terroristic act, § 5-13-310, involving an activity making it a Class Y felony;
(vi) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(vii) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(viii) Causing a catastrophe, § 5-38-202(a);
(ix) Aggravated residential burglary, § 5-39-204; or
(x) Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony; or
(B) A conviction of a comparable serious felony involving violence from another jurisdiction.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 5-4-501(d)(2)(A), concerning habitual offenders and what rape offenses are considered felonies involving violence, is amended to read as follows:
(A) Any of the following felonies:
(i) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
(ii) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
(iii) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
(iv) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
(v) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(vi) Battery in the first degree, § 5-13-201;
(vii) Terroristic act, § 5-13-310;
(viii) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(ix) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125;
(x) Domestic battering in the first degree, § 5-26-303;
(xi) Residential burglary, § 5-39-201(a);
(xii) Aggravated residential burglary, § 5-39-204;
(xiii) Unlawful discharge of a firearm from a vehicle, § 5-74-107;
(xiv) Criminal use of prohibited weapons, § 5-73-104, involving an activity making it a Class B felony;
(xv) A felony attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit:
   (a) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
   (b) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
   (c) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
   (d) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
   (e) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
   (f) Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony;
   (g) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
   (h) Battery in the first degree, § 5-13-201;
   (i) Domestic battering in the first degree, § 5-26-303;
   (j) Residential burglary, § 5-39-201(a); or
   (k) Aggravated residential burglary, § 5-39-204; or
   (xvi) Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony; or

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 4, Subchapter 6, is amended to read as follows:
Subchapter 6
— Trial and Sentence — Capital Murder Offenses

5-4-601. Legislative intent.
   (a) In enacting this subchapter, it is the intent of the General Assembly to specify the procedures and standards pursuant to which a sentencing body shall conform in making a determination as to whether a sentence of death is to be imposed upon a conviction of capital murder for capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114.
   (b) If the provisions of this subchapter respecting sentencing procedures are held invalid with regard to the imposition of a sentence of death or a sentence of death is declared to be invalid per se, it is the intent of the General Assembly that:
      (1) Capital murder is capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, are punishable by life imprisonment without parole; and
      (2) The procedures and findings required by §§ 5-4-602 — 5-4-605, 5-4-607, and 5-4-608 are deemed repealed and of no effect.

5-4-602. Capital murder offense charge — Trial procedure.
The following procedures govern a trial of a person charged with capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114:
(1) The jury shall first hear all evidence relevant to the charge and shall then retire to reach a verdict of guilt or innocence;

(2) If the defendant is found not guilty of the capital offense charged but guilty of a lesser included offense, the sentence shall be determined and imposed as provided by law;

(3)(A) If the defendant is found guilty of capital murder the capital offense, the same jury shall sit again in order to:
   (i) Hear additional evidence as provided by subdivisions (4) and (5) of this section; and
   (ii) Determine the sentence in the manner provided by § 5-4-603.

(B) However, if the state waives the death penalty, stipulates that no aggravating circumstance exists, or stipulates that mitigating circumstances outweigh aggravating circumstances, then:
   (i) A hearing under subdivision (3)(A) of this section is not required; and
   (ii) The trial court shall sentence the defendant to life imprisonment without parole.

(C) If the defendant was less than eighteen (18) years of age at the time of the offense, then a hearing under subdivision (3)(A) of this section is not required;

(4)(A) If the defendant and the state are accorded an opportunity to rebut the evidence, in determining the sentence evidence may be presented to the jury as to any:
   (i) Matter relating to an aggravating circumstance enumerated in § 5-4-604;
   (ii) Mitigating circumstance; or
   (iii) Other matter relevant to punishment, including, but not limited to, victim impact evidence.

(B)(i) Evidence as to any mitigating circumstance may be presented by either the state or the defendant regardless of the evidence's admissibility under the rules governing admission of evidence in a trial of a criminal matter.

(ii) However, mitigating circumstance evidence shall be relevant to the issue of punishment, including, but not limited to, the nature and circumstances of the crime, and the defendant's character, background, history, and mental and physical condition as set forth in § 5-4-605.

(C) The admissibility of evidence relevant to an aggravating circumstance set forth in § 5-4-604 is governed by the rules governing the admission of evidence in a trial of a criminal matter.

(D) Any evidence admitted at the trial relevant to punishment may be considered by the jury without the necessity of reintroducing the evidence at the sentencing proceeding; and

(5) The state and the defendant or his or her counsel are permitted to present argument respecting sentencing:
   (A) The state shall open the argument;
   (B) The defendant is permitted to reply; and
   (C) The state is then permitted to reply in rebuttal.

5-4-603. Findings required for death sentence — Harmless error review.
(a) The jury shall impose a sentence of death if the jury unanimously returns written findings that:

(1) An aggravating circumstance exists beyond a reasonable doubt;

(2) Aggravating circumstances outweigh beyond a reasonable doubt all mitigating circumstances found to exist; and

(3) Aggravating circumstances justify a sentence of death beyond a reasonable doubt.
(b) The jury shall impose a sentence of life imprisonment without parole if the jury finds that:

(1) Aggravating circumstances do not exist beyond a reasonable doubt;
(2) Aggravating circumstances do not outweigh beyond a reasonable doubt all mitigating circumstances found to exist; or
(3) Aggravating circumstances do not justify a sentence of death beyond a reasonable doubt.

(c) If the jury does not make any finding required by subsection (a) of this section, the court shall impose a sentence of life imprisonment without parole.

(d)(1) On an appellate review of a death sentence, the Supreme Court shall conduct a harmless error review of the defendant's death sentence if:

(A) The Supreme Court finds that the jury erred in finding the existence of any aggravating circumstance for any reason; and
(B) The jury found no mitigating circumstance.

(2) The Supreme Court shall conduct a harmless error review under subdivision (d)(1) of this section by determining that a remaining aggravating circumstance:

(A) Exists beyond a reasonable doubt; and
(B) Justifies a sentence of death beyond a reasonable doubt.

(e) If the Supreme Court concludes that the erroneous finding of any aggravating circumstance by the jury would not have changed the jury's decision to impose the death penalty on the defendant, then a simple majority of the court may vote to affirm the defendant's death sentence.

5-4-604. Aggravating circumstances.
An aggravating circumstance is limited to the following:

(1) The capital murder offense was committed by a person imprisoned as a result of a felony conviction;
(2) The capital murder offense was committed by a person unlawfully at liberty after being sentenced to imprisonment as a result of a felony conviction;
(3) The person previously committed another felony, an element of which was the use or threat of violence to another person or the creation of a substantial risk of death or serious physical injury to another person;
(4) The person in the commission of the capital murder offense knowingly created a great risk of death to a person other than the victim or caused the death of more than one (1) person in the same criminal episode;
(5) The capital murder offense was committed for the purpose of avoiding or preventing an arrest or effecting an escape from custody;
(6) The capital murder offense was committed for pecuniary gain;
(7) The capital murder offense was committed for the purpose of disrupting or hindering the lawful exercise of any government or political function;
(8)(A) The capital murder offense was committed in an especially cruel or depraved manner.

(B)(i) For purposes of subdivision (8)(A) of this section, a capital murder offense is committed in an especially cruel manner when, as part of a course of conduct intended to inflict mental anguish, serious physical abuse, or torture upon the victim prior to the victim's death, mental anguish, serious physical abuse, or torture is inflicted.

(ii)(a) “Mental anguish” means the victim's uncertainty as to his or her ultimate fate.

(b) “Serious physical abuse” means physical abuse that creates a substantial risk of death or that causes protracted impairment of health, or loss or protracted impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ.

(c) “Torture” means the infliction of extreme physical pain for a prolonged period of time prior to the victim's death.
(C) For purposes of subdivision (8)(A) of this section, a capital murder offense is committed in an especially depraved manner when the person relishes the murder capital offense, evidencing debasement or perversion, or shows an indifference to the suffering of the victim and evidences a sense of pleasure in committing the murder capital offense;

(9) The capital murder offense was committed by means of a destructive device, bomb, explosive, or similar device that the person planted, hid, or concealed in any place, area, dwelling, building, or structure, or mailed or delivered, or caused to be planted, hidden, concealed, mailed, or delivered, and the person knew that his or her act would create a great risk of death to human life; or

(10) The capital murder offense was committed against a person whom the defendant knew or reasonably should have known was especially vulnerable to the attack because:

(A) Of either a temporary or permanent severe physical or mental disability which would interfere with the victim's ability to flee or to defend himself or herself; or

(B) The person was twelve (12) years of age or younger.

5-4-605. Mitigating circumstances.
A mitigating circumstance includes, but is not limited to, without limitation the following:

(1) The capital murder offense was committed while the defendant was under extreme mental or emotional disturbance;

(2) The capital murder offense was committed while the defendant was acting under an unusual pressure or influence or under the domination of another person;

(3) The capital murder offense was committed while the capacity of the defendant to appreciate the wrongfulness of his or her conduct or to conform his or her conduct to the requirements of law was impaired as a result of mental disease or defect, intoxication, or drug abuse;

(4) The youth of the defendant at the time of the commission of the capital murder offense;

(5) The capital murder offense was committed by another person and the defendant was an accomplice and his or her participation was relatively minor; or

(6) The defendant has no significant history of prior criminal activity.

5-4-606. Life imprisonment without parole.
A person sentenced to life imprisonment without parole shall:

(1) Be remanded to the custody of the Division of Correction for imprisonment for the remainder of his or her life; and

(2) Not be released except pursuant to under commutation, pardon, or reprieve of the Governor.

5-4-607. Application for executive clemency — Regulations.
(a) The pardon of a person convicted of capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or of a Class Y felony, Class A felony, or Class B felony, or the commutation of a sentence of a person convicted of capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or of a Class Y felony, Class A felony, or Class B felony, may be granted only in the manner provided in this section.

(b)(1) A copy of the application for pardon or commutation shall be filed with:

(A) The Secretary of State;

(B) The Attorney General;

(C) The sheriff of the county where the offense was committed;

(D) The prosecuting attorney of the judicial district where the applicant was found guilty and sentenced, if still in office, and, if not, the successor of that prosecuting attorney;
(E) The circuit judge presiding over the proceedings at which the applicant was found guilty and sentenced, if still in office, and, if not, the successor of that circuit judge; and

(F) The victim of the crime or the victim's next of kin, if he or she files a request for notice with the prosecuting attorney.

(2)(A) The application shall set forth a ground upon which the pardon or commutation is sought.

(B) If the application involves a conviction for capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, a notice of the application shall be published by two (2) insertions, separated by a minimum of seven (7) days, in a newspaper of general circulation in the county or counties where the offense or offenses of the applicant were committed.

(c) On granting an application for pardon or commutation, the Governor shall:

(1) Include in his or her written order the reason for the granting of the application; and

(2) File with the House of Representatives and the Senate a copy of his or her written order which shall state the:

(A) Applicant's name;

(B) Offense of which the applicant was convicted and the sentence imposed;

(C) Date of the judgment imposing the sentence; and

(D) Effective date of the pardon or commutation.

(d) A person sentenced to death or to life imprisonment without parole is not eligible for parole and shall not be paroled.

(e) If the sentence of a person sentenced to death or life imprisonment without parole is commuted by the Governor to a term of years, the person shall not be paroled, nor shall the length of his or her incarceration be reduced in any way to less than the full term of years specified in the order of commutation or in any subsequent order of commutation.

(f) A reprieve may be granted as presently provided by law.

5-4-608. Waiver of death penalty.

(a) If a defendant is charged with a capital murder offense, with the permission of the court the prosecuting attorney may waive the death penalty.

(b) In a case described in subsection (a) of this section, if the defendant pleads guilty to the capital murder offense or is found guilty of a capital murder offense after trial to the court or to a jury, the trial court shall sentence the defendant to life imprisonment without parole.

5-4-614. Conviction — Punishments.

A person convicted of a capital offense shall be punished by death by lethal injection or by life imprisonment without parole pursuant to this subchapter.

5-4-615. Procedures following remand of capital case offense after vacation of death sentence — Retroactive application.

(a) Notwithstanding § 5-4-602(3) that requires that the same jury sit in the sentencing phase of a capital murder trial, the following shall apply:

(1)(A) Upon any appeal by the defendant when the sentence is of death, if the appellate court finds prejudicial error in the sentencing proceeding only, the appellate court may set aside the sentence of death and remand the case to the trial court in the jurisdiction in which the defendant was originally sentenced.

(B) No error in the sentencing proceeding shall result in the reversal of the conviction for a capital felony offense.

(C) When a capital case offense is remanded after vacation of a death sentence, the prosecutor may move the trial court to:
(i) Impose a sentence of life without parole, and the trial court may impose the sentence of life without parole without a hearing; or

(ii) Impanel a new sentencing jury;

(2) If the prosecutor elects subdivision (a)(1)(C)(ii) of this section the trial court shall impanel a new jury for the purpose of conducting a new sentencing proceeding;

(3) A new sentencing proceeding is governed by the provisions of § 5-4-602(4) and (5) and §§ 5-4-603 — 5-4-605;

(4)(A) Any exhibit and a transcript of any testimony or other evidence properly admitted in the prior trial and sentencing is admissible in the new sentencing proceeding.

(B) Additional relevant evidence may be admitted including testimony of a witness who testified at the previous trial; and

(5) The provisions of this section:

(A) Are procedural; and

(B) Apply retroactively to any defendant sentenced to death after January 1, 1974.

(b) This section shall not be construed to does not amend a provision of § 5-4-602 requiring the same jury to sit in both the guilt and sentencing phases of the original trial.

5-4-617. Method of execution.

(a) The Division of Correction shall carry out the sentence of death by intravenous lethal injection of the drug or drugs described in subsection (c) of this section in an amount sufficient to cause death.

(b) The Director of the Division of Correction or his or her designee may order the dispensation and administration of the drug or drugs described in subsection (c) of this section for the purpose of carrying out the lethal-injection procedure, and a prescription is not required.

(c) The division shall select one (1) of the following options for a lethal-injection protocol, depending on the availability of the drugs:

(1) A barbiturate; or

(2) Midazolam, followed by vecuronium bromide, followed by potassium chloride.

(d) The drug or drugs described in subsection (c) of this section used to carry out the lethal injection shall be:

(1) Approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration and made by a manufacturer approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration;

(2) Obtained from a facility registered with the United States Food and Drug Administration; or

(3) Obtained from a compounding pharmacy that has been accredited by a national organization that accredits compounding pharmacies.

(e) The drugs set forth in subsection (c) of this section shall be administered along with any additional substances, such as saline solution, called for in the instructions.

(f) Catheters, sterile intravenous solution, and other equipment used for the intravenous injection of the drug or drugs set forth in subsection (c) of this section shall be sterilized and prepared in a manner that is safe and commonly performed in connection with the intravenous administration of drugs of that type.

(g) The director shall develop logistical procedures necessary to carry out the sentence of death, including:

(1) The following matters:

(A) Ensuring that the drugs and substances set forth in this section and other necessary supplies for the lethal injection are available for use on the scheduled date of the execution;
(B) Conducting employee orientation of the lethal injection procedure before the day of the execution;  
(C) Determining the logistics of the viewing;  
(D) Coordinating with other governmental agencies involved with security and law enforcement;  
(E) Transferring the condemned prisoner to the facility where the sentence of death will be carried out;  
(F) Escorting the condemned prisoner from the holding cell to the execution chamber;  
(G) Determining the identity, arrival, and departure of the persons involved with carrying out the sentence of death at the facility where the sentence of death will be carried out; and  
(H) Making arrangements for the disposition of the condemned prisoner’s body and personal property; and 

(2) The following matters pertaining to other logistical issues:  
(A) Chaplaincy services;  
(B) Visitation privileges;  
(C) Determining the condemned prisoner’s death, which shall be pronounced according to accepted medical standards; and  
(D) Establishing a protocol for any necessary mixing or reconstitution of the drugs and substances set forth in this section in accordance with the instructions.

(h) The procedures for carrying out the sentence of death and related matters are not subject to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(i)(1) Except as provided for under subdivision (i)(2) of this section, a person shall not disclose in response to a request under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., or in response to discovery under the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure, or otherwise, any of the following:  
(A) Documents, records, or information that may identify or reasonably lead to the identification of entities or persons who participate in the execution process or administer lethal injections;  
(B) Documents, records, or information that may identify or reasonably lead directly or indirectly to the identification of an entity or person who compounds, synthesizes, tests, sells, supplies, manufactures, transports, procures, dispenses, or prescribes the drug or drugs described in subsection (c) of this section, or that provides the medical supplies or medical equipment for the execution process; or  
(C) Documents, records, or information that concern the procedures under subdivision (g)(1) of this section and the implementation of the procedures under subdivision (g)(1) of this section.

(2) The following documents, records, and information may be disclosed:  
(A) The director may disclose or authorize disclosure of documents, records, and information to his or her subordinates, contractors, or vendors to the extent necessary to carry out his or her duties under this section;  
(B) The director may disclose or authorize disclosure of documents, records, and information to the Governor or the Attorney General, or both; and  
(C) The Governor or the Attorney General, or both, may disclose or authorize the disclosure of documents, records, and information to their subordinates to the extent necessary to carry out their duties under law.

(3)(A) If any part of this subsection is invalidated by a final and unappealable court order, any unauthorized disclosure of information under this section shall be permitted only after the entry and service of an order prohibiting public disclosure or use of the documents, records, or information and requiring that a public filing of the documents, records, or information be done under seal.
(B) A person who recklessly discloses documents, records, or information in violation of an order under this subdivision (i)(3) upon conviction is guilty of a Class D felony.

(j)(1) The director shall certify under oath that the drug or drugs described in subsection (c) of this section meet the requirements of subsection (d) of this section.

(2) After the certification required under this subsection, a challenge to the conformity of the drug or drugs described under subsection (c) of this section with the requirements of subsection (d) of this section shall be brought only as an original action in the Supreme Court.

(k) The division shall make available to the public any of the following information upon request, so long as the information that may be used to identify an entity or person listed in subsection (i) of this section is redacted and maintained as confidential:

(1) The certification provided for under subsection (j) of this section; and

(2) The division's procedure for administering the drug or drugs described in subsection (c) of this section.

(l) The division shall carry out the sentence of death by electrocution if execution by lethal injection under this section is invalidated by a final and unappealable court order.

(m) Every person that procures, prepares, administers, monitors, or supervises the injection of a drug or drugs under this section has immunity under § 19-10-305.

(n) A person who recklessly discloses documents, records, or information in violation of subdivision (i)(1) of this section upon conviction is guilty of a Class D felony.

5-4-618. Defendants with intellectual disabilities.

(a)(1) As used in this section, “intellectual disabilities” means:

(A) Significantly below-average general intellectual functioning accompanied by a significant deficit or impairment in adaptive functioning manifest in the developmental period, but no later than age eighteen (18) years of age; and

(B) A deficit in adaptive behavior.

(2) There is a rebuttable presumption of intellectual disabilities when a defendant has an intelligence quotient of sixty-five (65) or below.

(b) No defendant with intellectual disabilities at the time of committing capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, shall be sentenced to death.

(c) The defendant has the burden of proving intellectual disabilities at the time of committing the offense by a preponderance of the evidence.

(d)(1) A defendant on trial for capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, shall raise the special sentencing provision of intellectual disabilities by motion prior to trial.

(2)(A) Prior to trial, the court shall determine if the defendant has an intellectual disability.

(B)(i) If the court determines that the defendant does not have an intellectual disability, the defendant may raise the question of an intellectual disability to the jury for determination de novo during the sentencing phase of the trial.

(ii) At the time the jury retires to decide mitigating and aggravating circumstances, the jury shall be given a special verdict form on an intellectual disability.

(iii) If the jury unanimously determines that the defendant had an intellectual disability at the time of the commission of capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, then the defendant will automatically be sentenced to life imprisonment without possibility of parole.
(C) If the court determines that the defendant has an intellectual disability, then:

(i) The jury is not “death qualified”; and
(ii) The jury shall sentence the defendant to life imprisonment without possibility of parole upon conviction.

(e) However, this section is not deemed to:

(1) Require unanimity for consideration of any mitigating circumstance; or
(2) Supersede any suggested mitigating circumstance regarding mental defect or disease currently found in § 5-4-605.

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 5-4-702(a), concerning a sentence enhancement for offenses committed in the presence of a child, is amended to read as follows:

(a) A person who commits any of the following offenses may be subject to an enhanced sentence of an additional term of imprisonment of not less than one (1) year and not greater than ten (10) years if the offense is committed in the presence of a child:

(1) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(2) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
(3) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
(4) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
(5) A felony offense of assault or battery under § 5-13-201 et seq.;
(6) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(7) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125; or
(8) A felony offense of domestic battering or assault on a family or household member under §§ 5-26-303 — 5-26-309.

SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 5-10-101(a)(1)(A), concerning capital murder committed while committing certain felony offenses, is amended to read as follows:

(A) The person commits or attempts to commit:

(i) Terrorism, as defined in § 5-54-205;
(ii) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(iii) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
(iv) Vehicular piracy, § 5-11-105;
(v) Robbery, § 5-12-102;
(vi) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
(vii) Residential burglary, § 5-39-201(a);
(viii) Commercial burglary, § 5-39-201(b);
(ix) Aggravated residential burglary, § 5-39-204;
(x) A felony violation of the Uniform Controlled Substances Act, §§ 5-64-101 — 5-64-508, involving an actual delivery of a controlled substance; or
(xi) First degree escape, § 5-54-110; and

SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 5-14-103 is amended to read as follows:

5-14-103. Rape.

(a) A person commits rape if he or she engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with another person:

(1) By forcible compulsion;
(2) Who is incapable of consent because he or she is:
   (A) Physically helpless;
   (B) Mentally defective; or
   (C) Mentally incapacitated;
(3)(A) Who is less than fourteen (14) years of age.
(B) It is an affirmative defense to a prosecution under subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section that the actor was not more than three (3) years older than the victim; or

(4)(A) Who is a minor and the actor is the victim’s:

(i) Guardian;

(ii) Uncle, aunt, grandparent, step-grandparent, or grandparent by adoption;

(iii) Brother or sister of the whole or half blood or by adoption; or

(iv) Nephew, niece, or first cousin.

(B) It is an affirmative defense to a prosecution under subdivision (a)(4)(A) of this section that the actor was not more than three (3) years older than the victim.

(b) It is no defense to a prosecution under subdivision (a)(3) or subdivision (a)(4) of this section that the victim consented to the conduct.

(c)(1) Rape is a Class Y felony.

(2) Any person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is found guilty of rape involving a victim who is less than fourteen (14) years of age under this section shall be sentenced to a minimum term of imprisonment of twenty-five (25) years.

(d)(1) A court may issue a permanent no contact order when:

(A) A defendant pleads guilty or nolo contendere; or

(B) All of the defendant's appeals have been exhausted and the defendant remains convicted.

(2) If a judicial officer has reason to believe that mental disease or defect of the defendant will or has become an issue in the case, the judicial officer shall enter orders consistent with § 5-2-327 or § 5-2-328, or both.

(e) A person convicted of rape is subject to § 9-10-121.

(f) The offense of rape under this section is a lesser included offense to rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114.

SECTION 15. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 14, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

5-14-114. Rape of a child by forcible compulsion.

(a) As used in this section, "child" means a person who is less than fourteen (14) years of age.

(b) A person commits rape of a child by forcible compulsion if he or she engages in sexual intercourse or deviate sexual activity with a child by forcible compulsion.

(c)(1) Rape of a child by forcible compulsion is punishable as follows:

(A) If the defendant was eighteen (18) years of age or older at the time he or she committed the rape of a child by forcible compulsion:

(i) Death; or

(ii) Life imprisonment without parole under §§ 5-4-601 — 5-4-605, 5-4-607, and 5-4-608; or

(B) If the defendant was younger than eighteen (18) years of age at the time he or she committed the rape of a child by forcible compulsion, life imprisonment with the possibility of parole after serving a minimum of thirty (30) years’ imprisonment.

(2) For any purpose other than disposition under §§ 5-4-101 — 5-4-104, 5-4-201 — 5-4-204, 5-4-301 — 5-4-307, 5-4-401 — 5-4-404, 5-4-501 — 5-4-504, 5-4-601 — 5-4-605, 5-4-607, 5-4-608, 16-93-307, 16-93-313, and 16-93-314, rape of a child by forcible compulsion is a Class Y felony.

(d)(1) A court may issue a permanent no contact order when:

(A) A defendant pleads guilty or nolo contendere to rape of a child by forcible compulsion; or
(B) All of the defendant’s appeals have been exhausted and the defendant remains convicted of rape of a child by forcible compulsion.

(2) If a judicial officer has reason to believe that mental disease or defect of the defendant will or has become an issue in the case, the judicial officer shall enter orders consistent with § 5-2-327 or § 5-2-328, or both.

(e) A person convicted of rape of a child by forcible compulsion is subject to § 9-10-121.

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 5-54-105(b)(2), concerning the offense of hindering apprehension or prosecution, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Subdivision (b)(1)(B) of this section does not apply if the offense of the person assisted is:

(A) Capital murder, as prohibited in § 5-10-101;
(B) Murder in the first degree, as prohibited in § 5-10-102;
(C) Kidnapping, as prohibited in § 5-11-102; or
(D) Rape, as prohibited in § 5-14-103; or
(E) Rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114.

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 5-73-202(1), concerning the definition of “crime of violence” under the Uniform Machine Gun Act, is amended to read as follows:

(1) “Crime of violence” means any of the following crimes or an attempt to commit any of them:

(A) Murder;
(B) Manslaughter;
(C) Kidnapping;
(D) Rape;
(E) Mayhem;
(F) Assault to do great bodily harm;
(G) Robbery;
(H) Burglary;
(I) Housebreaking;
(J) Breaking and entering; and
(K) Larceny; and
(L) Rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 6-17-410(c)(8), concerning teacher licensure and which offenses are disqualifying for licensure if there is a true report in the Child Maltreatment Central Registry or who has been found guilty of the offense, is amended to read as follows:

(8) Rape as prohibited in § 5-14-103 or rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114:

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 6-17-414(b)(8), concerning teacher licensure and which offenses are disqualifying for licensure if there is a true report in the Child Maltreatment Central Registry or who has been found guilty of the offense, is amended to read as follows:

(8) Rape as prohibited in § 5-14-103 or rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114:

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 9-10-121 is amended to read as follows: 9-10-121. Termination of certain parental rights for putative fathers convicted of rape.

(a) All rights of a putative father to custody, visitation, or other contact with a child conceived as a result of a rape shall be terminated immediately upon conviction of the rape in which the child was conceived under § 5-14-103 or § 5-14-114.
(b) The biological mother of a child conceived as a result of rape may petition the court under § 9-10-104 to reinstate the parental rights of a putative father terminated under subsection (a) of this section.

(c) A putative father to a child conceived as a result of rape shall pay child support as provided under § 9-10-109.

(d) A child conceived as a result of rape is entitled to:
   (1) Child support under § 9-10-109; and
   (2) Inheritance under the Arkansas Inheritance Code of 1969, § 28-9-201 et seq.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 9-27-318(b)(1)(K), concerning the filing of felony offenses committed by a juvenile into circuit court, is amended to read as follows:

(K) A felony attempt, solicitation, or conspiracy to commit any of the following offenses:
   (i) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
   (ii) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
   (iii) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
   (iv) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
   (v) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
   (vi) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
   (vii) Battery in the first degree, § 5-13-201;
   (viii) First degree escape, § 5-54-110; and
   (ix) Second degree escape, § 5-54-111;

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 9-27-318(c), concerning the filing of felony offenses committed by a juvenile into circuit court, is amended to read as follows:

(c) A prosecuting attorney may charge a juvenile in either the juvenile or criminal division of circuit court when a case involves a juvenile:
   (1) At least sixteen (16) years old when he or she engages in conduct that, if committed by an adult, would be any felony; or
   (2) Fourteen (14) or fifteen (15) years old when he or she engages in conduct that, if committed by an adult, would be:
      (A) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
      (B) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
      (C) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
      (D) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
      (E) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
      (F) Battery in the first degree, § 5-13-201; or
      (G) Terroristic act, § 5-13-310.

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 9-27-356(a), concerning juvenile sex offender assessment and registration, is amended to read as follows:

(a) If a juvenile is an adjudicated delinquent for any of the following offenses, the court shall order a sex offender screening and risk assessment:
   (1) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
   (2) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
   (3) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125;
   (4) Incest, § 5-26-202; or
   (5) Engaging children in sexually explicit conduct for use in visual or print medium, § 5-27-303.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 9-27-357(a), concerning delinquent persons who are required to submit a DNA sample, is amended to read as follows:
(a) A person who is adjudicated delinquent for the following offenses shall have a deoxyribonucleic acid sample drawn:

(1) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

(2) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(3) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125;
(4) Incest, § 5-26-202;
(5) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(6) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
(7) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
(8) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
(9) Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
(10) Terroristic act, § 5-13-310; and
(11) Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony.

SECTION 25. Arkansas Code § 9-28-409(e)(2), concerning disqualifying offenses for a person who undergoes a criminal record and background check under the Child Welfare Agency Licensing Act, is amended to read as follows:

(2) A person who is required to have a criminal records check under subdivision (b)(1) or subdivision (c)(1) of this section shall be absolutely and permanently prohibited from having direct and unsupervised contact with a child in the care of a child welfare agency if that person has pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to or been found guilty of any of the following offenses by any court in the State of Arkansas, of a similar offense in a court of another state, or of a similar offense by a federal court, unless the conviction is vacated or reversed:

(A) Abuse of an endangered or impaired person, if felony, § 5-28-103;
(B) Arson, § 5-38-301;
(C) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
(D) Endangering the welfare of an incompetent person in the first degree, § 5-27-201;
(E) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;
(F) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
(G) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
(H) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(I) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(J) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125;
(K) Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony; and
(L) Trafficking of persons, § 5-18-103.

SECTION 26. Arkansas Code § 11-5-115(a)(1), concerning the elimination of workplace violence and working conditions, is amended to read as follows:

(1) Suffered unlawful violence by an individual as defined by § 5-13-310, terroristic act; § 5-14-103, rape; rape of a child by forcible compulsion, §§ 5-13-201 — 5-13-203; battery; §§ 5-26-301 — 5-26-309, domestic battering and assault on a family or household member; or a crime of violence as defined by § 5-73-202(1);

SECTION 27. Arkansas Code § 12-12-104(1)(2)(A), concerning the offense of rape and its inclusion in the definition of "sex offense", is amended to read as follows:

(A) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
SECTION 28. Arkansas Code § 12-12-903(13)(A)(i)(a), concerning the offense of rape and its inclusion in the definition of "sex offense" under the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1997, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

SECTION 29. Arkansas Code § 12-12-919(a), concerning lifetime registration for a sex offender, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Lifetime registration is required for a sex offender who:

(1) Was found to have committed an aggravated sex offense;
(2) Was determined by the court to be or assessed as a Level 4 sexually dangerous person;
(3) Has pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to or been found guilty of a second or subsequent sex offense under a separate case number, not multiple counts on the same charge;
(4) Was convicted of rape by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-103(a)(1), rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or other substantially similar offense in another jurisdiction; or
(5) Has pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to or been found guilty of failing to comply with registration and reporting requirements under § 12-12-904 three (3) or more times.

SECTION 30. Arkansas Code § 12-29-102(4), concerning the offense for while an inmate will be denied participation in a furlough program, is amended to read as follows:

(4) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

SECTION 31. Arkansas Code § 12-30-404(3), concerning the offense for while an inmate will be denied participation in a work study release program, is amended to read as follows:

(3) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

SECTION 32. Arkansas Code § 13-4-409(c)(1)(D), concerning which items relating to criminal investigations should be retained by a sheriff's office for ninety-nine years, is amended to read as follows:

(D) Rape, § 5-14-103, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

SECTION 33. Arkansas Code § 16-33-305 is amended to read as follows:

16-33-305. Challenge to trial jurors — Individual juror — Peremptory.

(a) The state shall be entitled to ten (10) peremptory challenges in prosecutions for capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, to six (6) peremptory challenges in prosecutions for all other felonies, and to three (3) peremptory challenges in prosecutions for misdemeanors.

(b) The defendant shall be entitled to twelve (12) peremptory challenges in prosecutions for capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, to eight (8) peremptory challenges in prosecutions for all other felonies, and to three (3) peremptory challenges in prosecutions for misdemeanors.

SECTION 34. Arkansas Code § 16-42-103(d), concerning the definition of "sexual assault" as it pertains to admissibility of evidence of similar crimes in sexual assault cases, is amended to read as follows:
(d) For purposes of this section, the term “sexual assault” includes the following offenses:

(1) Rape, § 5-14-103;
(2) Rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
(3) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124; and
(3)(4) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125.

SECTION 35. Arkansas Code § 16-87-205(c)(1), concerning the Capital, Conflicts, and Appellate Office, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1)(A)(i) The Arkansas Public Defender Commission shall be appointed by the trial court in the following situation:

(A)(i) In a case involving capital murder cases, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, in which the death penalty is sought if a conflict of interest is determined by the court to exist between the trial public defender’s office and the indigent person or if for any other reason the court determines that the trial public defender cannot or should not represent the indigent person.

(ii) The representation may be in conjunction with appointed private attorneys.

(iii)(B) In a case involving capital murder cases, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, unless the prosecuting attorney informs the circuit court at the arraignment of the defendant that the death penalty will not be sought, it shall be presumed for purposes of this section that the death penalty will be sought.

(iv)(a)(C)(i) The executive director may assign the Capital, Conflicts, and Appellate Office, a trial public defender from another area, a private attorney whose name appears on a list of attorneys maintained by the commission, or a combination of private and public defender attorneys to represent the indigent person.

(b)(ii) The executive director shall notify the trial court of the assignment, and an order reflecting the assignment shall be entered.

SECTION 36. Arkansas Code § 16-87-212(c), concerning court fees and expenses, is amended to read as follows:

(c) At the discretion of the commission, expenses in a case involving capital murder cases, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, and all proceedings under the Arkansas Rules of Criminal Procedure, Rule 37.5, shall be paid entirely by the commission.

SECTION 37. Arkansas Code § 16-87-218(c)(1) and (2), concerning the costs for legal services provided by the Arkansas Public Defender Commission, are amended to read as follows:

(1) Capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, in which the death penalty was given, including any appeal and post-conviction remedy, twelve thousand five hundred dollars ($12,500);

(2) Capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, in which the death penalty was not given, murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102, or Class Y felony:

(A) For an early disposition, five hundred dollars ($500);
(B) For a negotiated plea or disposition before trial, two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500); or
(C) For a trial or an extended matter, seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500);
SECTION 38. Arkansas Code § 16-90-120(e)(1)(A)(iv), concerning the inclusion of the offense of rape as a seventy-percent offense as it pertains to the felony with a firearm sentence enhancement, is amended to read as follows:

(iv) Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;

SECTION 39. Arkansas Code § 16-90-803(b)(2)(C)(iii)(a), concerning the calculation of prior offenses as it pertains to the voluntary presumptive standards under the sentencing guidelines, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Each adjudication is worth one-quarter (0.25) point, except for offenses adjudicated as delinquent which if committed by an adult are worth one (1) point and would have constituted:

1. Capital murder, § 5-10-101;
2. Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;
3. Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;
4. Kidnapping in the first degree, § 5-11-102;
5. Aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103;
6. Rape, § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;
7. Battery in the first degree, § 5-13-201;
8. Aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony.

SECTION 40. Arkansas Code § 16-90-803(b)(5), concerning voluntary presumptive standards in sentencing, is amended to read as follows:

(5) Capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, are excluded from the sentencing standards and are subject to the procedures in § 5-4-601 et seq.

SECTION 41. Arkansas Code § 16-91-110(b)(2) and (3), concerning bail bonds, are amended to read as follows:

(2) When a criminal defendant has been found guilty of or pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to a criminal offense of capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, the court shall not release the defendant on bail or otherwise pending appeal or for any reason.

(3) When a criminal defendant has been found guilty, pleaded guilty, or pleaded nolo contendere to a criminal offense of murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102, rape, § 5-14-103, rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, aggravated robbery, § 5-12-103, aggravated assault upon a law enforcement officer or an employee of a correctional facility, § 5-13-211, if a Class Y felony, or causing a catastrophe, § 5-38-202(a), or the criminal offense of kidnapping, § 5-11-102, or arson, § 5-38-301, when classified as Class Y felonies, manufacturing methamphetamine, § 5-64-423(a) or the former § 5-64-401, and is sentenced to death or a term of imprisonment, the court shall not release the defendant on bail or otherwise pending appeal or for any reason.

SECTION 42. Arkansas Code § 16-91-202(e)(2)(A), concerning the qualifications of defense counsel in a capital case, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) In all such cases, the attorney shall have been admitted to practice law for not less than five (5) years and shall have had no fewer than three (3) years' experience in the actual handling of capital murder or other capital case prosecutions or capital murder or other capital case post-conviction proceedings in Arkansas courts.
SECTION 43. Arkansas Code § 16-93-204(d)(2)(A), concerning executive clemency, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) Before considering an application for a pardon or recommending a commutation of sentence of a person who was convicted of capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, or a Class Y felony, Class A felony, or Class B felony, the board shall notify the victim of the crime or the victim's next of kin, if he or she files a request for notice with the prosecuting attorney.

SECTION 44. Arkansas Code § 16-93-207(d)(1)(B), concerning applications for pardon, commutation of sentence, and remission of fines and forfeitures, is amended to read as follows:

(B) Eight (8) years from the date of the denial if the applicant is serving a sentence of life without parole for capital murder, § 5-10-101, treason, § 5-51-201, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114.

SECTION 45. Arkansas Code § 16-93-612(e), concerning the date of an offense and which parole eligibility statute will govern, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(5) If the felony is rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, and the offense occurred on or after the effective date of this act, § 16-93-623 governs the person's parole eligibility.

SECTION 46. Arkansas Code Title 16, Chapter 93, Subchapter 6, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:


(a) Unless the person was a minor at the time of the offense, a person sentenced for rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, on or after the effective date of this act is not eligible for parole.

(b)(1) If the person who committed rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114, was a minor at the time of the offense the person is eligible for release on parole no later than after thirty (30) years of incarceration, including any applicable sentencing enhancements, and including an instance in which multiple sentences are to be served consecutively or concurrently, unless by law the minor is eligible for earlier parole eligibility.

(2) Credit for meritorious good time shall not be applied to calculations of time served under this subsection for minors convicted and sentenced for rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114.

(3) The calculation of the time periods under this subsection shall include any applicable sentence enhancements to which the minor was sentenced that accompany the sentence for the underlying offense.

(c)(1) The Parole Board shall ensure that a hearing to consider the parole eligibility of a person who was a minor at the time of the offense takes into account how a minor offender is different from an adult offender and provides a person who was a minor at the time of the offense with a meaningful opportunity to be released on parole based on demonstrated maturity and rehabilitation.

(2) During a parole eligibility hearing involving a person who was a minor at the time of the offense, the board shall take into consideration in addition to other factors required by law to be considered by the board:

(A) The diminished culpability of minors as compared to that of adults;

(B) The hallmark features of youth;

(C) Subsequent growth and increased maturity of the person during incarceration;

(D) Age of the person at the time of the offense;

(E) Immaturity of the person at the time of the offense;
(F) The extent of the person’s role in the offense and whether and to what extent an adult was involved in the offense;

(G) The person’s family and community circumstances at the time of the offense, including any history of abuse, trauma, and involvement in the child welfare system;

(H) The person’s participation in available rehabilitative and educational programs while in prison, if those programs have been made available, or use of self-study for self-improvement;

(I) The results of comprehensive mental health evaluations conducted by an adolescent mental health professional licensed in the state at the time of sentencing and at the time the person becomes eligible for parole under this section; and

(J) Other factors the board deems relevant.

(3) A person eligible for parole under this section may have an attorney present to represent him or her at the parole eligibility hearing.

(d) (1)(A) The board shall notify a victim of the offense before the board reviews parole eligibility under this section for an inmate convicted of the offense and provide information regarding victim input meetings, as well as state and national victim resource information.

(B) If the victim is incapacitated or deceased, the notice under subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section shall be given to the victim's family.

(C) If the victim is less than eighteen (18) years of age, the notice under subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section shall be given to the victim's parent or guardian.

(2) Victim notification under this subsection shall include:

   (A) The location, date, and time of parole review; and

   (B) The name and phone number of the individual to contact for additional information.

SECTION 47. Arkansas Code § 17-3-102(a)(15), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check under professional and occupational licensing, is amended to read as follows:

   (15) Rape as prohibited in § 5-14-103 and rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114;

SECTION 48. Arkansas Code § 17-3-102(e)(5), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check under professional and occupational licensing, is amended to read as follows:

   (5) Rape as prohibited in § 5-14-103 and rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114;

SECTION 49. Arkansas Code § 17-17-312(f)(15), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check under auctioneer licensing, is amended to read as follows:

   (15) Rape, as prohibited in § 5-14-103 and rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114;

SECTION 50. Arkansas Code § 20-13-1106(a)(1)(N), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check under emergency medical services licensing, is amended to read as follows:

   (N) Rape as prohibited in § 5-14-103 and rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114;

SECTION 51. Arkansas Code § 20-13-1106(a)(1)(N), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check under emergency medical services licensing, is amended to read as follows:

   (N) Rape as prohibited in § 5-14-103 and rape of a child by forcible compulsion as prohibited in § 5-14-114;
SECTION 52. Arkansas Code § 20-16-1305(b), concerning exemptions for medical personnel under the Arkansas Human Heartbeat Protection Act, is amended to read as follows:

(b) This subchapter does not apply to:
(1) An abortion performed to save the life of the mother;
(2) A pregnancy that results from rape under § 5-14-103, rape of a child by forcible compulsion under § 5-14-114, or incest under § 5-26-202; or
(3) A medical emergency.

SECTION 53. Arkansas Code § 20-16-1405(a)(3), concerning exemptions under the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act, is amended to read as follows:

(3) Subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not apply if the pregnancy results from rape under § 5-14-103, rape of a child by forcible compulsion under § 5-14-114, or incest under § 5-26-202.

SECTION 54. Arkansas Code § 20-16-2004(a) and (b), concerning an abortion being limited to 18 weeks' gestation under the Cherish Act, are amended to read as follows:

(a) Except in a medical emergency or if the pregnancy results from a rape under § 5-14-103, rape of a child by forcible compulsion under § 5-14-114, or incest under § 5-26-202, a person shall not perform, induce, or attempt to perform or induce an abortion unless the physician or referring physician has:
(1) Made a determination of the probable gestational age of the unborn human being according to standard medical practices and techniques used in the medical community; and
(2) Documented the probable gestational age in the medical records of the pregnant woman and, if required, in a report with the Department of Health as described in subsection (c) of this section.

(b) Except in a medical emergency or if the pregnancy results from a rape under § 5-14-103, rape of a child by forcible compulsion under § 5-14-114, or incest under § 5-26-202, a person shall not intentionally or knowingly perform, induce, or attempt to perform or induce an abortion of an unborn human being if the probable gestational age of the unborn human being is determined to be greater than eighteen (18) weeks' gestation.

SECTION 55. Arkansas Code § 20-38-105(c)(2)(A)(v), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check under health and safety licensing for a medical services provider, is amended to read as follows:

(v) Rape, § 5-14-103, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion under § 5-14-114;

SECTION 56. Arkansas Code § 21-15-102(f)(14), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check for a position involving direct contact with children and persons with mental illness or a developmental disability, is amended to read as follows:

(14) Rape, as prohibited in § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, as prohibited by § 5-14-114;

SECTION 57. Arkansas Code § 21-15-102(g)(2)(D), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check for a position involving direct contact with children and persons with mental illness or a developmental disability, is amended to read as follows:

(D) Rape, as prohibited in § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, as prohibited by § 5-14-114;
SECTION 58. Arkansas Code § 21-15-103(g)(14), concerning the inclusion of rape as a disqualifying offense for the purposes of a background check for a designated position in a state agency, is amended to read as follows:
   (14) Rape, as prohibited in § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, as prohibited by § 5-14-114;

SECTION 59. Arkansas Code § 21-15-103(h)(2)(D), concerning the inclusion of rape as an offense whose expungement shall not be considered a conviction for the purposes of a background check for a designated position in a state agency, is amended to read as follows:
   (D) Rape, as prohibited in § 5-14-103, or rape of a child by forcible compulsion, as prohibited by § 5-14-114;

SECTION 60. Arkansas Code § 21-15-104(c)(5), concerning the inclusion of rape as an offense that may not be waived for the purposes of a background check by the director of a state agency, is amended to read as follows:
   (5) Rape, § 5-14-103, and rape of a child by forcible compulsion, § 5-14-114;“

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 74 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 74

Amend Senate Bill No. 74 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Amend Senate Bill No. 74 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 6, delete "(2)" and substitute "(2)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 15, and substitute the following:
"indirectly, basic local exchange service Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2)(B) of this section, a government entity may provide."

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "(B)" and substitute "(ii)"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "(C)" and substitute "(iii)"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "(D)" and substitute "(iv)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 21, and substitute the following:
"(v) Wireless telecommunications services. (B) This subdivision (b)(2) does not apply to state agencies as defined in § 25-4-103."

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "(3)" and substitute "(3)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 31, and substitute the following:
"Act of 1997, § 25-4-101 et seq Except as provided in subdivision (b)(3)(B) of this section, a government entity may acquire, construct."

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"
AND
Page 2, line 36, delete "(B)" and substitute "(ii)"

AND
Page 3, line 1, delete "(C)" and substitute "(iii)"

AND
Page 3, line 2, delete "(D)" and substitute "(iv)"

AND
Page 3, delete line 3, and substitute the following:

"(v) Wireless telecommunications services.

(B) This subdivision (b)(3) does not apply to state agencies as defined in § 25-4-103."

AND
Page 3, delete line 17, and substitute the following:

"telecommunications services to the public in the unserved areas.

(6)(A)(i) If a government entity chooses to raise funds through a bond initiative, the government entity shall partner with a private entity to provide services.

(ii) In order to execute the bond initiative under subdivision (b)(6)(A)(i) of this section, there shall be transparency through due notice of a public hearing, a feasibility study including the financial stability of the project, and a majority vote of the citizens of the area financially responsible for the project.

(B) This subdivision (b)(6) does not apply to state agencies as defined in § 25-4-103."

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 74 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 82 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 82

Amend Senate Bill No. 82 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 8 through 12, and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO ESTABLISH THE PROCEDURE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS WHEN A CANDIDATE WITHDRAWS AND FILES FOR A DIFFERENT OFFICE; TO DECLARE AND EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO ESTABLISH THE PROCEDURE FOR DISTRIBUTION OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS WHEN A CANDIDATE WITHDRAWS AND FILES FOR A DIFFERENT OFFICE; AND TO DECLARE AND EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 2, delete line 17, and substitute the following:

"incorporated towns.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that this act alters the campaign finance procedures of candidates for public office; that campaign contributions are being made by the public as an expression of the preference for a candidate for election to public office by the citizens; that these revisions impact the right of the public to actively engage in the political process through the campaign contribution process; and that this act is immediately necessary because the right to participate in the campaign process and election process is a fundamental right of the public and clear knowledge of the use of campaign funds will protect the public peace. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor:
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 107 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

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Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 107

Amend Senate Bill No. 107 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 28, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 74 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 20, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 82, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 107, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 156
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATE PARKS AND TOURISM DIVISIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 156 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 157
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 157 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 158
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION - PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 158 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 159
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES FOR PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; TO ALLOW PRIVATE SCHOOLS TO ESTABLISH AND APPOINT AN INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 159 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 160
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HESTER, B. BALLINGER, RAPERT, J. HENDREN, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, ELLIOTT, J. ENGLISH, C. TUCKER, BLEDSOE, D. SULLIVAN, BECKHAM, D. WALLACE, GILMORE, B. DAVIS, K. HAMMER, HILL, A. CLARK, CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOLOCAUST EDUCATION BE TAUGHT IN ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 160 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 136 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 136 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 137 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 137 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 32 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 32
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A RETAIL LIQUOR PERMIT HOLDER TO DELIVER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO A CONSUMER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 32 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Bledsoe, Dismang, Gilmore, Hester, Rapert, Sample, Stubblefield, Teague.

Total ................................................................. 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Clark, Flippo, Hammer, Rice, Sturch.

Total ................................................................. 6

EXCUSED: Elliott.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18
Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 32 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 76 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 76
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN EXCURSION TRAIN PERMIT; TO AUTHORIZE AN EXCURSION TRAIN PERMIT HOLDER TO SELL AND SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 76 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................24
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Rapert, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Clark, Gilmore, B. Johnson, Rice, Stubblefield, Sturch.
Total ........................................................................................... 7

EXCUSED: Elliott.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 27
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 76 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 161
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL OR A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO OFFER A HUNTING SAFETY COURSE AS PART OF ITS CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 161 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 162
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TERMINATION PERIOD REQUIRED FOR RETIREMENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 162 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 163
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS MILITARY AFFAIRS COUNCIL ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE MILITARY AFFAIRS GRANT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 163 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 35, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 115, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 116, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
MEMBER
SENATE BILL NO. 164  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. 

Senate Bill No. 164 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET. 

SENATE BILL NO. 165  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TERMINATION AND CANCELLATION OF A RESIDENTIAL LEASE UNDER THE ARKANSAS SOLDIERS' AND AIRMEN'S CIVIL RELIEF ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. 

Senate Bill No. 165 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS. 

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED  
SENATE BILL NO. 32  
SENATE BILL NO. 76  

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, January 21, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
January 21, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, Tucker, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Blake Johnson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 6

Amend Senate Bill No. 6 as originally introduced:


AND

Add Representatives Gazaway, M. Berry, Bragg, Breaux, Brooks, Cloud, C. Cooper, Cozart, Crawford, Dotson, Evans, Hillman, Lowery, J. Mayberry, McCollum, McNair, Milligan, Payton, Pilkington, Ray, B. Smith, Tosh, Underwood, Vaught, Wardlaw, Watson as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete “their decisions” and substitute “its decisions”

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete “Plessy v. Ferguson” and substitute “Plessy v. Ferguson,”

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete “human beings” and substitute “human beings,”

AND

Page 2, delete line 15, and substitute the following: “cases mentioned in subdivision (a)(1) of this”

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete “and the child” and substitute “and that the child”

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete “United States” and substitute “United States,”

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete “any abortion” and substitute “any abortion,”
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 19 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 19

Amend Senate Bill No. 19 as originally introduced:

Add Senator T. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "A hospital" and substitute "(a) A hospital"

AND

Page 2, delete line 18, and substitute the following: "visitation privileges consistent with the patient's preferences."
(b) This section does not apply to:
   (1) A patient at the Arkansas State Hospital; or
   (2) A person in the custody of the Department of Human Services.

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 19 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 25 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 25

Amend Senate Bill No. 25 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 25 through 31, and substitute the following:

"(D)(i) A student who has attended a public school licensed early childhood program in a nonresident district for at least the entire school year immediately prior to the school year in which the student intends to enroll in kindergarten may continue attending in the nonresident district.

(ii) A student maintaining enrollment in a nonresident district under subdivision (b)(1)(D)(i) of this section shall:

   (a) Not count against the cap of three percent (3%) of the resident or nonresident district under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section; and

   (b) Submit an application for a transfer as required under § 6-18-1905.

(iii) If a student under subdivision (b)(1)(D)(i) of this section returns to his or her resident district or enrolls in a private or home school,
the:

(a) Transfer granted under subdivision (b)(1)(D)(ii)(b) of this section shall be voided; and
(b) Student shall reapply for a future school choice transfer as required under $ 6-18-1905."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 25 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 125 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 125

Amend Senate Bill No. 125 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 25 and 26, and substitute the following:

"(i) ACT or SAT score, National Merit Finalist, or National Achievement Finalist;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 125 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 155 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 155

Amend Senate Bill No. 155 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 12, delete “2020” and substitute “2021”

AND

Page 4, line 21, delete “2020” and substitute “2021”

AND

Page 6, line 10, delete “2020” and substitute “2021”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 160

Amend Senate Bill No. 160 as originally introduced:

Add Senator T. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Eubanks, Godfrey, Maddox, and Meeks as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 6, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 19, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 19 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 25, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 125, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 160, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 25 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 125 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was
referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 70, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 154, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 37, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 39, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 49, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 58, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 94, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 133, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 87, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 27, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 88, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE-CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 34 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 34
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING COMPENSATION FOR TEACHERS IN THE NATIONAL GUARD
YOUTH CHALLENGE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 34 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 34.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

      (SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 35 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 35
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TUITION BENEFITS FOR SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD; TO ALLOW A TEMPORARY WAIVER OF THE COMPLETION OF THE INITIAL ACTIVE DUTY TRAINING REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 35 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 35.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast..........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 35 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 115 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 115
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCLURE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SUBSTITUTE "ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS" FOR "COLLEGE OF THE OUACHITAS" IN THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 115 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 115. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 115 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 116 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 116
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOMACK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSOLIDATION OF HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY AND ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY; TO AMEND THE NAME OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY; TO ABOLISH THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY; TO AMEND THE COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 116 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 116. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 116, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 116 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 166
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE PUBLIC TO ATTEND HEARINGS CONCERNING CHILD SUPPORT, PATERNITY, AND MATTERS HEARD UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; TO ALLOW THE PUBLIC TO OBTAIN CERTAIN COURT FILES AND RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 166 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 167
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR POST-ADOPTION CONTACT AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 167 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 168
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE EXEMPTIONS OF CERTAIN ENTITIES FROM INSURANCE REGULATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 168 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 169  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING OUTDOOR SALES OF NONALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 169 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.  

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SENATE BILL NO. 170  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE UNLAWFUL DISSEMINATION OF PERSONALLY-IDENTIFYING INFORMATION CONCERNING A MINOR VIA A SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 170 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 171
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEES FOR A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; TO WAIVE FEES FOR MILITARY VETERANS AND ACTIVE UNITED STATES MILITARY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 171 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 172
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RECORDS AND PHOTOGRAPHS KEPT BY THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 172 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 173  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR RICE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE" IN REGARDS TO THE OFFENSE OF UNLAWFUL USE OF AN UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 173 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.  

SENATE BILL NO. 174  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE TERMINATION OF ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF "NORMAL RETIREMENT AGE"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 174 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
SENATE BILL NO. 175  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 175 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 176  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRAGG  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW PHARMACISTS TO TREAT CERTAIN HEALTH CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 176 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION


HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE JANUARY 22 AS THE DAY OF TEARS IN ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF AN OUT-OF-STATE SEX OFFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1057 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAMS; CONCERNING THE INTRASTATE TRANSFER OF A SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM PARTICIPANT TO ANOTHER SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM; TO CREATE A VETERANS TREATMENT SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM; TO CREATE A DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1059 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1107 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, PENZO
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FIRST AND SECOND DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DISTRICT COURT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1119 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE NURSING HOME CONSULTANT PHARMACIST PERMIT AND THE DISEASE STATE MANAGEMENT CREDENTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1174 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1185
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE JUDICIAL OR ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSFER OF AN INMATE TO THE DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; CONCERNING TRANSFER TO THE DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION NOTED ON A COURT'S SENTENCING ORDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1185 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO EXTEND THE TIME PERIOD AUTHORIZED FOR THE REGISTRATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TEMPORARY PREPRINTED PAPER BUYER'S TAGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1028 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING UNLAWFUL IMPAIRMENT OF OR DISRUPTION TO THE OPERATION OF A VITAL PUBLIC FACILITY OR TO ESSENTIAL INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 177 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 30, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 82, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 128, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 145, BY SENATOR BEN GILMORE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 35
SENATE BILL NO. 34
SENATE BILL NO. 115
SENATE BILL NO. 116

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028
HOUSE BILL NO. 1057
HOUSE BILL NO. 1059
HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
HOUSE BILL NO. 1119
HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
HOUSE BILL NO. 1185

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, January 25, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according the Temporary Emergency Rules: Senator Stephanie Flowers

Senator Dismang requested leave for Senator Hammer. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator James Sturch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 21 was withdrawn from the Committee on Public Health, Education & Welfare, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 21

Amend Senate Bill No. 21 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Rye, M. Hodges as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 through 15, and substitute the following:
"(13)(A) "Mill scale and slag" means by-products that are a result of the steel manufacturing process that are managed as items of value in a controlled manner and used in a manner of beneficial reuse.
(B) "Mill scale and slag" does not include by-products that are a result of the steel manufacturing process that would otherwise qualify as hazardous waste or that are determined to be discarded materials."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 5 through 7, and substitute the following:
"(12)(A) "Mill scale and slag" means by-products that are a result of the steel manufacturing process that are managed as items of value in a controlled manner and used in a manner of beneficial reuse.
(B) "Mill scale and slag" does not include by-products that are a result of the steel manufacturing process that would otherwise qualify as hazardous waste or that are determined to be discarded materials."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WALLACE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 21 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 99 was withdrawn from the Committee on Public Health, Education & Welfare, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 99

Amend Senate Bill No. 99 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representative Lundstrum as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "costs;" and substitute "costs; and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 10, and substitute the following:
“(3) Without uniform policies in the state for step therapy protocols, a patient may not receive the equivalent or most appropriate treatment.”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 19, and substitute the following:
"condition or conditions under consideration is a matter of public interest; and
(2) Patients have access to a fair, transparent, and independent"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "or"

AND

Page 3, delete line 22, and substitute the following:
“(viii) A specified disease plan;
(ix) A plan that provides only dental benefits or eye and vision care benefits; or
(x) A program or plan authorized and funded under 42 U.S.C. 1396a et seq. as approved by the United States Secretary of Health and Human Services;”

AND
Page 3, line 23, delete "(5)" and substitute "(5)(A)"

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "(B)" and substitute "(ii)"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "(C)" and substitute "(iii)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 31, and substitute the following:

"maintenance organizations.

(B) "Healthcare insurer" does not include an entity that provides only dental benefits or eye and vision care benefits;"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 13 through 15, and substitute the following:

"(10)(A) "Utilization review organization" means an individual or entity that performs step therapy for at least one (1) of the following:

(i) A healthcare insurer;

(ii) A preferred provider organization or health maintenance organization; or

(iii) Any other individual or entity that provides, offers to provide, or administers hospital, outpatient, medical, or other health benefits to a person treated by a healthcare provider in this state under a policy, health benefit plan, or contract.

(B) A healthcare insurer is a utilization review entity if the healthcare insurer performs step therapy.

(C) "Utilization review organization" does not include an insurer of automobile, homeowners, or casualty and commercial liability insurance or the insurer's employees, agents, or contractors."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 20 through 22, and substitute the following:

"(A) Are developed and endorsed by a multidisciplinary"

AND

Page 4, line 35, delete "(C)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 5, line 1, delete "(D)" and substitute "(C)"

AND

Page 5, line 10, delete "(E)" and substitute "(D)"

AND
Page 5, line 13, delete "subdivision (a)(1)(B)" and substitute "subdivision (a)(1)(A)"
AND
Page 10, line 21, delete “Secretary of the Department of Human Services” and substitute “Insurance Commissioner”
AND
Page 10, line 29, delete “Secretary of the Department of Human Services” and substitute “commissioner”

(SIGNED) CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 142 was withdrawn from the Committee on Education, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 142

Amend Senate Bill No. 142 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Beck, Bragg, Bryant, Deffenbaugh, Evans, D. Ferguson, C. Fite, Holcomb, Hollowell, McGrew, McNair, Milligan, Nicks, Rye, S. Smith, Tollett, Vaught, Watson, Wing, Wooten as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KEITH INGRAM, CHAIRMAN
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1058 was withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1058

Amend House Bill No. 1058 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "all or a part of"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 1, add an additional section to read as follows:
"SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.
This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1058 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 21, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 21 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 142, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1058 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 178
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY APPROVED CLAIMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 178 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 162, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 74 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 74

Amend Senate Bill No. 74 as engrossed, S1/20/21:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 23-17-403(26), concerning the definition of "government entity" under the Telecommunications Regulatory Reform Act of 2013, is amended to read as follows:

(26) "Government entity" includes without limitation all Arkansas state agencies, commissions, boards, authorities, and all Arkansas public educational entities, including school districts, and political subdivisions, including incorporated and unincorporated cities and towns and all institutions, agencies or instrumentalities of municipalities, consolidated utility districts, and county governments;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 23-17-409(b), concerning the authorization of competing local exchange carriers under the Telecommunications Regulatory Reform Act of 2013, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) Except as otherwise provided in subdivisions (b)(2), and (b)(5) and (b)(6) of this section, a government entity may not provide, directly or indirectly, basic local exchange, voice, data, broadband, video, or wireless telecommunications services.

(2) After reasonable notice to the public and a public hearing, a government entity owning an electric utility system or television signal distribution system may provide, directly or indirectly, voice, data, broadband, video, or wireless telecommunications services and make any telecommunications capacity or associated facilities that the government entity now owns, or may construct or acquire, available to the public upon terms and conditions as may be established by the government entity's governing authority, except the government entity may not use the telecommunications capacity or associated facilities to provide, directly or indirectly, basic local exchange service.

(3) Any restriction contained in this subsection shall not be applicable to the provision of telecommunications services to the extent the telecommunications services are used solely for 911, E911, or other emergency and law enforcement services, or for the provision of data, broadband, or non-entertainment video telecommunications services or facilities by or to a medical institution or an institution of higher education to its students, faculty, staff, or patients, as the provision of the telecommunications services or facilities relates to academic, research, and healthcare information technology applications under the Arkansas Information Systems Act of 1997, § 25-4-101 et seq.

(4) This section does not prohibit a government entity from purchasing voice, data, broadband, video, or wireless telecommunications services, directly or indirectly, from a private provider through a
contract administered and services managed by the Division of Information Systems under the Arkansas Information Systems Act of 1997, § 25-4-101 et seq.

(5) After reasonable notice to the public, a A government entity may, on its own or in partnership with a private entity, apply for funding under a program for grants or loans to be used for the construction, acquisition, or leasing of facilities, land, or buildings used to deploy broadband service services in unserved areas, as defined under the terms of the granting or lending program, and if the funding is awarded, then provide, directly or indirectly, voice, data, broadband, video, or wireless telecommunications services to the public in the unserved areas.

(6)(A) A government entity may acquire, construct, furnish, equip, own, operate, sell, convey, lease, rent, let, assign, dispose of, contract for, or otherwise deal in facilities and apparatus for one (1) or more of the following:

(i) Voice services;
(ii) Data services;
(iii) Broadband services;
(iv) Video services; or
(v) Wireless telecommunications services.

(B) If a government entity, other than a government entity qualified to provide services under subdivision (b)(2), subdivision (b)(3), or subdivision (b)(5) of this section, issues bonds or other indebtedness to acquire, construct, furnish, or equip facilities for the provision of voice services, data services, broadband services, video services, or wireless telecommunications services through a special tax or general obligation bond initiative, then the government entity shall:

(i) Partner, contract, or otherwise affiliate with an entity that is experienced in the operation of the facilities to be acquired or constructed;
(ii) Conduct the due diligence required by the industry for the project and required by law for the bonds or indebtedness utilized for the project;
(iii) Provide notice at least ten (10) days before a public hearing on the project;
(iv) After due notice has been provided as described in subdivision (b)(6)(B)(iii) of this section, conduct a public hearing on the project; and
(v) Cause an election to be held as required by law.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that voice, data, broadband, video, and wireless telecommunications services are necessities; that without access to voice, data, broadband, video, and wireless telecommunications services, citizens of Arkansas also lack access to healthcare services, education services, and other essential services; and that this act is immediately necessary to allow government entities to provide high quality voice, data, broadband, video, and wireless telecommunications services to their citizens. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 74 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 27 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 27
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT THE SUICIDE PREVENTION HOTLINE EMPLOYS INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 27 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 27. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 27 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 70 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 70
NINETY-THIRDS GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SPEAKS, L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COUNTY FINANCIAL RECORDS AND THE FINANCIAL OPERATIONS OF A COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 70 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Blake Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on

**Senate Bill No. 70.** Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:** Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

**Senate Bill No. 70** was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 87 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 87
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE CRIMINAL OFFENSES THAT WOULD CAUSE THE DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSURE OF A MASSAGE THERAPIST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 87 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Leding, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 31
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 87 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 88 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 88
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMPOSITION OF THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF HEARING INSTRUMENT DISPENSERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 88 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 88. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.
Total ................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 88 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 100 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 100
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE HIGHER EDUCATION FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING STUDENT ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE POLICIES AND CERTAIN FINANCIAL CONDITION REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 100 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 100. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 175 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 175
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 175 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 175. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 175, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ..................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Hammer.
Total ..................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ..................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 175 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 37 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 37
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, RESEARCH, PROMOTION AND CONSUMER ACTIVITIES FOR THE ARKANSAS CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 37 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Budget Bills with the exception of Senate Bill No. 133.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

EXCUSED: Hammer.

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 37, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................ 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ............................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 37 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 39 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 39
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BEEF COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 39 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 39, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

**AFFIRMATIVE:** Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ...................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ...................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Hammer.

Total ...................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ...................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 39 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 49 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 49
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE MINORITY HEALTH INITIATIVE OF THE TARGETED STATE NEEDS PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 49 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ........................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 49, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 49 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 58 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 58
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - DIVISION OF AERONAUTICS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 58 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 58, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 58 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 94 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 94
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAINTAINING AND OPERATING A CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY CLERKS, CIRCUIT CLERKS, COUNTY TREASURERS, COUNTY COLLECTORS AND COUNTY CORONERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 94 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 94 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 94, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 94 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 133 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 133
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNOR'S LEGISLATIVE LIAISONS DURING THE NINETY-THIRD SESSION OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 133 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 21

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Caldwell, Clark, Garner, Hill, Stubblefield, Sullivan.
Total ................................................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.
Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: English, Gilmore, M. Johnson, Rice, Sample.
Total ................................................................................................. 5
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So Senate Bill No. 133 failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 133, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Flippo,
Flowers, Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Sturch, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................................ 21

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Caldwell, Clark, Garner, Hill, Stubblefield,
Sullivan.
Total ................................................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Hammer.
Total ........................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: English, Gilmore, M. Johnson, Rice, Sample.
Total ........................................................................................................ 5

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Dismang requested Senate Bill No. 133 be placed on the calendar for
January 26, 2021.
SENATE BILL NO. 179
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE MAINTENANCE OF FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT INFORMATION FOR THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF THE 911 EMERGENCY SERVICE SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 179 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 180
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST A UTILITY SERVICE PROVIDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 180 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 181
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALES TAX HOLIDAY; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE SALES TAX HOLIDAY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 181 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 182
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DELINQUENCIES IN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 182 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 183
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAW; TO CHANGE THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS AND CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS OR CARRYOVER FUNDS TO PAY FOR AN ETHICS VIOLATION; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 183 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 184
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS PAWNBROKER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 184 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 185
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 185 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 186  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE AGREEMENT AS APPLICABLE TO ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES WHO MEET CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS; TO IMPROVE HEALTHCARE ACCESSIBILITY IN ARKANSAS BY CLARIFYING THE PROCESS FOR AN ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE TO QUALIFY FOR PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY; TO AMEND THE PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY FOR AN ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 186 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 187  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STUDY OF DISPARITIES IN THE TREATMENT OF MOTHERS AND FATHERS IN CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION CASES; TO REQUIRE A STUDY ON THE IMPACT THAT FALSE REPORTS OF CHILD MALTREATMENT HAVE ON THE PARTIES TO THE CASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 187 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 188
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLLING PLACES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 188 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was returned from the House as concurred in.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 125, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 126, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 130, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 131, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 21, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 84, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002
As Engrossed: H1/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE CONTINUED COLLABORATION AMONG HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS, LAW ENFORCEMENT, EDUCATORS, PUBLIC OFFICIALS, AND THE ARKANSAS COMMUNITY IN BATTLING THE ABUSE OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS IN ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS MUSIC APPRECIATION DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1013 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1025
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TRAINING OF CORONERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1025 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS COUNTY ACCOUNTING LAW OF 1973 TO REQUIRE COUNTIES TO PROVIDE PROOF OF PAYROLL TAX PAYMENT AND RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONTRIBUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1036 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1056
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC PUBLIC MEETINGS DURING A DECLARED STATE EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1056 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1070 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WHEAT PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1073 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1074 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CORN AND GRAIN SORGHUM PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1075 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1079
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1079 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1095
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - HEALTH SERVICES PERMIT AGENCY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1095 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD TO PROMULGATE RULES REGARDING TELEHEALTH AND TELEMEDICINE AND TO ISSUE RESTRICTED LICENSES FOR VETERINARIANS; TO REPLACE REFERENCES TO THE SECRETARY-TREASURER AND THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD WITH THE DIRECTOR OF THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1099 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ANIMAL RESCUE SHELTERS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1126 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1133
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S MANSION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1133 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1216
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE CODIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES; TO REVISE CERTAIN ARKANSAS LAWS CONCERNING ADMINISTRATIVE RULES TO ALLOW FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CODE OF ARKANSAS RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1216 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 189
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ASSESSMENT FEE AND PROGRAM ON MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION PROVIDERS WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 189 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 190
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING CRIMINAL OFFENSES AND VIOLATIONS OF THE LAW FOR WHICH AN AVAILABLE PENALTY IS A DRIVER'S LICENSE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION; TO REMOVE A DRIVER'S LICENSE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION AS AN AVAILABLE PENALTY FOR OFFENSES NOT RELATED TO DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 190 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 191
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE FORMING OPEN AND ROBUST UNIVERSITY MINDS (FORUM) ACT; TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE FORMING OPEN AND ROBUST UNIVERSITY MINDS (FORUM) ACT TO THE FREE THOUGHT IN HIGHER EDUCATION ACT; TO AMEND THE RESTRICTIONS A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION MAY IMPOSE ON FREE EXPRESSION; TO AMEND THE AREAS THAT CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC FORUM FOR MEMBERS OF A CAMPUS COMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 191 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 192
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ POLITICAL FREEDOM ACT OF 1999; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 192 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION OR PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT BY THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND OTHER PUBLIC ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 193 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO ALLOW THE PHOTOGRAPHING OF PUBLIC RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 194 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “PUBLIC RECORDS”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO AMEND THE AWARDING OF ATTORNEYS FEES UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 196 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REFORM THE CIVIL ASSET FORFEITURE PROCESS; CONCERNING PROPERTY USED IN THE COMMISSION OF AN OFFENSE THAT IS SEIZED AND FORFEITED AS A RESULT OF A CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 197 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PATIENT CREDIT PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 198 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PRACTICE OF CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHESIA" BY REMOVING SUPERVISION REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 199 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 27
SENATE BILL NO. 37
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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN/ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1.00 p.m., Tuesday, January 26, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
January 26, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senator could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Chesterfield.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
January 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:00 a.m. delivered it to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3

RECEIVED the above paper from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-sixth day of January, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 23

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 16, and substitute the following:
"(d) Excluding a generation and transmission cooperative as defined in § 23-4-1101, the right of self-regulation and exemption from the jurisdiction"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 60 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 60

Amend Senate Bill No. 60 as originally introduced:

Add Representative L. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 60 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 62 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 62

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Vaught as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 62 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 63 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 63

Amend Senate Bill No. 63 as originally introduced:

Add Representative L. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 63 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 65 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 65

Amend Senate Bill No. 65 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 24 and 25, and substitute the following:

"(a) Before completing preparing a petition to initiate a rulemaking or permitting process for the development of rules or permits implementing a state plan for regulating carbon"
AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "adopting a state plan" and substitute "developing a formal state plan"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "as determined by the Arkansas Public Service Commission" and substitute "as determined by the Arkansas Public Service Commission"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 78 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 78

Amend Senate Bill No. 78 as engrossed: S1/16/21

Page 5, line 29, delete "occupation or profession;" and substitute "occupation or profession, not including occupations or professions within the judicial branch of government or occupations or professions subject to the superintending control of the Supreme Court;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 142 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 142

Amend Senate Bill No. 142 as originally introduced:

Add Representative D. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KEITH INGRAM

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 156 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 156

Amend Senate Bill No. 156 as originally introduced:

Page 15, line 36, delete "and Tourism" and substitute "and Tourism"
AND
Page 16, line 5, delete "and Tourism" and substitute "and Tourism"
Page 16, line 9, delete “and Tourism” and substitute “and Tourism”.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 156 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 158

Amend Senate Bill No. 158 as originally introduced:

Page 19, immediately following SECTION 32 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:

"SECTION 33. SPECIAL LANGUAGE - CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 6-51-303, concerning the administration of multidistrict vocational centers, is amended to read as follows:
(a) The management, maintenance, and operation of a center shall be the responsibility of the local school or institution approved by the State Board of Career Education to be the center.
(b) A center shall be administered in accordance with the guidelines and policies established by the board.
(c) If a county or school district enacted a local tax to fund the construction of the center, the county or school district may use vocational center aid funding for the management, maintenance, and operation of the center."

AND
Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 160

Amend Senate Bill No. 160 as engrossed:

Add Representative Perry as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 169 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 169  

Amend Senate Bill No. 169 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Ray as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 169 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 173 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 173  

Amend Senate Bill No. 173 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-60-103(a)(1), concerning the definition of "critical infrastructure" in regards to the offense of unlawful use of an unmanned aircraft system, is amended to read as follows:

(1) “Critical infrastructure” means:
(A) An electrical power generation or delivery system;
(B) A petroleum refinery;
(C) A chemical or rubber manufacturing facility;
(D) A petroleum or chemical storage facility;
(E) A railroad operating facility; or
(F) A communication tower or facility; and
(G) A food processing or manufacturing facility; or
(H) A correctional or detention facility; and"

ENDORSEMENT:

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

ENDORSEMENT:

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 173 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 174 was withdrawn from the Committee on RETIREMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 174

Amend Senate Bill No. 174 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:

"(A) sixty-five (65) years of age if the member has at least five (5) years of actual service; or"

ENDORSEMENT:

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

ENDORSEMENT:

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 174 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.   60, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.   62, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.   63, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 142, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 160, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 60 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 62 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 63 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, LABOR & WELFARE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 78, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 156, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 158, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 156 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 169, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 169 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 173, BY SENATOR TERRY RICE,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 173 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 174, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 174 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 36, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 42, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 44, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 46, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 47, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 48, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 52, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 53, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 79, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 90, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 91, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 92, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 93, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 96, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 98, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 135, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 157, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 200
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 200 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 201
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 201 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 202
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 202 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF DR. RICHARD ABERNATHY TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS RURAL ENDOWMENT FUND, INC.

Senate Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the calendar.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 21 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 21
As Engrossed: S1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RYE, M. HODGES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXCLUDE MILL SCALE AND SLAG FROM THE DEFINITION OF “SOLID WASTE” IN THE ARKANSAS SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT ACT AND THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RECYCLING FUND ACT; TO ADD A DEFINITION FOR “MILL SCALE AND SLAG”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 21 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 21. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 21 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 74 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 74
As Engrossed: S1/20/21 S1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HILL, B. DAVIS, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVANS, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY REFORM ACT OF 2013; TO ALLOW A
GOVERNMENT ENTITY TO PURCHASE FROM A PRIVATE PROVIDER AND
PROVIDE VOICE, DATA, BROADBAND, VIDEO, OR WIRELESS
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 74 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 74. Motion
carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 74, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..............................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...........24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 74 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 125 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 125
As Engrossed: S1/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 125 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 125. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 125 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 126 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 126
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE APPLICABILITY AND ADDITIONAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 126 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 126. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:                                                                                     0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:                                                                                           0

EXCUSED:                                                                                                           0

VOTING PRESENT:                                                                                                    0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 126 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 84 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 84
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE NOTICE AND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS OF LISTS OF ABANDONED PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 84 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 84. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 84 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 128 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 128
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; TO DELEGATE THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ARKANSAS CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 128 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 128. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..............................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..............................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 128 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 130 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 130
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 1; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 130 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 130. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 130 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 131 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 131
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ARKANSAS CONCURRENT CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 131 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 131. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 131 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 145 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 145
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE COMPACT TO COMPLY WITH CHANGES TO THE NATIONAL STANDARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 145 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 20

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Davis, English, Flippo, Hammer, Hill, Ingram, M. Johnson, Rapert, Sample, Stubblefield, Teague.

Total ................................................................................................................. 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ................................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 145 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
January 26, 2021

Ms. Ann Cornwell  
Director, Arkansas Senate  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol Building, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I support Senate Bill No. 145 by Senator Gilmore. I voted "no" and I was correctly recorded as voting "no". My no vote was only made to reflect Senator Gilmore being the first of the newly elected Senator’s to run a bill. It is customary to give the first bill presented by a newly elected legislator a hard time.” Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly to show my complete support for Senate Bill No. 145.

Sincerely,

Jason Rapert  
State Senator  
District 35  

JR/ac
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 154 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 154
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CREATION AND ASSESSMENT COLLECTION MATTERS OF CERTAIN FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 154 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 154. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 154 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 162 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 162
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TERMINATION PERIOD REQUIRED FOR RETIREMENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 162 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 162. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 162, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 162 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on all Joint Budget bills with the exception of Senate Bill No. 133. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1070 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1070
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1070 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1070, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1070 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1073 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1073
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WHEAT PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1073 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1073, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1073 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1074 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1074
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1074 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1074, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1074 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1075 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CORN AND GRAIN SORGHUM PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1075 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1075, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1075 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1079 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1079
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1079 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1079, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1079 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1095 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1095**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - HEALTH SERVICES PERMIT AGENCY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1095 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1095, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1095 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1126 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1126
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ANIMAL RESCUE SHELTERS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1126 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1126, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1126 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1133 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1133
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR’S MANSION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1133 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1133, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1133 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 133 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 133
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNOR'S LEGISLATIVE LIAISONS DURING THE NINETY-THIRD SESSION OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 133 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 23

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Caldwell, Garner, M. Johnson, Sample, Stubblefield, Sullivan.

Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Clark, Davis, Rice.

Total ................................................................. 4

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill failed.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 133, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Caldwell, Garner, M. Johnson, Sample, Stubblefield, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Bledsoe, Clark, Davis, Rice.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 31

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................... 24

So the emergency clause failed.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 133 failed.  Senator Dismang moved that Senate Bill No. 133 be placed on the calendar for January 27, 2021.
SENATE BILL NO. 203
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE BUSINESS TRANSFER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 203 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 204
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY OF THE BEST PRACTICES FOR REDUCING THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 204 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 205
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO REQUIRE THE REPORTING OF EXPENDITURES, TRANSFERS, AGREED-UPON COMMITMENTS, OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS OF FUNDS FROM THE RAINY DAY FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 205 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 206
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PROVISIONAL POSITIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 206 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 207
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENHANCED TRANSPORTATION FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 207 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 208
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO DEFINE THE TERM "MEETING" UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 208 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 209
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 209 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 210
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 210 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 211
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 211 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 37 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 39 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 49 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 58 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 94 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENEATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 212
NINETEEN-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATORS HAMMER, IRVIN
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PANS/PANDAS ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 212 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, S. MEEKS, DOTSON, PAYTON, LADYMAN,  
B. SMITH, RYE, C. COOPER, RAY, CARR, BRYANT, M. BERRY  
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE  
CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY VESTED IN THE PEOPLE, THE STATES, AND  
THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was read the first time, rules  
suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE  
AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1051  
As Engrossed: H1/21/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS  
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ADVERTISING FOR  
LICENSEES REGULATED UNDER THE PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCY, PRIVATE  
INVESTIGATOR, AND SCHOOL SECURITY LICENSING AND CREDENTIAL ACT;  
TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1051 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the  
second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES &  
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1027
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, PILKINGTON,
EVANS, BENTLEY, F. ALLEN, FERGUSON
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE AND REMOVAL PROCEDURE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY FROM A SELF-SERVICE STORAGE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1027 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1142
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, CAVENAUGH
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RECOGNIZE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION OF LIVESTOCK AND ANIMALS AS A ROUTINE ANIMAL HUSBANDRY PRACTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1142 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1153
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY SERVICES ACT OF 1973 CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1153 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1217
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXTENSION AND REPEAL OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES; TO AMEND THE PROCESS FOR A STATE AGENCY RULE TO EXPIRE UNLESS EXTENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR THE EXPEDITED REPEAL OF RULES THAT DO NOT MEET THE DEFINITION OF A RULE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1217 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 213
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 213 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 214
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 214 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 215
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE
30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 215 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 216
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 216 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 217
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY, CREATE ACCOUNTABILITY AND UNIFORMITY FOR, AND SIMPLIFY ABSENTEE BALLOT PROCESSES; TO ENCOURAGE AND ASSIST LAW ENFORCEMENT INVESTIGATION OF VOTER FRAUD; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 217 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 218
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING NONCRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK REQUESTS SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 218 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 21
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SENATE BILL NO. 125
SENATE BILL NO. 126
SENATE BILL NO. 128
SENATE BILL NO. 130
SENATE BILL NO. 131
SENATE BILL NO. 145
SENATE BILL NO. 154
SENATE BILL NO. 162

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1073
HOUSE BILL NO. 1074
HOUSE BILL NO. 1075
HOUSE BILL NO. 1079
HOUSE BILL NO. 1095
HOUSE BILL NO. 1126
HOUSE BILL NO. 1133
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 37
SENATE BILL NO. 39
SENATE BILL NO. 49
SENATE BILL NO. 58
SENATE BILL NO. 94

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1073
HOUSE BILL NO. 1074
HOUSE BILL NO. 1075
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, January 27, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Pitsch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 172 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 172

Amend Senate Bill No. 172 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Underwood as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 3, delete line 3, and substitute the following:

"(C) Was taken in conjunction with an autopsy.
(4) This section does not:

(A) Deny access to a photograph to an attorney representing an inmate in the custody of the Department of Corrections; or

(B) Prohibit a court from ordering the Department of Corrections to provide a photograph to an inmate upon a showing of reasonable need."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 172 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 172, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Greg Leding, Senate Bill No. 172 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on January 27, 2021, I reviewed and approved as to form the following measure from the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 37, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 39, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 49, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 58, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 94, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:33 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 37
SENATE BILL NO. 39
SENATE BILL NO. 49
SENATE BILL NO. 58
SENATE BILL NO. 94

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-seventh day of January, 2021 at 9:33 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 18, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Voting remotely:  Senator Flowers, Senator Garner

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JIM HENDREN, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 173, BY SENATOR TERRY RICE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Voting remotely:  Senator Flowers, Senator Garner

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAROL DALBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAROL DALBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1059, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAROL DALBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1185, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAROL DALBY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Voting remotely: Senator Flowers, Senator Garner

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Kim Hammer, Senate Resolution No. 2 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR KIM HAMMER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF DR. RICHARD ABERNATHY TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS RURAL ENDOWMENT FUND, INC.
So the Resolution was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Jim Hendren, Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senator Jonathan Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on all Joint Budget Bills with the exception of Senate Bill No. 96 and Senate Bill No. 133. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Jonathan Dismang, Senate Bill No. 36 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 36
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 36 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 36, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 36 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Jonathan Dismang, Senate Bill No. 44 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 44
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 44 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 44, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 44 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Jonathan Dismang, Senate Bill No. 46 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 46
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 46 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 46, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 46 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 47 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 47
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - WORKERS’ COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 47 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 47, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

**Senate Bill No. 47** was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **Senate Bill No. 48** was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD FOR THE

Senate Bill No. 48 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 48, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*Senate Bill No. 48* was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 52 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 52
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MONITORING AND EVALUATING PROGRAM EXPENDITURES FROM THE PROGRAM ACCOUNTS OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM FUND FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - ARKANSAS TOBACCO SETTLEMENT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 52 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 52, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 52 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 53 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 53
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 53 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 53, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 53 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 79 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 79
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - PAROLE BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 79 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 79, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 90 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 90
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 90 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

  Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 90, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 90 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 91 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 91
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 91 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 91, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 91 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 92 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 92
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - ARKANSAS SENTENCING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 92 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 92, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 92 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 93 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 93
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE - OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 93 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 93, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 93 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 98 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 98
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTOR COORDINATOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 98 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 98, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 98 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 135 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 135**
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATORS, THE OFFICIAL COURT REPORTERS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS, JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS AND DRUG COURT JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 135 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 135, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 135 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 144 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 144
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 144 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 144, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: .................................................................

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: .................................................................

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: .................................................................

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: .................................................................

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 157 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 157
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 157 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 157, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 157 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 96 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 96
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AND FUNDS TO ALLEVIATE CONDITIONS ARISING IN PUBLIC EMERGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 96 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.
Senator Sullivan spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 96, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .....................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total .................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Garner gave notice that, within the time prescribed by the rules, he
would move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 96 passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 133 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 133
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNOR'S LEGISLATIVE LIAISONS DURING THE NINETY-THIRD SESSION OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 133 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE: Sullivan.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 133, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:** Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Garner gave notice that, within the time prescribed by the rules, he would move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 133 passed.
Senator B. Johnson moved to Suspend the Operation of Senate Rule 13. By voice vote, the chair ruled the motion carried.

Senator Garner requested a roll call. Five hands were seen. Roll call:

Motion to Suspend the Operation of Senate Rule 13.


    Total ......................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Garner, M. Johnson, Sullivan.

    Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin, Rice, Stubblefield.

    Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:

    Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

    Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the Motion to Suspend ......................... 24

Motion to Suspend the Operation of Senate Rule 13 passed.

Senate Bill No. 96 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senator B. Johnson moved to suspend the application of Senate Rule 13. By voice vote, the chair ruled the motion carried.

Senator Garner requested a roll call. Five hands were seen. Roll call:
Motion to Suspend the Operation of Senate Rule 13


Total .......................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Garner, M. Johnson, Sullivan.

Total .......................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin, Rice, Stubblefield.

Total .......................................................... 3

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the Motion to Suspend ................. 24

Motion to Suspend the Operation of Senate Rule 13 passed.

Senate Bill No. 133 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. RONNIE ROBERTS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS RURAL ENDOWMENT FUND, INC.

Senate Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 219
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - SYSTEM AND VARIOUS DIVISIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 219 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 220
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 220 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 221
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 221 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 222
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 222 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 223
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 223 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 224
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SAU-TECH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 224 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 225
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED FOR THE REGISTRATION OF A HYBRID VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 225 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 226
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT REQUIRING THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO ESTABLISH THE MEDICAL MARIJUANA OVERSIGHT SUBCOMMITTEE TO PERFORM OVERSIGHT FUNCTIONS RELATED TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 226 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 227
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESPECTIVE DUTIES OF THE PAROLE BOARD, THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, AND THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; CONCERNING THE VOTE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PAROLE BOARD TO ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 227 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 228
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO STATUTES GOVERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION AND THE DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 228 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 229
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DUE DATE FOR SEMIANNUAL REPORTS OF BURIAL ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 229 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 230
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VOTING ASSISTANCE FOR VOTERS WITH DISABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 230 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 231
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RETIREMENT BENEFITS; TO PROHIBIT COLLECTION OF BENEFITS BY MEMBERS AND RETIRANTS OF STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS WHO ARE CONVICTED OF CERTAIN FELONY OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 231 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 232
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATORY CONTRIBUTORY MEMBER DESIGNATION FOR EMPLOYEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 232 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
SENATE BILL NO. 233  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE YEARS OF SERVICE REQUIRED FOR VOLUNTARY RETIREMENT AND THE BENEFIT MULTIPLIER UNDER THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 233 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 234  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES S. SMITH, BECK, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, DEFFENBAUGH, MCCLURE, RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RETIREMENT ELIGIBILITY, NONCONTRIBUTORY MEMBERS, MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS, AND THE BENEFIT MULTIPLIER UNDER THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 234 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 72, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 113, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO. 129, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 66, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 71, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 235
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ALTERNATE RETIREMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 235 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 115 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 116 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 162 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 175 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1003
As Engrossed: H1/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND UPDATE THE LAWS REGARDING INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING; TO ENSURE RESPECTFUL LANGUAGE IS USED WITHIN THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING; TO REMOVE FROM THE ARKANSAS CODE THE TERM "HEARING IMPAIRED"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1003 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF EXCESS FOOD IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1009 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, BARKER, M. DAVIS, M. GRAY, VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT FOR A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT; TO CLARIFY THAT CERTAIN APPEARANCE FEES ARE NOT CONSIDERED COMPENSATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING WHETHER A FIRE DEPARTMENT IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT FOR A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1026 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1032
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE INCOME TAX EXEMPTION FOR RETIREMENT AND DISABILITY BENEFITS; TO AMEND THE INCOME TAX ACT OF 1929 TO ALLOW A TAXPAYER RECEIVING MILITARY RETIREMENT OR SURVIVOR BENEFITS TO RECEIVE THE FULL AMOUNT OF THE INCOME TAX EXEMPTION FOR RETIREMENT BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1032 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1033
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY SALES TAX PROVISIONS RELATING TO DIGITAL MAGAZINES AND CAR WASHES; TO REMOVE EXTRANEOUS REFERENCES TO DIGITAL MAGAZINES IN THE SALES TAX LAWS; TO CLARIFY THE EXEMPTION OF A CAR WASH OPERATOR’S SALE OF A CAR WASH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1033 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE WAIVER OF CERTAIN FEES; TO AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO WAIVE THE CERTIFICATE OF INDEBTEDNESS FILING FEES IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1041 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1042
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS SPECIAL EXCISE TAX LEVIED ON LONG-TERM RENTAL VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1042 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1082
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PAYMENT OF CLAIMS TO SURVIVING SPOUSES AND/OR DEPENDENT CHILDREN OF POLICEMEN, FIREMEN, CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND OTHER SPECIFIED STATE EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE OFFICIAL LINE OF DUTY, AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW; PROVIDING FOR PAYMENT OF SMALL CONTROVERSIAL AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL CLAIMS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION; PROVIDING PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1082 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1092
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE BANK DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1092 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1093
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1093 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1094
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1094 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1096
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN Appropriation FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - TOBACCO PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1096 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1103
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1103 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1104
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1104 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1117
NINETY-THRIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE DIVISION OF
CORRECTION INMATE FARM FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1117 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES &
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF THE MATURING BONDS AND INTEREST OF THE COLLEGE SAVINGS AND HIGHER EDUCATION GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND THE STATE WATER, WASTE DISPOSAL, AND POLLUTION ABATEMENT GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1128 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1129
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ASSISTANCE TO LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1129 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF AMENDMENT 74 FUNDS TO COUNTIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1130 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAKING PAYMENTS FOR CITY-COUNTY TOURIST FACILITIES AS REQUIRED BY THE CITY-COUNTY TOURIST MEETING AND ENTERTAINMENT FACILITIES ASSISTANCE LAW BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1132 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1143 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1145
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1145 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1147 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1149
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1149 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1150
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1150 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1151
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SUSPEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL RATING SYSTEM FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR UNDER § 6-15-2105; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1151 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1155
As Engrossed: H1/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO THE RELEASE OF DATA IN THE ARKANSAS CENTRAL CANCER REGISTRY TO QUALIFIED CANCER RESEARCHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1155 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1166
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY - DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1166 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1178
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1178 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1222
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATORS HICKEY, K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSITIONS AND SALARIES OF SUPREME COURT LAW CLERKS AND COURT OF APPEALS LAW CLERKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1222 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO DESIGNATE JANUARY 24-30, 2021, AS
"NATIONAL CRNA WEEK" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and placed on the Calendar.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO.  36
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AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 115
SENATE BILL NO. 116
SENATE BILL NO. 162
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HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1003
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1151
HOUSE BILL NO. 1155
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, January 28, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
January 28, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Eads.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 99 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 99

Amend Senate Bill No. 99 as engrossed as engrossed, S1/25/21

Page 2, delete line 17, and substitute the following:
"developed statement derived from peer-reviewed published medical literature, evidence-based research, and widely accepted medical practice to assist decision-making by healthcare providers and"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 19 through 21, and substitute the following:
"(2) Peer-reviewed published medical literature may be substituted for clinical practice guidelines to establish clinical review criteria if the peer-reviewed published medical literature meets the requirements of subdivisions (a)(1)(B) and (C) of this section, when those requirements apply to the available peer-reviewed published medical literature."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Mark Johnson, Senate Bill No. 117 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 117

Amend Senate Bill No. 117 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Caldwell, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Flippo, Hill, B. Johnson, Rapert, D. Sullivan as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives J. Mayberry, Beaty Jr., Beck, Bentley, M. Berry, Brooks, Hawks, Lowery, Lundstrum as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete line 6, and substitute the following:

"(A)(1) Is solely propelled by one (1) or more electric motors powered by a"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 117 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as originally introduced:

Delete Sections 39 and 40 in their entirety

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Mark Johnson moved to reactivate the operation of Rule 13. Motion carried.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 115, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 116, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 162, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 175, BY SENATE EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:12 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 115
SENATE BILL NO. 116
SENATE BILL NO. 162
SENATE BILL NO. 175

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-eighth day of January, 2021 at 9:15 a.m.

(SIGNED)   ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 117, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Mark Johnson, Senate Bill No. 117 was ordered re-
referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE
AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 148, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 123, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1025, BY REPRESENTATIVE WATSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 236
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAX TREATMENT OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS; TO EXEMPT UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS FROM INCOME TAX DURING A CERTAIN TIME PERIOD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 236 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 237
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO PURCHASE CREDIT FOR SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 237 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF MR. RONNIE ROBERTS TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS RURAL ENDOWMENT FUND, INC.

Senate Resolution No. 3 was placed on third reading and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 18 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.
Amend Senate Bill No. 18 as originally introduced:

Add Senators J. English, M. Johnson, and Rapert as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Brown, Cloud, C. Cooper, Cozart, Crawford, M. Gray, Haak, Hollowell, Magie, and McNair as cosponsors of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 18 at this time.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 18 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

Amend Senate Bill No. 18 as originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Ballinger and D. Sullivan as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representative S. Berry as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 18 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Resolution No. 4 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO DESIGNATE JANUARY 24-30, 2021, AS "NATIONAL CRNA WEEK" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 4 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Resolution No. 4 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 66 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 66

Amend Senate Bill No. 66 as engrossed, S1/19/21:
Add Representatives C. Fite, M. Berry as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 66 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 71 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 71

Amend Senate Bill No. 71 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Vaught as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 71

Amend Senate Bill No. 71 as originally introduced:
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 71 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 72 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 72
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR SCHOOL PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 72 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 72. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:  Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast...........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 72 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 83 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 83
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CONSTRUCTION PROJECT EXEMPTIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO ADD A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO THE STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS THAT ARE EXEMPT FROM CERTAIN STATE LAWS THAT GOVERN THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 83 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 83. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 83 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 129 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 129
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PRIVATE RESIDENT AND CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Bill No. 129 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 129. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 129 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 173 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 173
As Engrossed: S1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE" IN REGARDS TO THE OFFENSE OF UNLAWFUL USE OF AN UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 173 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 173. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 173 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1057 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057
As Engrossed: H1/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF AN OUT-OF-STATE SEX OFFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1057 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1057. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ..............................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..............................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1057 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1058 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058
As Engrossed: S1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT A JUROR TO DONATE HIS OR HER PER DIEM COMPENSATION AND MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT TO AN ELIGIBLE NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1058 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1059 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAMS; CONCERNING THE INTRASTATE TRANSFER OF A SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM PARTICIPANT TO ANOTHER SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM; TO CREATE A VETERANS TREATMENT SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM; TO CREATE A DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1059 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1059. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1059 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, House Bill No. 1185 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1185
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE JUDICIAL OR ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSFER OF AN INMATE TO THE DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; CONCERNING TRANSFER TO THE DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION NOTED ON A COURT’S SENTENCING ORDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1185 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Blake Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1185. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1185 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on all Joint Budget Bills except the following:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1096
HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
HOUSE BILL NO. 1129
HOUSE BILL NO. 1130
HOUSE BILL NO. 1132

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 42 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE AND DISABILITY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 42 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 42, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 42 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1082 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1082
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PAYMENT OF CLAIMS TO SURVIVING SPOUSES AND/OR DEPENDENT CHILDREN OF POLICEMEN, FIREMEN, CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND OTHER SPECIFIED STATE EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE OFFICIAL LINE OF DUTY, AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW; PROVIDING FOR PAYMENT OF SMALL CONTROVERSIAL AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL CLAIMS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION; PROVIDING PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1082 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1082, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1082 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1092 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1092
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE BANK DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1092 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1092, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1092 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1093 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1093
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1093 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1093, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1093 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1094 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1094**  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1094 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1094, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1094 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1143 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1143 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1143, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1143 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1145 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1145
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1145 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1145, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..............................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1145 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1147 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1147 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1147, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1147 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1149 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1149
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1149 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1149, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1149 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang House Bill No. 1150 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1150
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1150 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total .........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1150, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1150 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1166 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1166
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY - DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1166 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEW, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1166, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEW, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1166 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1178 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1178
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1178 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1178, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1178 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1096 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1096
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - TOBACCO PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1096 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Mark Johnson spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27


Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Flippo.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1096, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27


Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Flippo.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1096 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on the following Joint Budget Bills. Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
HOUSE BILL NO. 1129
HOUSE BILL NO. 1130
HOUSE BILL NO. 1132

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1128 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF THE MATURING BONDS AND INTEREST OF THE COLLEGE SAVINGS AND HIGHER EDUCATION GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND THE STATE WATER, WASTE DISPOSAL, AND POLLUTION ABATEMENT GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1128 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total .................................................................1

Total number of votes cast...........................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1128, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total .................................................................1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1128 was ordered immediately returned to the House as
passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1129 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1129
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR ASSISTANCE TO LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EMERGENCY
MEDICAL BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1129 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ..................................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
  Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
  Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
  Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1129, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
  Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
  Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
  Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
  Total ................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1129 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1130 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1130
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF AMENDMENT 74 FUNDS TO COUNTIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1130 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1130, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast........................................................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................................................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1130 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1132
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAKING PAYMENTS FOR CITY-COUNTY TOURIST FACILITIES AS REQUIRED BY THE CITY-COUNTY TOURIST MEETING AND ENTERTAINMENT FACILITIES ASSISTANCE LAW BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1132, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast..............................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1132 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Senate Bill No.  36 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  44 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  46 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  47 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  48 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  52 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  53 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  70 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  74 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  76 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  90 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  91 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  92 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  93 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  96 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  98 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 133 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 135 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 144 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 157 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.   79 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 18, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 66, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 71, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 238
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 238 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 239
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE MINIMUM LEVELS FOR EMPLOYEE BENEFIT STOP-LOSS INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 239 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 240  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLEMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING NONMUNICIPAL DOMESTIC SEWAGE TREATMENT WORKS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 240 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 241  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOLLOWELL, MURDOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF STATE LAND; TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS TO SELL STATE LAND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 241 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 242
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE STATE CAPITOL POLICE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF A STATE ENTITY; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PARTICIPATION IN A STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 242 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS URBAN HOMESTEAD ACT TO PERMIT THE DEVELOPMENT OF SCHOOLS ON LAND DONATED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS WHEN THE LAND IS NOT BEING UTILIZED AS A HOMESTEAD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1113 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SUPERVISION FEE FOR PROBATION AND PAROLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1114 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1156
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE 911 SYSTEM IN ARKANSAS; TO MODIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS IN THE ARKANSAS HIGH COST FUND; TO MODIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS IN THE ARKANSAS 911 RURAL ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1156 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN COUNTY ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS AND FILE MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1183 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR COLLECTION OF SURCHARGES TO FUND THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1201 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1202
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES A. COLLINS, BOYD, CARR, CRAWFORD, DOTSON,
GAZAWAY, GONZALES, VAUGHT, WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAWS; TO
AMEND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTIONS; TO REQUIRE
PUBLICATION OF SAMPLE BALLOTS ON AN INTERNET SITE; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1202 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES &
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1211
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, BARKER, BROWN, CLOUD, EVANS,
FURMAN, GAZAWAY, LUNDSTRUM, MCCLURE, MILLIGAN, PILKINGTON, RAY,
RYE, B. SMITH, UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER,
HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT RELIGIOUS
ORGANIZATIONS ARE PROTECTED DURING AN EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE
AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1211 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE CONSISTENT LANGUAGE FOR ALL STATE ENTITIES, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION STATE DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS, REGARDING THE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT HIRING PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1121 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1229
As Engrossed: H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURE BY WHICH THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS SELLS TAX-DELINQUENT LAND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1229 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS NEW MOTOR VEHICLE QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "MOTOR VEHICLE"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1230 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1262 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 78, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1013, BY REPRESENTATIVE RYE,**
**HOUSE BILL NO. 1051, BY REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS,**
**HOUSE BILL NO. 1056, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE,**
**HOUSE BILL NO. 1216, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,**
**HOUSE BILL NO. 1217, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,**
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 42
SENATE BILL NO. 72
SENATE BILL NO. 83
SENATE BILL NO. 129
SENATE BILL NO. 173

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057
HOUSE BILL NO. 1059
HOUSE BILL NO. 1082
HOUSE BILL NO. 1092
HOUSE BILL NO. 1093
HOUSE BILL NO. 1094
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1149
HOUSE BILL NO. 1150
HOUSE BILL NO. 1166
HOUSE BILL NO. 1178
HOUSE BILL NO. 1185

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO.  36
SENATE BILL NO.  44
SENATE BILL NO.  46
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SENATE BILL NO.  48
SENATE BILL NO.  52
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SENATE BILL NO.  98
SENATE BILL NO. 133
SENATE BILL NO. 135
SENATE BILL NO. 144
SENATE BILL NO. 157

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113
HOUSE BILL NO. 1114
HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
HOUSE BILL NO. 1156
HOUSE BILL NO. 1183
HOUSE BILL NO. 1201
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 1, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:
BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL,
CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS,
ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER,
GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL,
INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING,
PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD,
STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wallace.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 23

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 as engrossed: S1/26/21

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(f)(1) A corporation that becomes self-regulated under this subchapter may resubmit to the jurisdiction of the commission if:

(A) The membership of a corporation requests a return to the jurisdiction of the commission as follows:

(i) The commission receives a petition from at least ten percent (10%) of the corporation's member-consumers, as defined in § 23-4-901, requesting that the corporation return to the jurisdiction of the commission and following the same form and procedures as described in § 23-4-904; and

(ii) The commission orders the corporation to conduct a membership vote regarding returning to the jurisdiction of the commission using the same procedure described in subsection (d) of this section; or

(B) The corporation's board of directors holds a membership vote on the return to the jurisdiction of the commission using the same procedure described in subsection (d) of this section.

(2) After following the procedure in subdivision (f)(1)(A) or subdivision (f)(1)(B) of this section, if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of returning to the jurisdiction of the commission, then the change shall occur no earlier than twelve (12)"

SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 85 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 85

Amend Senate Bill No. 85 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 14, delete "them;" and substitute "them and document in the pregnant woman's medical record that the ultrasound images were displayed to the pregnant woman;"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 32 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) The Department of Health shall quarterly inspect the records to ensure compliance with this section.

(2) The department shall:

(A) Fine a physician or abortion facility:

(i) One thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) for the first violation in a thirty-six-month period;

(ii) Three thousand dollars ($3,000) for the second violation in a thirty-six-month period; and

(iii) Five thousand dollars ($5,000) for the third violation in a thirty-six-month period; and

(B) Suspend the license of an abortion facility for six (6) months for the fourth violation in a thirty-six-month period."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 28, and substitute the following:

"(e)(1) This section does not:"

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete "(f)(1)(B)(ii)" and substitute "(e)(1)(B)(ii)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 161 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 161

Amend Senate Bill No. 161 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Gonzales, Wardlaw as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "(a)(1)" and substitute "(a)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 32, and substitute the following:
"course as part of the public school's or public school district's physical education and health and safety curriculum.
(b) A hunting safety course offered as part of the physical education and health and safety curriculum by a public school or public school district shall:"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 172 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 172

Amend Senate Bill No. 172 as engrossed, S1/27/21:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 34, and substitute the following:

"(ii) However, the laboratory shall grant access to records pertaining to a defendant's criminal case to the following persons:

(a) The defendant;
(b) The public defender or other attorney of record for the defendant; and
(c) The prosecuting attorney or deputy prosecuting attorney having jurisdiction over the criminal case; and
(d) The Attorney General or his or her designee."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 172 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 194 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 194

Amend Senate Bill No. 194 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Milligan as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 195 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Womack as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 196 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 196 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Milligan as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 208

Amend Senate Bill No. 208 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Womack as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 227 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 227

Amend Senate Bill No. 227 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 1 in its entirety

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 227 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 as engrossed, H1/21/21:

Page 1, delete line 30, and substitute the following:
“Arkansas as a result of all types of drug overdoses; and

WHEREAS, individuals with disabilities are substantially more likely to suffer from substance abuse disorders at two to four (2-4) times the rate of the general population and are also less likely to receive treatment for their substance abuse; and”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was ordered engrossed.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 85, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 161, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 172, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 195, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 227, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 172 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 227 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002,
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 36, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 44, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 46, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 47, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 48, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 52, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 53, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 70, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 76, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO. 79, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 90, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 91, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 92, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 93, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 96, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 98, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 133, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 135, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 157, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:35 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS
SENATE BILL NO.  36
SENATE BILL NO.  44
SENATE BILL NO.  46
RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this first day of
February, 2021 at 9:35 a.m.

(SIGNED)  ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED)  CALEB STANTON, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to
whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  47
SENATE BILL NO.  48
SENATE BILL NO.  52
SENATE BILL NO.  53
SENATE BILL NO.  70
SENATE BILL NO.  74
SENATE BILL NO.  76
SENATE BILL NO.  79
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SENATE BILL NO.  98
SENATE BILL NO. 133
SENATE BILL NO. 135
SENATE BILL NO. 144
SENATE BILL NO. 157
SENATE BILL NO. 4, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 7, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1,
BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 243
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INTERLOCAL COOPERATION CONCERNING THE HEALTH INSURANCE OF RETIRED EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 243 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 244
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE SALES TAX TREATMENT OF CERTAIN PURCHASES BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS" FOR PURPOSES OF THE SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS PURCHASED BY A SCHOOL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 244 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 245
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS UNIFORM COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE ACT; TO DISQUALIFY A DRIVER CONVICTED OF A FELONY INVOLVING A SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 245 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 246
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND HYBRID VEHICLES; TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION TO THE REQUIREMENT THAT AN ADDITIONAL FEE BE PAID FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND HYBRID VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 246 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 247
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION OF THE OFFENSE OF RACING A VEHICLE ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 247 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 248
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FOOD FREEDOM ACT; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN PRODUCERS OF HOMEMADE FOOD OR DRINK PRODUCTS FROM LICENSURE, CERTIFICATION, AND INSPECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 248 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. CHESTERFIELD, ELLIOTT, S. FLOWERS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVE, M. HODGES, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY
MONTH DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2021.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended,
read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 18 was called up for third reading
and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 18
As Engrossed: S1/28/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT,
B. BALLINGER, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, LOWERY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 18 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flowers spoke against the bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the bill
Senator B. Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator Clark closed for his bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 31

NEGATIVE:  Flowers, Hickey.

Total .......................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Sample.

Total .......................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Dismang.

Total .......................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 18 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 20 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 20
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VACANCY, SUSPENSION, AND REMOVAL PROCEDURES FOR COUNTY ELECTIVE, COUNTY QUORUM COURT DISTRICT, AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 20 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 20. Motion carried

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 66 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 66
As Engrossed: 1/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING TUITION BENEFITS FOR SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD; TO ALLOW THE TUITION-FREE BENEFIT FOR SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD TO APPLY TO PROGRAMS OF STUDY IN WHICH THE COURSES ARE TAKEN EXCLUSIVELY ONLINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 66 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 66. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 66 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 71 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 71
As Engrossed: S1/28/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ETHICAL VIOLATIONS APPLICABLE TO EDUCATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 71 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 71. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0
The bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 71 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 78 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 78
As Engrossed: S1/19/21 S1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS R. HILL, D. WALLACE, T. GARNER, IRVIN,
J. HENDREN, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LYNCH, COZART, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING OF UNIFORMED SERVICE MEMBERS, VETERANS, AND SPOUSES ACT OF 2021; TO MODIFY THE AUTOMATIC OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR UNIFORMED SERVICES MEMBERS, RETURNING UNIFORMED SERVICES VETERANS, AND THEIR SPOUSES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 78 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 78. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANNE CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 78, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0
EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................0
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 123 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 123
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC RECORDING COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 123 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 123. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 123 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 148 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 148  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW RELATED TO THE RECORDING OF COORDINATES BASED ON THE ARKANSAS COORDINATE SYSTEM 1983; TO REPEAL THE PROXIMITY-TO-STATION REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 148 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 148. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 148 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1025 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1025
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TRAINING OF CORONERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1025 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1025. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1025, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1025 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1051 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1051
As Engrossed: H1/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ADVERTISING FOR LICENSEES REGULATED UNDER THE PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCY, PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR, AND SCHOOL SECURITY LICENSING AND CREDENTIAL ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1051 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1051. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1051, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1051 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1056 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1056
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC PUBLIC MEETINGS DURING A DECLARED STATE EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1056 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Garner.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1056, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Garner.

Total .........................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast ...................................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1056 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Alan Clark, House Bill No. 1058 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1216 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1216
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE CODIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES; TO REVISE CERTAIN ARKANSAS LAWS CONCERNING ADMINISTRATIVE RULES TO ALLOW FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CODE OF ARKANSAS RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1216 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1216. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1216 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1217 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1217
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXTENSION AND REPEAL OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES; TO AMEND THE PROCESS FOR A STATE AGENCY RULE TO EXPIRE UNLESS EXTENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR THE EXPEDITED REPEAL OF RULES THAT DO NOT MEET THE DEFINITION OF A RULE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1217 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1217. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1217 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 38 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 38

Amend Senate Bill No. 38 as originally introduced:

On page 9, immediately following SECTION 11, insert the following SECTION:

"SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION - VETERANS MENTAL HEALTH GRANT PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for a grant program to veterans service organizations to support veterans and their families by the Department of Human Services - Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services for the fiscal year ending July 30, 2022, the following:

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AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 156 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 156

Amend Senate Bill No. 156 as engrossed:

Page 15, line 26, delete “State Parks and Tourism” and substitute “Parks and Tourism”.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
CHAIRMAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 156 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 205 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

Senate Bill No. 205 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 205. Motion carried,

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, M. Johnson.
Total .................................................................2
Total number of votes cast........................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 205, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, M. Johnson.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast........................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...............................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
SENATE BILL NO. 249
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING TORNADO SAFETY DRILLS; TO REQUIRE EARTHQUAKE SAFETY DRILLS IN CERTAIN AREAS; TO TRANSFER THE REQUIREMENT TO CONDUCT TORNADO SAFETY DRILLS FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 249 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 250
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 19 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING MOTOR VEHICLE RESTRICTIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 250 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 251
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT WAIVERS; TO AMEND
PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC CHARTER
SCHOOL CHARTERS, ENROLLMENT, AUTHORIZATION, AND FACILITY
FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 251 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 252
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE LOCATION OF
OFFICES ESTABLISHED OR MAINTAINED BY THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; TO PROHIBIT THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FROM ESTABLISHING OR MAINTAINING AN
OFFICE IN CHINA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 252 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION: TO COMMEND THE WORK OF MR. JOE WILSON
AND OTHER SUPPORTERS AND TO SUPPORT STEAKS FOR SHEEPDOGS.

Senate Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered immediately returned from
the house as passed.

Senate Bill No. 100 was returned from the House as passed and ordered
enrolled.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR SALES OF CERTAIN AIRCRAFT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1010 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ELECTRONIC FILING OF INCOME TAX RETURNS BY TAX PRACTITIONERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAX PRACTITIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1031 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1100
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INDIVIDUALS LISTED AS MANDATED REPORTERS UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1100 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
As Engrossed: H1/21/21 H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DEPOSIT OF FUNDS BY THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1109 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE WEIGHT THRESHOLD FOR COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1115 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRISON CONSTRUCTION TRUST FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1158 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE EVERY MOM MATTERS ACT; TO PROVIDE HEALTHCARE SUPPORT TO PREGNANT WOMEN IN ARKANSAS; TO STABILIZE FAMILIES AND REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ABORTIONS PERFORMED IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FORGIVENESS OF STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM; TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1200 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1227
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, BOYD, M. GRAY, LUNDSTRUM,
MCCOLLUM, UNDERWOOD, WARREN
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER,
B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM WAGE
ACT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO AMEND THE SECTION REGARDING
RELIEF FROM LIABILITY FOR EMPLOYERS; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE
MINIMUM WAGE ACT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS IMPACTING THE LAW
RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 5 OF 2018; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1227 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE &
LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 156, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, SENATE Bill No. 156 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:33 p.m. delivered it to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 100

RECEIVED the above paper from the Secretary of the Senate this first day of February, 2021 at 3:33 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 189, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 212, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1174, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE-CHAIRMAN
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 1, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

   Senate Bill No. 116 - ACT 18
   Senate Bill No. 115 - ACT 19

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 18
SENATE BILL NO. 20
SENATE BILL NO. 66
SENATE BILL NO. 71
SENATE BILL NO. 78
SENATE BILL NO. 123
SENATE BILL NO. 148
SENATE BILL NO. 205

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1025
HOUSE BILL NO. 1051
HOUSE BILL NO. 1056
HOUSE BILL NO. 1216
HOUSE BILL NO. 1217

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 100

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1010
HOUSE BILL NO. 1031
HOUSE BILL NO. 1100
HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 2, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:05 p.m. o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Ingram.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 11 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 11

Amend Senate Bill No. 11 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"the meeting.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 23-48-320(c) and (d), concerning voting at a shareholders’ meeting of a state bank, are amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) A stockholder may vote in person, or by written proxy, or by means of remote communication according to subdivision (c)(3) of this section.

(2) No proxy shall be valid after eleven (11) months from the date of its execution unless otherwise provided in the proxy, but a proxy may be of indefinite duration if coupled with an interest.

(3) A stockholder participating in a meeting of stockholders by means of remote communication as provided in § 23-48-326(c) shall be deemed present and is entitled to vote at the meeting if the state bank has implemented reasonable measures to:

(A) Verify that each person participating remotely is a stockholder; and

(B) Provide each stockholder participating remotely with a reasonable opportunity to participate in the meeting, including an opportunity to vote on matters submitted to the stockholders.

(d)(1) For a state bank chartered on or before May 30, 1997, the shareholders of the state bank shall have cumulative voting privileges in the election of directors unless the articles of incorporation of the state bank otherwise provide.

(2) For a state bank chartered after May 30, 1997, there shall be no cumulative voting privilege unless the state bank's articles of incorporation so provide."

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete “Arkansas corporations” and substitute “Arkansas corporations and banks”

AND

Page 4, delete line 16, and substitute the following:
"uncertainty for Arkansas corporations and banks and allow a corporation or bank to continue to"

AND
Page 4, line 18, delete "corporations with" and substitute "corporations and banks with"

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 11 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 136 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 136

Amend Senate Bill No. 136 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, delete "generally"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 33 and 34, and substitute the following: "Commission may take into consideration various factors, including without limitation;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
MEMBER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 136 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 137 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 137

Amend Senate Bill No. 137 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 26, and substitute the following:

"(4)(A) "Utility service" means a service:

(i) Provided by a utility regulated by the Arkansas Public Service Commission under § 23-4-201; and

(ii) That is related to:

(a) The generation, production, transmission, or distribution of electricity:

(1) To or for the public;
(2) For compensation; and
(3) For lighting, heat, power, cooking, or any similar use; or

(b) The production, manufacture, storage, distribution, sale, or furnishing of natural, renewable, or manufactured gas or a mixture of gases:

(1) To or for the public;
(2) For compensation; and
(3) For lighting, heat, power, cooking, or any similar use.

(B) "Utility service" includes services provided by a Liquefied Petroleum Gas Board-permitted propane gas provider:

(i) To or for the public;
(ii) For compensation; and
(iii) For lighting, heat, power, cooking, or any similar use."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, MEMBER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 137 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 11, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 136, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 137, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 11 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 136 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 137 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

February 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1230, by Representative Richmond,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson
Chairman

Senate Bill No. 253
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
By: Senator Beckham
By: Representative Lynch

A bill for an Act to be Entitled: An Act to Amend the Sales Tax Treatment of Utilities Used for Certain Qualifying Agricultural Structures; To Define the Term “Agriculture”; and for Other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 253 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on Revenue & Taxation.
SENATE BILL NO. 254
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, IRVIN, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, A. CLARK,
 HESTER, M. JOHNSON, RICE, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT BUSINESSES ARE NOT PENALIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE BEHAVIOR OF PATRONS OR CUSTOMERS DURING THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 254 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 255
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH RECOVERY OF DAMAGES FOR NECESSARY MEDICAL CARE, TREATMENT, OR SERVICES RENDERED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 255 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 256
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE SUBPOENA BY THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE IN AN INVESTIGATION CONCERNING AN INTERNET CRIME AGAINST A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 256 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THAT THE ARKANSAS STATE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATOR HOLD A REFERENDUM TO DETERMINE WHETHER A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DESIRE FULL SOCIAL SECURITY COVERAGE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. CHESTERFIELD, ELLIOTT, S. FLOWERS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVE, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY MONTH DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2021.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 4 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISABILITY RETIREMENT, EMPLOYER ACCUMULATION ACCOUNTS, AND EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 4 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 4. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 4, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 4 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 7 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLANS AND INTERNAL REVENUE CODE-QUALIFIED PLANS OF FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUNDS AND POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 7 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 7. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 7, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 7 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 189 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 189
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ASSESSMENT FEE AND PROGRAM ON MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION PROVIDERS WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 189 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 189. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Clark, Flowers, B. Johnson, Sullivan.
Total ........................................................................................... 5
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 189, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ....................................................................................................30

NEGATIVE:

Total ....................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ....................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Clark, Flowers, B. Johnson, Sullivan.

Total ....................................................................................................5

Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 189 held in Chamber.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 212 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 212
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PANS/PANDAS ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 212 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 212. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 212, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..............................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 212 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1013 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS MUSIC APPRECIATION DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1013 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1013. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: .....................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: .......................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1013 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1174 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE NURSING HOME CONSULTANT PHARMACIST PERMIT AND THE DISEASE STATE MANAGEMENT CREDENTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1174 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1174. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .............................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1174 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1107 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1107 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on *House Bill No. 1107*. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Irvin, Rice.

Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*House Bill No. 1107* was returned to the House as passed.
SENATE BILL NO. 257  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TIME FOR COMPLETING AN INVESTIGATION OF SUSPECTED ADULT MALTREATMENT OR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 257 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.  

SENATE BILL NO. 258  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONMANDATORY MULTIYEAR REGISTRATION AND LICENSING BY THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 258 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 259  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT HEATING, VENTILATION, AIR CONDITIONING, AND REFRIGERATION INSPECTORS; TO CORRECT REFERENCES TO THE APPROPRIATE CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 259 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 260  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, LADYMAN  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF AN EXPERIENCE MODIFICATION FACTOR IN CERTAIN CONTRACTS AND PROCUREMENTS; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 260 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 261
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF THREE-WHEELED, FOUR-WHEELED, AND SIX-WHEELED ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES; TO REQUIRE VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER VERIFICATION PRIOR TO SALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 261 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 262
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EAVES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LICENSING OF OPERATORS OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES; TO CLARIFY THE NUMBER, QUALIFICATIONS, AND TERMS OF LICENSING COMMITTEE MEMBERS; TO ALLOW FOR BIENNIAL LICENSE RENEWAL; TO ADDRESS RECIPROCITY FOR LICENSED OUT-OF-STATE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY OPERATORS WHO MOVE TO ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 262 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Senate Bill No. 128 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 145 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1022
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WHEN LIGHTED LAMPS ARE REQUIRED ON CERTAIN TYPES OF VEHICLES AND VESSELS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1022 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112
As Engrossed: H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, BEATY, JR., ET AL
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VOTER IDENTIFICATION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VERIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL BALLOTS; TO AMEND AMENDMENT 51 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1112 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1180
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY A PROCESS OF REVIEW OF RULES REGARDING SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1180 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DRAWING OF A PERSON'S BLOOD WHEN A PERSON WAS OPERATING OR IN ACTUAL PHYSICAL CONTROL OF A MOTORBOAT OR MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1184 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY ORGANIZATION, STAFFING, AND PERSONNEL MATTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1197 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE PLANT BOARD; TO REQUIRE ORGANIZATIONS TO SUBMIT NAMES OF POTENTIAL MEMBERS TO THE GOVERNOR FOR APPOINTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1210 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY SERVICES ACT OF 1973 CONCERNING FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1214 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 128, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 145, BY SENATOR BEN GILMORE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:36 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 128
SENATE BILL NO. 145

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this second day of February, 2021 at 2:36 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 118, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 119, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 172, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 227, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 228, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1121, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1211, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1262, BY REPRESENTATIVE WATSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 263
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FURMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ATTACHMENT OF SIGNS TO UTILITY POLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 263 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE GOVERNOR TO SUBMIT A STATE PLAN AMENDMENT TO THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO COVERAGE FOR MIGRANT MEN, WOMEN, AND CHILDREN FROM THE COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION ISLANDS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 4
SENATE BILL NO. 7
SENATE BILL NO. 212

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013
HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
HOUSE BILL NO. 1174

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 128
SENATE BILL NO. 145

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1022
HOUSE BILL NO. 1112
HOUSE BILL NO. 1180
HOUSE BILL NO. 1184
HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
HOUSE BILL NO. 1210
HOUSE BILL NO. 1214
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, February 3, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas  
February 3, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Tucker.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 155 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 155

Amend Senate Bill No. 155 as engrossed, S1/21/21:

Add Representatives Cloud, Ladyman, Scott, Haak, Vaught as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1155 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1155

Amend House Bill No. 1155 as engrossed, H1/19/21:

Page 1, line 24, delete "Information" and substitute "(a) Information"

AND

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:
"approved by the State Board of Health by a qualified researcher.
(b) As used in this section, "qualified researcher" means a researcher from a recognized institution, including without limitation an academic, state or federal government, or nonprofit nongovernmental institution, and who is adequately trained about conditions where names and identities of individuals are appropriately protected while conducting research for the purposes of cancer prevention, control, and treatment."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WALLACE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1155 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 217 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 217

Amend Senate Bill No. 217 as originally introduced:

Page 7, delete lines 8 through 36, and substitute the following:

"SECTION. 6. Arkansas Code § 7-5-411(a)(2) and (3), concerning methods of voting by absentee ballot, are amended to read as follows:
(2) By delivery of the ballot to the county clerk of the county of residence of the voter not later than 7:30 p.m. on election day by the voter or the designated bearer, administrator, or the authorized agent of the absentee voter who is medically unable to vote at the regular polling site, upon proper verification of the signature of the voter by the county clerk and validation of the identity of the authorized agent;
(3) The voter may deliver the ballot to the county clerk of the county of his or her residence not later than the close of regular business hours on the day before the election."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 1 through 18

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 189 was transmitted to the House.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 2, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 162 - ACT 20
- Senate Bill No. 157 - ACT 21
- Senate Bill No. 144 - ACT 22
- Senate Bill No. 133 - ACT 24
- Senate Bill No. 135 - ACT 23
- Senate Bill No. 98 - ACT 25
- Senate Bill No. 96 - ACT 26
- Senate Bill No. 93 - ACT 27
- Senate Bill No. 92 - ACT 28
- Senate Bill No. 91 - ACT 29
- Senate Bill No. 79 - ACT 30
- Senate Bill No. 53 - ACT 31
- Senate Bill No. 52 - ACT 32
- Senate Bill No. 48 - ACT 33
- Senate Bill No. 47 - ACT 34
- Senate Bill No. 46 - ACT 35
- Senate Bill No. 44 - ACT 36
- Senate Bill No. 36 - ACT 37
- Senate Bill No. 90 - ACT 38

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1155, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1155 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

AR KANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 109, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
Senate Bill No. 201, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
Senate Bill No. 202, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
Senate Bill No. 209, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
Senate Bill No. 210, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
Senate Bill No. 222, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
Senate Bill No. 223, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Participated virtually: Senator Flowers

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1119, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
House Bill No. 1222, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JIM HENDREN, MEMBER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1100, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 236, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

February 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Revenue & Taxation, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1109, by Representative Eubanks,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Bill Sample, Chairman

Proposed Senate Rule

To require that all proposed amendments to Senate Rule 24 (Senate Code of Ethics) be referred to the Senate Ethics Committee for review before considered by the Senate.

Senate Rule 24 is hereby amended by adding as additional section that shall read as follows:

"Any proposed amendments to Senate Rule 24 (Senate Code of Ethics) shall first be referred to the Senate Ethics Committee. The Ethics Committee shall review any amendments to Rule 24 and report the Committee's recommendation to the full Senate for consideration."
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on RULES, RESOLUTIONS & MEMORIALS, to whom was referred:

PROPOSED SENATE ETHICS RULE, BY SENATE ETHICS COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)        SENATOR LANCE EADS, CHAIRMAN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT A MUNICIPALITY MAY INCUR SHORT-TERM FINANCING OBLIGATIONS MATURING OVER A PERIOD OF, OR HAVING A TERM, NOT TO EXCEED TEN (10) YEARS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING FIRE TRUCKS.

Subtitle

A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROVIDING THAT A MUNICIPALITY MAY INCUR SHORT-TERM FINANCING OBLIGATIONS MATURING OVER A PERIOD OF, OR HAVING A TERM, NOT TO EXCEED TEN (10) YEARS FOR THE
PURPOSE OF ACQUIRING FIRE TRUCKS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 78, § 2, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2. [Short-term financing obligations].
(a) For the purpose of acquiring, constructing, installing or renting real property or tangible personal property having an expected useful life of more than one (1) year, municipalities and counties may incur short-term financing obligations maturing over a period of, or having a term, not to exceed five (5) years. However, for the purpose of acquiring fire trucks, municipalities may incur short-term financing obligations maturing over a period of, or having a term, not to exceed ten (10) years. Such obligations may bear interest. The aggregate principal amount of short-term financing obligations incurred by a municipality or a county pursuant to this section shall not exceed five percent (5%) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the municipality or two and one half percent (2.5%) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the county, as determined by the last tax assessment completed before the last obligation was incurred by the city or county. The total annual principal and interest payments in each fiscal year on all outstanding obligations of a municipality or a county pursuant to this section shall be charged against and paid from the general revenues for such fiscal year, which may include road fund revenues. Tax revenues earmarked for solid waste disposal purposes may be used to pay printing and other costs associated with bonds issued under this amendment for solid waste disposal purposes.

(b) As used here:


(4) “Short-term financing obligation” means a debt, a note, an installment purchase agreement, a lease, a lease-purchase contract, or any other similar agreement, whether secured or unsecured; provided, that the obligation shall mature over a period of, or have a term, not to exceed five (5) years.

(2) Repealed.

(c) The provisions of this section shall be self-executing.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment Providing That a Municipality May Incur Short-Term Financing Obligations Maturing Over a Period of, or Having a Term, Not to Exceed Ten (10) Years for the Purpose of Acquiring Fire Trucks".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 264
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT RENAMING THE CORRECTIONAL SCHOOL SYSTEM OPERATED BY THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION THE "ARKANSAS CORRECTIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 264 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 265
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REORGANIZE THE RIVERSIDE VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL SCHOOL INTO THE CORRECTIONS SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 265 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 266
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 266 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 267
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 267 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 268
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 268 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 269
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 269 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 270
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR AASIS MODERNIZATION IMPLEMENTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 270 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 271
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 271 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 272
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 272 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 273
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 273 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 274
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 274 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 275
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 275 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 276
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 276 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Resolution No. 5 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND THE WORK OF MR. JOE WILSON AND OTHER SUPPORTERS AND TO SUPPORT STEAKS FOR SHEEPDOGS.

Senate Resolution No. 5 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 99 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 99
As Engrossed: S1/25/21 S1/28/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE, D. WALLACE, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 99 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 99. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 118 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 118
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH EXTRA HELP POSITIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION INTERNSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 118 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 118. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 118, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 118 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 119
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE POLICY ACT; TO AMEND THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 119 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 119. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 119 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 172 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 172
As Engrossed: S1/27/21 S2/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HUDSON, UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RECORDS AND PHOTOGRAPHS KEPT BY THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 172 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 172. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 172, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..............................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 172 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 227 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 227
As Engrossed: S2/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESPECTIVE DUTIES OF THE PAROLE BOARD, THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, AND THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; CONCERNING THE VOTE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PAROLE BOARD TO ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 227 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 227. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 227 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 228 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO STATUTES GOVERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION AND THE DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 228 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 228. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 228 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Senate Bill No. 155 on the same day.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 155 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 155
As Engrossed: S1/21/21 S2/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON, CLOUD, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH LILA’S LAW; TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES REGARDING ACCESS TO ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION; TO REQUIRE COVERED ENTITIES TO MAKE REASONABLE MODIFICATIONS TO POLICIES, PRACTICES, AND PROCEDURES; TO PROVIDE AUXILIARY AIDS AND SERVICES DURING THE ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION PROCESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 155 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1121 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE CONSISTENT LANGUAGE FOR ALL STATE ENTITIES, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION STATE DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS, REGARDING THE EQUAL EMPLOYMENT HIRING PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1121 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1121. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1121 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1211 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1211
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, BARKER, BROWN, ET AL
BY:  SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER,
HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS ARE PROTECTED DURING AN EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1211 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator Clark spoke for the bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the bill.
Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1211. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 31

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total .................................................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1211, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 31
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 4

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1211 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, House Bill No. 1230 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1230
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS NEW MOTOR VEHICLE QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "MOTOR VEHICLE"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1230 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1230. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1230 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 243 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 21 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 34 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 35 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 125 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 126 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 130 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 131 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 277
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 277 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 278
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 278 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 279
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 279 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 280
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 280 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 281
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REPRESENTATION OF A CORPORATE OR BUSINESS ENTITY IN A CLAIM OR ACTION FILED WITH THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 281 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 282
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CONSOLIDATED WATERWORKS SYSTEMS; TO AMEND THE GENERAL POWERS OF A PUBLIC BODY; TO AUTHORIZE FINANCING IMPROVEMENTS WITH REVENUE BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 282 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 283
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIST OF MUSICIANS INCLUDED IN ARKANSAS MUSIC APPRECIATION DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 283 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 284
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF CAPITAL RAPE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 284 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053
As Engrossed: H2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DIRECTOR OF THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION; TO ALLOW THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO APPOINT THE DIRECTOR OF THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION AND TO STATE THAT THE APPOINTEE MEETS THE LEGAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE POSITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1053 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1068
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO SPECIFY THAT THE HOME OF A PATIENT MAY BE AN ORIGINATING SITE FOR TELEMEDICINE AND THAT GROUP MEETINGS MAY BE PERFORMED VIA TELEMEDICINE; TO CLARIFY REIMBURSEMENT OF TELEMEDICINE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1068 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1101
As Engrossed: H1/27/21 H2/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS’ MEETINGS; TO AMEND THE AMOUNT OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED TO PETITION A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1101 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERS OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; TO REQUIRE ADDITIONAL TRAINING ON INFORMATION REGARDING SCHOOL SAFETY AND STUDENT DISCIPLINE; TO STANDARDIZE THE FORMAT OF THE REQUIRED REPORT REGARDING TRAINING REQUIREMENTS; TO INCREASE THE TIME BY WHICH A SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER MAY CURE A TRAINING HOUR DEFICIENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1102 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; CONCERNING THE NONCHARGE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR CERTAIN UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1212 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, EDUCATION & WELFARE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A DRIVER'S LICENSE OR AN IDENTIFICATION CARD WITHOUT A PHOTOGRAPH IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1244 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A COUNTY TO AUTHORIZE THE OPERATION OF GOLF CARTS ON CERTAIN COUNTY ROADS BY ORDINANCE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1269 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOLCOMB, L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TIMELINE FOR EMBALMING A DEAD BODY IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1322 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1003, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITZ,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1195, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1227, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 77, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 114, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE -CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1104, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1151, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 285
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 285 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 286
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 286 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 287
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIPS; TO AMEND THE SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS TO ALLOW CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CERTAIN SCHOLARSHIPS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 287 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 21, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 35, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 125, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 126, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 130, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 131, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 4:10 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO.  21
SENATE BILL NO.  34
SENATE BILL NO.  35
SENATE BILL NO. 125
SENATE BILL NO. 126
SENATE BILL NO. 130
SENATE BILL NO. 131

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this third day of February, 2021 at 4:10 p.m.

(SIGNED)   ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) CALEB STANTON, SECRETARY

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO.  99
SENATE BILL NO. 118
SENATE BILL NO. 119
SENATE BILL NO. 155
SENATE BILL NO. 172
SENATE BILL NO. 189
SENATE BILL NO. 227
SENATE BILL NO. 228
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
HOUSE BILL NO. 1211
HOUSE BILL NO. 1230

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 21
SENATE BILL NO. 34
SENATE BILL NO. 35
SENATE BILL NO. 125
SENATE BILL NO. 126
SENATE BILL NO. 130
SENATE BILL NO. 131

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053
HOUSE BILL NO. 1068
HOUSE BILL NO. 1101
HOUSE BILL NO. 1102
HOUSE BILL NO. 1212
HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
HOUSE BILL NO. 1322
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 o'clock p.m.,
Thursday, February 4, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Hendren.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 85 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 85

Amend Senate Bill No. 85 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Page 3, line 36, delete "a physician or" and substitute "an"

AND

Page 4, delete line 8, and substitute the following:
"(6) months for the fourth violation in a thirty-six-month period.

(3) Upon notification from the department of a violation by a physician, the Arkansas State Medical Board shall:
(A) Fine a physician:
   (i) One thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) for the first violation in a thirty-six-month period;
   (ii) Three thousand dollars ($3,000) for the second violation in a thirty-six-month period; and
   (iii) Five thousand dollars ($5,000) for the third violation in a thirty-six-month period; and
(B) Suspend the license of a physician for six (6) months for the fourth violation in a thirty-six-month period."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDsoE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 143 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 143

Amend Senate Bill No. 143 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 31, and substitute the following:
"(a) As used in this section, "rare disease or condition" means any disease or condition that affects:
(1) Less than two hundred thousand (200,000) persons in the United States; or
(2) More than two hundred thousand (200,000) persons in the United States and for which there is no reasonable expectation that the cost of developing and making available in the United States a drug for the disease or condition will be recovered from sales in the United States of the drug.
(b) There is established the Rare Disease Advisory Council within the"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "(b)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete "diseases," and substitute "diseases or conditions,"

AND

Page 3, line 14, delete "diseases;" and substitute "diseases or conditions;"

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete "diseases;" and substitute "diseases or conditions;"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "diseases" and substitute "diseases or conditions"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "(c)(1)" and substitute "(d)(1)"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "disease," and substitute "disease or condition."
AND
Page 3, line 32, delete "disease;" and substitute "disease or condition;"

AND
Page 3, line 34, delete "disease;" and substitute "disease or condition;"

AND
Page 4, line 3, delete "disease" and substitute "disease or condition"

AND
Page 4, line 8, delete "diseases," and substitute "diseases or conditions."

AND
Page 4, line 16, delete "disease" and substitute "disease or condition"

AND
Page 4, line 21, delete "diseases," and substitute "diseases or conditions."

AND
Page 4, line 25, delete "diseases," and substitute "diseases or conditions;"

AND
Page 4, line 33, delete "(d)(1)(A)" and substitute "(e)(1)(A)"

AND
Page 5, line 6, delete "(e)" and substitute "(f)"

AND
Page 5, line 7, delete "(f)" and substitute "(g)"

AND
Page 5, line 9, delete "(g)(1)" and substitute "(h)(1)"

AND
Page 5, line 15, delete "(h)" and substitute "(i)"

AND
Page 5, line 17, delete "(i)" and substitute "(j)"

AND
Page 5, line 20, delete "(j)" and substitute "(k)"
AND

Page 5, line 25, delete "disease" and substitute "disease or condition"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 160

Amend Senate Bill No. 160 as engrossed, S1/26/21:

Page 1, line 28, delete "2021-2022" and substitute "2022-2023"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 179 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 179

Amend Senate Bill No. 179 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 14, delete "(a)(1)" and substitute "(a)(1)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18 and 19, and substitute the following:

"(2) For the purpose of this subsection, five (5) miles means a distance of five (5) miles by straight line, not road or highway miles. The service area of a fire protection district created after January 1, 2021, shall not include any area within the territorial jurisdiction of the governing body of a municipality as established in § 14-56-413 that has adopted an ordinance to provide fire protection services to the area in accordance with § 14-53-102, unless waived by majority vote of the governing body of the municipality."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 254 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 254

Amend Senate Bill No. 254 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Beck, Pilkington, Watson, Wing as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 254 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  85, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 160, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 254, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 254 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 169, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

Participating via Zoom: Senator Flowers

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1183, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

Participating via Zoom: Senator Flowers

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
February 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 43, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 214, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 220, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 213, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 245, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 246, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 247, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1103, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 288  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A LIMITED EXEMPTION FOR RULE PROMULGATION FOR ENTITIES NOT SUBJECT TO THE ARKANSAS ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT; TO ALLOW AN ALTERNATIVE PROCESS FOR FILING A RULE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 288 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 206 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 206

Amend Senate Bill No. 206 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 34, and substitute the following:  
"(33) University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff 130 150

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 6-63-305(b)(40), concerning new or additional positions for the University of Arkansas system under the Higher Education Expenditure Restriction Act, is amended to read as follows:  
(40) University of Arkansas system 50 60"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "3" and substitute "4"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 206 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1100 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1100

Amend House Bill No. 1100 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 27, and substitute the following:

“(22) A public or private school counselor A full-time or part-time employee of a public school or private school, including without limitation:
   (i) A school counselor;”

AND

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following:

“nonathletic organization, team, or club;

(23) A school official, including without limitation institutions of higher education A person who is at least twenty-one (21) years of age and volunteers in a public school or private school:
   (A) As a coach or director of a public or private athletic organization, team, or club; or
   (B) As a coach or director of a public or private nonathletic organization, team, or club:
   (24) A social worker;
   (25) A surgeon;
   (26) A teacher;”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 14.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1100 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 77 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 77
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EDUCATION RENEWAL ZONES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 77 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 77. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 77 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1058 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1058

Amend House Bill No. 1058 as engrossed, S1/25/21:

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 4, and substitute the following:
"eligible nonprofit entity.
(b)(1)(A) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall compile a list of eligible nonprofit entities to which a person receiving per diem compensation or mileage reimbursement, or both, under this chapter may make his or her donation under this section."
(B)(i) In compiling the list of eligible nonprofit entities described under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section, the office shall consult with the Supreme Court and the Arkansas Judicial Council, Inc., to determine the eligible nonprofit entities under this section.

(ii) The office is encouraged to seek input through public comment while compiling the list of eligible nonprofit entities.

(2) An eligible nonprofit entity should have as one (1) of its primary goals the providing of:

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1058 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 114 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 114
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING APPLICATIONS AND ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ACADEMIC SUPPORT SCHOLARSHIP, THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM, AND SCHOLARSHIPS FOR TEACHERS IN HIGH-NEED SUBJECT AREAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 114 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 114. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 114 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 236 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 236
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAX TREATMENT OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS; TO EXEMPT UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS FROM INCOME TAX DURING A CERTAIN TIME PERIOD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 236 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 236. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 236, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pittsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 236 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1003 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1003**

*As Engrossed: H1/21/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, LADYMAN**

**BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND UPDATE THE LAWS REGARDING INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING; TO ENSURE RESPECTFUL LANGUAGE IS USED WITHIN THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING; TO REMOVE FROM THE ARKANSAS CODE THE TERM “HEARING IMPAIRED”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1003 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1003. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1003 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1104 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1104
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1104 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1104. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


| Total | 35 |

**NEGATIVE:**

| Total | 0 |

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

| Total | 0 |

**EXCUSED:**

| Total | 0 |

**VOTING PRESENT:**

| Total | 0 |

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1104 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1109 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
As Engrossed:  H1/21/21  H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS
BY:  SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DEPOSIT OF FUNDS BY THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1109 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flowers spoke on the Bill.

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1109. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1109 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119
NINETY-THIRDS GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, PENZO
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FIRST AND SECOND DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DISTRICT COURT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1119 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1119. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1119, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1119 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1151 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1151
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO SUSPEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL RATING SYSTEM FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR UNDER § 6-15-2105; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1151 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Mark Johnson spoke against the Bill.
Senator Hendren spoke for the Bill.
Senator Clark spoke on the Bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the Bill.
Senator Sturch spoke for the Bill.
Senator Hill spoke against the Bill.
Senator Elliott spoke for the Bill.
Senator Flowers spoke against the Bill.
Senator Eads closed for the Bill.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Hill, M. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang, Garner.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1151 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1195 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE EVERY MOM MATTERS ACT; TO PROVIDE HEALTHCARE SUPPORT TO PREGNANT WOMEN IN ARKANSAS; TO STABILIZE FAMILIES AND REDUCE THE NUMBER OF ABORTIONS PERFORMED IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1195 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 28

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Clark.
Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1195 was returned to the House as passed.
February 4, 2021

Ms. Ann Cornwell  
Director, Arkansas Senate  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol Building, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I support House Bill No. 1195 by Representative Dotson and Senator Ballinger. I was recorded as not voting on House Bill No. 1195. I would like the record to reflect that I had been called out of the chamber at the time of the roll call and would have voted yea on the bill. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly to show my complete support for House Bill No. 1195.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Alan Clark  
State Senator  
District 13

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On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1227 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1227
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, ET AL
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM WAGE ACT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO AMEND THE SECTION REGARDING RELIEF FROM LIABILITY FOR EMPLOYERS; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE MINIMUM WAGE ACT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS IMPACTING THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 5 OF 2018; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1227 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1227. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1227 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1262 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1262  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1262 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 31
NEGATIVE: Sample.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Clark, Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1262 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on all Joint Budget Bills.
Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 109 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, AND THE INTERIM COMMITTEES OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 109 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 109, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 109 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 201 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 201
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 201 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 201, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 201 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 202 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 202
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 202 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 202, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 202 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 209 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 209
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING
JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 209 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 209, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 209 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 210 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 210
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 210 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 210, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 210 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 222 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 222
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 222 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 222, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 222 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 223 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 223
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 223 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 223, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 223 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1100, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION UPON THE REQUEST OF A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF EACH HOUSE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY EXTEND AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION CALLED AT THE REQUEST OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Subtitle

A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE IN EXTRAORDINARILY SESSION UPON THE REQUEST OF A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF EACH HOUSE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL
That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 5, is amended to read as follows:

§ 5. Regular and fiscal sessions.

(a) The General Assembly shall meet at the seat of government every year.

(b) The General Assembly shall meet in regular session on the second Monday in January of each odd-numbered year to consider any bill or resolution. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the regular session begins.

(c)(1) Beginning in 2010, the General Assembly shall meet in fiscal session on the second Monday in February of each even-numbered year to consider only appropriation bills. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the fiscal session begins.

(2) A bill other than an appropriation bill may be considered in a fiscal session if two-thirds (2/3) of the members of each house of the General Assembly approve consideration of the bill.

(d) The General Assembly, by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly, may alter the dates of the regular session and fiscal session so that regular sessions occur in even numbered years and the fiscal sessions occur in odd-numbered years.

(e)(1) The General Assembly shall meet in extraordinary session upon the written request of a majority of the members of each house of the General Assembly.

(2) Upon the submission of one (1) or more petitions to the Governor containing the signatures of at least a majority of the members of each house of the General Assembly, the Governor shall issue a proclamation convening the General Assembly in extraordinary session at the requested time.

(3) The petitions submitted to the Governor and the proclamation issued by the Governor shall indicate without limitation:
(A) The purpose for which the General Assembly shall be convened; and

(B) The date and time at which the General Assembly shall be convened.

(4)(A) No other business than the purpose set forth in the petitions and the proclamation shall be transacted at the extraordinary session until the same shall have been disposed of; after which the General Assembly may, by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of all the members elected to both houses, entered upon their journals, remain in session for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days.

(B)(i) If the General Assembly has disposed of the purposes of the extraordinary session under this subsection (e) and the Governor has declared a disaster emergency applicable to all or a portion of the State of Arkansas, the General Assembly may, by a vote of a majority of all the members elected to both houses, entered upon their journals, remain in session for the duration of the disaster emergency.

(ii) If the General Assembly votes to remain in session under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section, it may enact legislation necessary to resolve or mitigate the disaster emergency.

(iii) The General Assembly shall adjourn the extraordinary session within three (3) days of the termination of the disaster emergency declaration.

(5) This section does not restrict the authority of the Governor to convene an extraordinary session of the General Assembly under Arkansas Constitution, Article 6, § 19.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Allow the General Assembly to Convene in Extraordinary Session Upon the Request of a Majority of the Members of Each House of the General Assembly and to Provide for Certain Circumstances in Which the General Assembly May Extend an Extraordinary Session Called at the Request of the General Assembly".
Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 289
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE MEDICAL ETHICS AND DIVERSITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 289 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
February 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 11, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 136, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 137, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JIM HENDREN, CHAIRMAN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO ARKANSAS
CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, SECTION 20, PERMITTING THE STATE OF
ARKANSAS TO BE SUED AS A DEFENDANT IN STATE COURT IN THE SAME
CIRCUMSTANCES AS ANY OTHER PARTY, SUCH AS A PRIVATE CITIZEN OR
CORPORATION.

Subtitle
AN AMENDMENT TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, SECTION
20, PERMITTING THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO BE SUED AS A DEFENDANT
IN STATE COURT IN THE SAME CIRCUMSTANCES AS ANY OTHER PARTY.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH
HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:
That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 20, is amended to read as follows:

§ 20. State never may be made defendant.
(a) The State of Arkansas shall never may be made a defendant in any of her courts in state court in the same circumstances as any other type of party.
(b) As used in subsection (a) of this section, "State of Arkansas" means every department, division, office, board, commission, institution, or other public entity of the State of Arkansas, including without limitation state-supported institutions of higher education.

SECTION 2. (a) This amendment eliminates the sovereign immunity of the State of Arkansas in any and all cases filed in any of her courts.
(b) The General Assembly may enact laws concerning the process for bringing a suit against the State of Arkansas as permitted by Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 20.
(c) This amendment does not alter any other substantive or procedural rules of law concerning the State of Arkansas.
(d)(1) This amendment does not address whether a natural person or private artificial person, including without limitation a corporation, may be held liable in their individual capacities for conduct engaged in while acting as an agent of the State of Arkansas.
(2) Individual capacity immunity of a natural person or private artificial person under subdivision (d)(1) of this section is subject to regulation through:
   (A) Laws enacted by the General Assembly; and
   (B) Common law.

SECTION 3. (a) This amendment:
(1) Is effective on and after November 9, 2022; and
(2) Shall apply retroactively to all claims or actions that are not otherwise barred on other grounds.
(b) On and after the effective date of this amendment, a claim or action against the State of Arkansas that would have been barred from being litigated in a court of competent jurisdiction under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 20, prior to the effective date of this amendment shall not be filed with the Arkansas State Claims Commission.

(c)(1) If a claim or action against the State of Arkansas that would have been barred from being litigated in a court of competent jurisdiction under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 20, prior to the effective date of this amendment is pending before the Arkansas State Claims Commission or on appeal to the General Assembly on the effective date of this amendment, then the plaintiff may:

(A) Continue to pursue the claim or action before the Arkansas State Claims Commission or General Assembly; or

(B) File the claim or action with a court of competent jurisdiction.

(2) The General Assembly shall enact laws to permit the filing of a claim or action pending before the Arkansas State Claims Commission or on appeal with the General Assembly on the effective date of this amendment with a court of competent jurisdiction if the claim or action would otherwise be barred from being filed in a court of competent jurisdiction under the applicable statute of limitations.

SECTION 4. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The ballot title shall be "An Amendment to Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 20, Permitting the State of Arkansas to be Sued as a Defendant in State Court in the Same Circumstances as Any Other Type of Party, Such as a Private Citizen or a Corporation."; and

(1) The popular name shall be "An Amendment Permitting the State of Arkansas to be Sued as a Defendant in State Court in the Same Circumstances As Any Other Type of Party, Such as a Private Citizen or a Corporation".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL PROVIDE BY LAW FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTENANCE, AND SUPPORT OF FREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUBJECT TO SUCH CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS AS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY PRESCRIBE.

Subtitle

A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROVIDING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL PROVIDE BY LAW FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT, MAINTENANCE, AND SUPPORT OF FREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS SUBJECT TO SUCH CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS AS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY PRESCRIBE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 14, § 1, is amended to read as follows:

§ 1. Free school system.

Intelligence and virtue being the safeguards of liberty and the bulwark of a free and good government, the State shall ever maintain a general, suitable and
efficient system of free public schools and shall adopt all suitable means to secure to
the people the advantages and opportunities of education. The specific intention of
this amendment is to authorize that in addition to existing constitutional or statutory
provisions the General Assembly and/or public school districts may spend public
funds for the education of persons over twenty-one (21) years of age and under six
(6) years of age, as may be provided by law, and no other interpretation shall be
given to it. The General Assembly shall provide by law for the establishment,
maintenance, and support of free public schools subject to such conditions and
limitations as the General Assembly may provide.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective
on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this
proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general
election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be “A Constitutional Amendment
Providing that the General Assembly Shall Provide By Law for the Establishment,
Maintenance, and Support of Free Public Schools Subject To Such Conditions and
Limitations as the General Assembly May Prescribe”.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES &
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 290
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, BLEDSOE, L. EADS, J. HENDREN, K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, D. FERGUSON, JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING COVERAGE OF
DIAGNOSTIC EXAMINATIONS FOR BREAST CANCER UNDER CERTAIN
HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 290 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 291
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO SUPPORT ARKANSAS PUBLIC
SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A
COMMUNITY SCHOOL APPROACH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 291 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 4 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 7 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 84 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 123 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 154 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 188, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 258, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS,
to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARAKANSSEN SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
February 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS,
to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004,
BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1117, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1202, BY REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1153, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 292
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 292 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1124
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUNITIVE ARTICLES OF THE MILITARY CODE OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING SEXUAL ASSAULT AND SEXUAL CONTACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1124 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1144
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1144 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1226
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CRAWFORD
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES; TO AMEND THE INSOLVENCY CEMETERY GRANT FUND ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1226 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DESIGNATED ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT; TO AUTHORIZE A DESIGNATED ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT IN AN AREA WITH ESTABLISHED ENTITIES AUTHORIZED TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1228 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1236
As Engrossed:  H2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING UNIFIED COMMAND OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN AND AROUND THE STATE CAPITOL IN THE EVENT OF A CIVIL DISTURBANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1236 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1242
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN LONG-TERM CARE INSURERS TO FILE MARKET CONDUCT ANNUAL STATEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1242 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1245
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, SCOTT
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CONFIDENTIAL JUVENILE RECORDS TO BE RELEASED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1245 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1248
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONSOLIDATION OF CERTAIN LEVEE DISTRICTS AND BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1248 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PROCEDURE FOR THE DISSOLUTION OR ABOLITION OF A LEVEE DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1249 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1250
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ASSESSMENTS IN CERTAIN LEVEE OR DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1250 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1251
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT AND PROTECTION DISTRICT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS BY COUNTY COLLECTORS

House Bill No. 1251 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, PEYTON, AND CHRISTIANSEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE EXEMPTION TO LICENSURE BY THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD FOR CHIROPRACTORS PERFORMING CHIROPRACTIC UPON ANIMALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1268 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1271
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1271 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE-TEXARKANA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1272 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1285 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1287 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1288
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MID-SOUTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1288 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1290
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1290 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1292
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1292 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1293 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1294 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1295
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1295 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1296
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT RICH MOUNTAIN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1296 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1297
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1297 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1309
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NATIONAL PARK COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1309 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1311
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1311 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315
As Engrossed: H2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, BARKER, BEATY JR., ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STATE MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS INSPECTION ACT; TO AMEND THE MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS CERTIFICATION ACT; TO CREATE THE STATE MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM FUND; TO TRANSFER AUTHORITY OVER MEAT INSPECTION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1315 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE OFFICES OF SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR IN YELL COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1318 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1338
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BARKER, BENTLEY, ET AL
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE, B. BALLINGER, A. CLARK, L. EADS, K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE PETITION PROCESS TO BE ON THE BALLOT AS A CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OR VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES; TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED TO BE LISTED ON THE BALLOT FOR THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1338 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 9, 2021; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 3, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 3, 2021, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE; AND TO PROVIDE FOR DATE EXTENSIONS IN THE EVENT OF EXTENDED RECESSES RELATED TO THE COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1076
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - OIL AND GAS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1076 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1078
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1078 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY TO AWARD A MEDAL, RIBBON, OR DECORATION TO A MEMBER OF THE ORGANIZED MILITIA; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESENTATION OF AN AWARD TO CERTAIN PERSONS AND GROUPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1122 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCESS OF EVALUATION OF STATE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; TO REQUIRE SUBMISSION OF A REPORT; TO RECOMMEND THE ABOLITION OF A STATE BOARD OR COMMISSION FOR FAILURE TO SUBMIT A REPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1356 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1123
As Engrossed: H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS, DUTIES, AND IMMUNITIES OF THE ORGANIZED MILITIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1123 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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AS PASSED

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   HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1119
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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 8, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o’clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Clark.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 6

Amend Senate Bill No. 6 as engrossed, S1/21/21:

Add Senators Beckham, M. Johnson as cosponsors of the bill
AND
Add Representatives Beaty Jr., Lundstrum, Richmond as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 59 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 59

Amend Senate Bill No. 59 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following: "AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE INTRASTATE FIREARMS PROTECTION ACT; TO PREVENT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FROM REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, AND TRADE OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:

"TO BE KNOWN AS THE INTRASTATE FIREARMS PROTECTION ACT; AND TO PREVENT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FROM REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, AND TRADE OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS"

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 4 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

Chapter 21 — Jurisdiction Over Firearm Regulation

4-21-101. Scope.
(a)(1) The Tenth Amendment to the United States Constitution guarantees to the states and their people all powers not granted to the United States Government elsewhere in the United States Constitution and reserves to the State of Arkansas and its people certain powers as those powers were understood at the time that Arkansas was admitted into statehood in 1836.

(2) The guaranty of those powers is a matter of contract between the State of Arkansas and its people and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

(b)(1) The Ninth Amendment to the United States Constitution guarantees to the people rights not granted in the United States Constitution and reserves to the
people of Arkansas certain rights as they were understood at the time that Arkansas was admitted into statehood in 1836.

(2) The guaranty of those rights is a matter of contract between the State of Arkansas and its people and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

(c) The regulation of intrastate commerce is vested in the states under the Ninth and Tenth Amendments to the United States Constitution.

(d) The Second Amendment to the United States Constitution reserves the right to keep and bear arms to the people as that right was understood at the time that Arkansas was admitted into statehood in 1836, and the guaranty of the right is a matter of contract between the State of Arkansas and its people and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

(e)(1) Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 5, clearly secures to Arkansas citizens and prohibits government interference with the right of individual Arkansas citizens to keep and bear arms.

(2) This constitutional protection is unchanged from the 1836 Arkansas Constitution, which was approved by the United States Congress and the people of Arkansas, and the right exists as it was understood at the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

4-21-102. Definitions.
As used in this chapter:

(1) "Borders of Arkansas" means the boundaries of Arkansas described in the Arkansas Constitution, Article 1;

(2) "Firearms accessory" means an item that is used in conjunction with or mounted upon a firearm but is not essential to the basic function of a firearm, including without limitation telescopic or laser sights, magazines, flash or sound suppressors, folding or aftermarket stocks and grips, speedloaders, ammunition carriers, and lights for target illumination;

(3) "Generic and insignificant part" means a small component used in the manufacture of a firearm, including without limitation a spring, a screw, a nut, or a pin; and

(4) "Manufactured" means that a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition has been created from basic materials for functional usefulness, including without limitation forging, casting, machining, or other processes for working materials.

4-21-103. Prohibitions.
(a) A personal firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition that is manufactured commercially or privately in Arkansas and that remains within the borders of Arkansas is not subject to federal law or federal regulation, including registration, under the authority of the United States Congress to regulate interstate commerce, as those items have not traveled in interstate commerce.

(b)(1) This chapter applies to a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition that is manufactured in Arkansas from basic materials and that can be manufactured without the inclusion of any significant parts imported from another state.

(2) Generic and insignificant parts that have other manufacturing or consumer product applications are not firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition that are imported into Arkansas and incorporation into a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition manufactured in Arkansas do not subject the firearm, firearm accessory, or ammunition to federal regulation.
(3) Basic materials, such as unmachined steel and unshaped wood, are not firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition and are not subject to congressional authority to regulate firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition under interstate commerce as if they were actually firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition.

(4) The authority of United States Congress to regulate interstate commerce in basic materials does not include authority to regulate firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition made in Arkansas from the materials contained in this subsection as long as the firearm is not taken or sold outside the boundaries of the state of Arkansas.

(c) Firearms accessories that are imported into Arkansas from another state and that are subject to federal regulation as being in interstate commerce do not subject a firearm to federal regulation under interstate commerce because they are attached to or used in conjunction with a firearm in Arkansas.

(d) This section does not apply to:

1. A firearm that cannot be carried and used by one (1) person;
2. A firearm that has a bore diameter greater than one and one-half inches (1 1/2") and that uses smokeless powder, not black powder, as a propellant;
3. Ammunition with a projectile that explodes using an explosion of chemical energy after the projectile leaves the firearm; or
4. Other than shotguns, a firearm that discharges two (2) or more projectiles with one (1) activation of the trigger or other firing device.

4-21-104. Marketing of firearms.
A firearm manufactured or sold in Arkansas that is subject to this chapter must have the words “Made in Arkansas” clearly and conspicuously stamped on a central metallic part, such as the receiver or frame.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 82 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 82

Amend Senate Bill No. 82 as engrossed, S1/20/21:

Page 1, line 12, delete "AND EMERGENCY" and substitute "AN EMERGENCY"

AND

Page 1, line 21, delete "AND EMERGENCY" and substitute "AN EMERGENCY"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 30 and 31, and substitute the following:

"(a) If a person files a report of contributions under § 7-6-207 regarding his or her candidacy for a specific office and subsequently withdraws and files a report of contributions under § 7-6-207 regarding his or her candidacy for a different specific"

AND

Page 2, delete line 18, and substitute the following:

"incorporated towns.

(d)(1) As used in this section, "specific office" means a single identified elected office of the state, a county, or a municipality:

(2) A specific office is not solely identified by:

(A) A number assigned to a Senate district;
(B) A number assigned to a House district;
(C) A number designation of a voting precinct; or
(D) A number assigned to a ward or other municipal subdivision.

(3) A change in the numbering of any elected office geographic boundary as a result of redistricting does not change the specific office for the purpose of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 138 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 138

Amend Senate Bill No. 138 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 18 through 31, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 7-6-207, concerning reports of campaign contributions of candidates for state or district office and resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(f)(1) For each financial institution the candidate and committee working on the candidate's behalf use for the purposes of receiving contributions or making expenditures within this state, the following information shall be submitted to the Secretary of State with the initial report filed under this section:

(A) The full name of the financial institution; and
(B) For the financial institution, the:
(i) Street address;
(ii) City;
(iii) State; and
(iv) United States postal zip code of the financial institution.

(2) The information disclosed under subdivision (f)(1) of this section:

(A) Shall be made available to the commission upon request;
(B) Is not a public record; and
(C) Is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 147 was withdrawn from the
Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of
Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 147

Amend Senate Bill No. 147 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 17, and substitute the following:
"2913 or § 6-15-2915 or a public school that does not have has a rating of “F”"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 147 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was withdrawn from the
Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of
Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 191 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Womack as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 192 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 193 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 193

Amend Senate Bill No. 193 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Womack as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 193 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 194 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 194

Amend Senate Bill No. 194 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Page 1, delete lines 24 and 25, and substitute the following: "et seq., includes the ability of a citizen to capture still and moving images through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording."

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "by" and substitute "through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "taking a photograph"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "by taking a photograph" and substitute "through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "by taking a photograph" and substitute "through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "by taking a photograph" and substitute "through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording"

AND

Page 2, line 29, delete "the" and substitute "the requestor's"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "by taking a photograph" and substitute "through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording"
Page 3, line 1, delete "by taking a photograph" and substitute "through image capture, including still and moving photography and video and digital recording"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 207 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 207

Amend Senate Bill No. 207 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Cozart as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 9, delete lines 29 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(b) For the 2022-2023 school year and each school year thereafter, in addition to the foundation funding provided to a school district under § 6-20-2305(a)(2), the division shall distribute enhanced transportation funding to school districts each school year in the following amounts:

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AND

Delete pages 10 through 16 in their entirety

AND
Page 17, delete lines 1 through 31

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 207 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 248 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 248

Amend Senate Bill No. 248 as originally introduced:

Page 9, line 31, delete "law;" and substitute "law, including without limitation incidental sales of milk that has not been pasteurized under § 20-59-48;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 154, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 7, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 4, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 84, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 123, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1,
BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 12:08 p. m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 154
SENATE BILL NO. 7
SENATE BILL NO. 4
SENATE BILL NO. 84
SENATE BILL NO. 123
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1
RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this eighth day of February, 2021 at 12:08 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
February 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 6, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Jason Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Bob Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bob Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  82, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 192, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 193, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 193 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

February 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 147, by Senator Jane English,
Senate Bill No. 191, by Senator Dan Sullivan,
Senate Bill No. 207, by Senator Missy Irvin,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson
Chairman

On motion of Senator Jane English, Senate Bill No. 147 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Senator Dan Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Senator Missy Irvin, Senate Bill No. 207 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Education.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 102, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 103, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 104, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 105, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 106, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026, BY REPRESENTATIVE FRANCES CAVENAUGH

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1010, BY SENATOR JOE JETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1031, BY SENATOR JOE JETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1033, BY SENATOR JOE JETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1041, BY SENATOR JOE JETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1042, BY SENATOR JOE JETT,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 165 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 165

Amend Senate Bill No. 165 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 28 and 29, and substitute the following:
“(1) That the soldier, airman, or spouse of the soldier or airman has listed as his or her primary residence in the Army Military Human Resource Record, the Military Personnel Data System, or any other official military system of record; or”

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 247 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

**ARKANSAS SENATE**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 247**

Amend Senate Bill No. 247 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 22, and substitute the following:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-50-302(a)(1), concerning the classification of an offense of certain traffic violations, is amended to read as follows:

1. Racing Except as provided in § 27-50-309(b)(2), the first offense of racing on a public highway — Class A misdemeanor;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-50-309(b)(2), concerning the offense of”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 247 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 11 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 11**

As Engrossed: **S2/2/21**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY:** SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ARKANSAS CORPORATIONS AND ARKANSAS BANKS TO HOLD ANNUAL OR SPECIAL SHAREHOLDER MEETINGS REMOTELY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 11 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sullivan moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 11. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................ 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 11, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 11 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1183 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1183

Amend House Bill No. 1183 as engrossed, H1/26/21:

Page 3, line 10, delete "persons individuals" and substitute "persons"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "21-6-101" and substitute "21-6-306, § 21-6-402, or § 21-6-403, whichever is applicable."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend House Bill No. 1183 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 136 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 136
As Engrossed: S2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY GAS RATES TO DETERMINE THE LOWEST OR MOST ADVANTAGEOUS MARKET FOR PIPELINE COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 136 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 136. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..............................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 136 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 137 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 137
As Engrossed: S2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF THE ENERGY SOURCE OF A UTILITY SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 137 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 137. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE: Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 137 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 188 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 188
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLLING PLACES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 188 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Sample.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 188 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 206 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 206
As Engrossed: S2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PROVISIONAL POSITIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 206 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 206. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 206, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 206 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 245 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 245
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS UNIFORM COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE ACT; TO DISQUALIFY A DRIVER CONVICTED OF A FELONY INVOLVING A SEVERE FORM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 245 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 245. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: ................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 245 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 246 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 246
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND HYBRID VEHICLES; TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION TO THE REQUIREMENT THAT AN ADDITIONAL FEE BE PAID FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND HYBRID VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 246 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 246. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 246 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 258 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 258
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONMANDATORY MULTYEAR REGISTRATION AND LICENSING BY THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 258 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 258. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 258 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1058 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058
As Engrossed: S1/25/21 S2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT A JUROR TO DONATE HIS OR HER PER DIEM COMPENSATION AND MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT TO AN ELIGIBLE NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1058 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1058.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
  Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

  Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1058 was returned to the House as amended.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1100 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1100
As Engrossed: S2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INDIVIDUALS LISTED AS MANDATED REPORTERS UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1103 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1103**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS**

**BY: SENATOR EADS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1103 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1103. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Pitsch, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1103 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1153 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1153
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY SERVICES ACT OF 1973 CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1153 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1153. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
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Total number of votes cast: 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1153 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1202 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1202**
*As Engrossed: H1/27/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: REPRESENTATIVES A. COLLINS, BOYD, CARR, ET AL**
**BY: BREANNE DAVIS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAWS; TO AMEND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTIONS; TO REQUIRE PUBLICATION OF SAMPLE BALLOTS ON AN INTERNET SITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**
House Bill No. 1202 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1202. Motion carried

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1202 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1222 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1222**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY:** REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

**BY:** SENATORS JIMMY HICKEY, K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSITIONS AND SALARIES OF SUPREME COURT LAW CLERKS AND COURT OF APPEALS LAW CLERKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1222 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1222. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ............................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ............................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ............................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ............................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ...............................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1222 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, S. MEEKS, ET AL
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE
CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY VESTED IN THE PEOPLE, THE STATES, AND
THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 213 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 213

Amend Senate Bill No. 213 as originally introduced:

Page 11, delete SECTION 7 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - CENTER FOR FOREST BUSINESS. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello Center for Forest Business for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

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(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 213 was ordered engrossed.
Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 43 and
Senate Bill No. 214. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 43 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 43
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC
FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 43 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 43, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................0

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 43 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 214 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 214
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 214 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 214, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 214 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on all House Budget Bills. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1076 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1076
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - OIL AND GAS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1076 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1076, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1076 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1078 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1078
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1078 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1078, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1078 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1144 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1144
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1144 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1144, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1144 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1271 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1271
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1271 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1271, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1271 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1272 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE-TEXARKANA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1272 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1272, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1272 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1285 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1285
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1285 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1285, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1285 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1287 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1287 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1287, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast...........................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...............................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1287 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1288 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1288
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MID-SOUTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1288 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1288, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1288 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1290 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1290**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1290 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1290, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1290 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1292 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1292
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1292 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1292, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1292 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1293 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1293 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1293, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1293 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1294 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1294
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1294 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1294, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................ 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1294 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1295 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1295
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1295 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE: Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Total ...........................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1295, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1295 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1296 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1296
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT RICH MOUNTAIN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1296 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1296, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1296 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1297 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1297
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1297 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1297, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1297 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1309
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NATIONAL PARK COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1309, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1309 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1311 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1311
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1311 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:                                                                                                           
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:                                                                                              
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:                                                                                                          
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:                                                                                                   
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1311, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1311 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 4, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 70 - ACT 66
- Senate Bill No. 74 - ACT 67
- Senate Bill No. 76 - ACT 68
- Senate Bill No. 100 - ACT 69
- Senate Bill No. 128 - ACT 70
- Senate Bill No. 145 - ACT 71

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was returned from the House as concurred in.

Senate Bill No. 71 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 83 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 99 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO COMMEMORATE AMERICAN HISTORY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
House Bill No. 1159 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

House Bill No. 1175 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188
As Engrossed:  H1/28/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING EXEMPTIONS TO THE PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCY, PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR, AND SCHOOL SECURITY LICENSING AND CREDENTIALING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1188 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1193
As Engrossed:  H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF AN INDIVIDUAL TO A VACANCY ON A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1193 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1194
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PURCHASES OF COMMODITIES BY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO ALLOW THE COMMISSIONER OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO ROUND THE PERCENTAGE CHANGE BETWEEN THE PURCHASE PRICE OF A COMMODITY BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT AND THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS TO THE NEAREST ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($100); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1194 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1332
As Engrossed: H2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS; TO AMEND SCHOOL ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND ELECTION NOTICE REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1332 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1355
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT; TO AMEND THE RECREATIONAL VEHICLE FRANCHISE ACT; TO REMOVE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE SALESPERSON AND A RECREATIONAL VEHICLE SALESPERSON; TO CREATE THE AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGIST EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM AND THE AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGIST EDUCATION GRANT FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1355 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: HOUSE MANAGEMENT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - STAFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1363 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 293  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SALES AND USE TAX CREDITS, REFUNDS, AND REBATES; TO AMEND THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF TAX RECORDS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT; TO ALLOW FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION CONCERNING SALES AND USE TAX CREDITS, REFUNDS, AND REBATES TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; TO REQUIRE TAXPAYERS CLAIMING CERTAIN SALES AND USE TAX CREDITS, REFUNDS, AND REBATES TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 293 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 294  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SERVICE WEAPON USED BY AN EMPLOYEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; TO REPEAL REDUNDANT LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 294 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 295
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE INTEGRITY IN WELFARE PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 295 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 296
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT VIDEOTAPE OR SHARING PHOTOGRAPHS OR VIDEO OF RESIDENTS OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT TO THE INTERNET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 296 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 297
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FIREARM POSSESSION FOR A PERSON CONVICTED OF A FEDERAL NONVIOLENT FELONY OFFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 297 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 298
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS SOVEREIGNTY ACT OF 2021"; CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING OTHER CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 298 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 299
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF
WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW RELATED TO THE DISCLOSURE OF
INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 299 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 300
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, GILMORE, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLAPE, BEATY JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT PROHIBITING PAROLE FOR A
PERSON CONVICTED OF THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF A FIREARM BY
CERTAIN PERSONS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO DECLARE AN
EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 300 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 301
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, FLIPPO, RICE, G. STUBBLEFIELD, CALDWELL, HILL, RAPERT, BECKHAM, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES TO RETURN FINES COLLECTED UNDER § 20-7-101 DURING THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY FOR A FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH RULES, ORDERS, OR DIRECTIVES TO MITIGATE OR PREVENT THE SPREAD OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 301 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 302
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REIMBURSEMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING COSTS OR EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 302 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 303
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. INGRAM, B. BALLINGER, CALDWELL,
B. JOHNSON, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES NICKS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATEWIDE MARITIME SULTANA MUSEUM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 303 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 304
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, K. HAMMER, B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLAPE, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR CERTAIN FULL-TIME LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 304 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 213, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 247, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1183, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 31, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 124, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN,

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 240, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 254, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

AR KANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor, to whom was referred:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002,
By Representative Boyd,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Cecile Bledsoe, Chairman

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Senate Bills Transmitted to the House
As Passed

Senate Bill No. 11
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AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 71
SENATE BILL NO. 83
SENATE BILL NO. 99

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
HOUSE BILL NO. 1175
HOUSE BILL NO. 1188
HOUSE BILL NO. 1193
HOUSE BILL NO. 1194
HOUSE BILL NO. 1332
HOUSE BILL NO. 1355
HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, February 9, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
February 9, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL,
CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS,
ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER,
GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL,
INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING,
PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD,
STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senator could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Hill.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4,**

BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD
BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
BY SENATOR STEPHANIE FLOWERS,
BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
**SENATE BILL NO. 71,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 83,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 99,**
BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:25 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

**GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS**

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4**
SENATE BILL NO. 71
SENATE BILL NO. 83
SENATE BILL NO. 99

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this ninth day of February, 2021 at 9:25 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 5 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 5

Amend Senate Bill No. 5 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following:

“(3)(A) The final average pay of the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System.

(B) The Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System shall use the final average pay of the reciprocal system furnishing the highest final average pay at the time of retirement if the member has:

(i) Established reciprocity before April 1, 2021; and
(ii) Member contributions on account with the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.
Amend Senate Bill No. 6 as engrossed, S2/8/21:

Page 1, line 14, delete "ACT; AND" and substitute "ACT; TO ABOLISH ABORTION IN ARKANSAS AND PROTECT THE LIVES OF UNBORN CHILDREN; TO PROTECT ALL HUMAN LIFE; AND"

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS UNBORN CHILD PROTECTION ACT; TO ABOLISH ABORTION IN ARKANSAS AND PROTECT THE LIVES OF UNBORN CHILDREN; AND TO PROTECT ALL HUMAN LIFE."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 22 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 22

Amend Senate Bill No. 22 as originally introduced:

Add Representative L. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 34, delete "assistant; and" and substitute "assistant; and"

AND

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following: "field in which the individual is seeking licensure as an assistant; and (D) Has a minimum of three (3) semester hours of higher education in the subjects of human anatomy and physiology and medical terminology; or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 22 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 23

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Page 2, delete line 19, and substitute the following:

"(1)(A) At least ninety (90) days before a vote on self-regulation, the corporation notifies the corporation's membership of the plan to conduct a vote of member-consumers regarding self-regulation.  
   (B) The notice described in subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section shall:
      (i) Be sent via postal mail to each member-consumer's account using the address on file; and
      (ii) Include:
         (a) A summary of the vote proposed and the reasons for the vote to be taken;
         (b) Dates, times, and locations for at least three (3) opportunities for member-consumer comment before the vote's being taken, including instructions for how to submit electronic comments to the corporation; and
         (c) The procedure necessary for the member-consumer to cast a vote.  
   (2) A vote on self-regulation and exemption occurred according"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 and 34, and substitute the following:

"other member-accessible location.  
   (f) Any corporate action undertaken in good faith while the corporation acts in a self-regulated capacity is valid and effective as if determined by the commission.  
   (g)(1) A corporation that becomes self-regulated under this subchapter"

AND
Page 3, line 2, delete "commission receives" and substitute "commission or the corporation receives"

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "corporation to" and substitute "corporation or the corporation decides to"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 through 20, and substitute the following:

“(2)(A) After following the procedure in subdivision (g)(1)(A) or subdivision (g)(1)(B) of this section, if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of returning to the jurisdiction of the commission, then the process to return the corporation to the jurisdiction of the commission shall begin as soon as possible after the membership vote.

(B) Unless otherwise ordered by the commission, a corporation’s return to the jurisdiction of the commission shall be completed within twelve (12) months of the majority vote to return to commission jurisdiction.

(h) The commission shall retain jurisdiction over a corporation that"

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete "(h)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 3, line 36, delete "(i)" and substitute "(j)"

AND

Page 4, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"subchapter, this subchapter shall control, provided nothing in this subchapter conflicts with § 14-207-101 et seq. or otherwise affects the rights of municipal electric utilities under the Arkansas Municipal Electric Utility Interlocal Cooperation Act of 2003, § 25-20-401 et seq., relating to extensions of service or otherwise."

AND

Page 4, line 10, delete "corporation to" and substitute "corporation under their commission approved service territory certificate to"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 121 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 121

Amend Senate Bill No. 121 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 22, delete "two (2)" and substitute "four (4)"

AND

Page 3-4, delete SECTION 5 in its entirety

AND

 Appropriately renumber all SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 195

Amend Senate Bill No. 195 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Page 2, delete lines 26 through 36 and substitute the following: "compilations in any medium maintained by a private entity with the primary purpose of providing direct support to a governmental agency or public entity financially or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 208

Amend Senate Bill No. 208 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(1) of all municipalities, counties, townships, and school districts, schools, and other political subdivisions;"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "juries;" and substitute "juries; and"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "meetings; and" and substitute "meetings."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 through 21.

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 268 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 268

Amend Senate Bill No. 268 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "ARKANSAS" and substitute "DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE"

and

Page 1, line 10, delete "AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT"

and

Page 1, line 14, delete "ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE" and substitute "DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE"

and

Page 1, line 15, delete "DEPARTMENT"

and

Page 1, line 21, delete "Arkansas Agriculture Department" and substitute "Department of Agriculture"

and

Page 1 line 22, delete "Arkansas" and substitute "Department of Agriculture"

and

Page 1, line 23, delete "Agriculture Department"

and

Page 1, line 25, delete "27" and substitute "1"

and

Page 1, line 29, delete "$14,929" and substitute "$14,926"

and

Page 2, line 3, delete "facilities," and substitute "facilities of the Department of Agriculture,"
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 287 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 287

Amend Senate Bill No. 287 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 32 and 33, and substitute the following:
"(C) Person who holds or is the child of a person who holds a Federal Form I-766 United States Citizenship and Immigration Services-issued Employment Authorization Document, known popularly as a "work permit": or"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:
"(C) Person who holds or is the child of a person who holds a Federal Form I-766 United States Citizenship and Immigration Services-issued Employment Authorization Document, known popularly as a "work permit": or"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 20 and 21, and substitute the following:
"(C) Person who holds or is the child of a person who holds a Federal Form I-766 United States Citizenship and Immigration Services-issued Employment Authorization Document, known popularly as a "work permit": or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 287 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 6, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 22, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 22 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 121, by Senator Jonathan Dismang,
Senate Bill No. 268, by Senator Jonathan Dismang,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson
Chairman

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Joint Budget.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Joint Budget.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 195, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 287, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 287 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

    HOUSE BILL NO. 1099, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1142, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 282, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE MANNER IN WHICH PRIMARY ELECTIONS ARE CONDUCTED.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE MANNER IN WHICH PRIMARY ELECTIONS ARE CONDUCTED.
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this joint resolution is to propose an amendment to the Arkansas Constitution concerning the manner in which primary elections are conducted.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 305
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE AWARD PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 305 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 306
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN A MUNICIPALLY OWNED OR MAINTAINED PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 306 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 307
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR THE OFFENSE OF FLEEING IN A VEHICLE OR CONVEYANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 307 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1009 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1009

Amend House Bill No. 1009 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Beckham, Irvin as cosponsors of the bill
AND
Add Representatives Dotson, Womack as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1009 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1010 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1010

Amend House Bill No. 1010 as originally introduced:

Add Senator M. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1010 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1031 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1031

Amend House Bill No. 1031 as originally introduced:

Add Senator M. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1031 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1033 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1033

Amend House Bill No. 1033 as originally introduced:
Add Senator M. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1033 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1041

Amend House Bill No. 1041 as originally introduced:

Add Senator M. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1041 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1042 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1042

Amend House Bill No. 1042 as originally introduced:

Add Senator M. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1042 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 102 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 102
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 102 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 102. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 102 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 103 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 103
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES’ DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 103 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 103. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................... 35
 Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 103, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 103 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 105 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 105
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MARRIAGE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT FOR SURVIVOR ANNUITY BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 105 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 105. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 105, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 105 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 124 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 124
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CONTENT STANDARDS AND CURRICULUM FRAMEWORKS; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE STATEWIDE STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 124 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 124. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 124 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 143 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 143
As Engrossed: S2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES OF THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM HAVE ACCESS TO NEW PRODUCTS AND LABEL EXPANSIONS APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; TO CREATE THE RARE DISEASE ADVISORY COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 143 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 143. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast........................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 165 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 165
As Engrossed: S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TERMINATION AND CANCELLATION OF A RESIDENTIAL LEASE UNDER THE ARKANSAS SOLDIERS’ AND AIRMEN'S CIVIL RELIEF ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 165 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 165. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 169 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 169
As Engrossed: S1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING OUTDOOR SALES OF NONALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 169 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Hickey.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 169 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 240 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 240
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLEMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING NONMUNICIPAL DOMESTIC SEWAGE TREATMENT WORKS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 240 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 240. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 240, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 240 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 247 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 247
As Engrossed:  S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION OF THE OFFENSE OF RACING A VEHICLE ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 247 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 247. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE: Clark.

Total .................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 247, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................  34
NEGATIVE:  Clark.
Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 247 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 254 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 254

As Engrossed: S2/4/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, IRVIN, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, A. CLARK, HESTER, M. JOHNSON, RICE, D. WALLACE

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY, BARKER, BOYD, BROWN, BRYANT, CAVENAUGH, CLOUD, COLEMAN, C. COOPER, COZART, CRAWFORD, FURMAN, GONZALES, M. GRAY, HAAK, HOLLOWELL, L. JOHNSON, LADYMAN, LYNCH, MCGREW, MILLER, PAYTON, PENZO, B. SMITH, SPEAKS, TOLLETT, UNDERWOOD, VAUGHT, WARREN, BECK, ET AL.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT BUSINESSES ARE NOT PENALIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE BEHAVIOR OF PATRONS OR CUSTOMERS DURING THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 254 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 254. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ..........................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..........................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott.
Total ..........................................................2

Total number of votes cast ..................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 254, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................32

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott.
Total .................................................................2
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 254 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 289
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE MEDICAL ETHICS AND DIVERSITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 289 was passed over.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Motion by Senator Hammer to place Senate Bill No. 289 on Calendar tomorrow. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1026 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, ET AL
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT FOR A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT; TO CLARIFY THAT CERTAIN APPEARANCE FEES ARE NOT CONSIDERED COMPENSATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING WHETHER A FIRE DEPARTMENT IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR FIRE PROTECTION EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT FOR A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1026 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1026. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1026 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1183 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1183
As Engrossed: H1/26/21 S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN COUNTY ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS AND FILE MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1183 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1183. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1183 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, G. STUBBLEFIELD  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO COMMEMORATE AMERICAN HISTORY.

Senate Bill No. 6 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Resolution pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Resolution.
Senator Sullivan spoke for the Resolution.
Senator Hendren spoke against the Resolution.
Senator Garner spoke on the Resolution.

Senator Hickey made a motion for immediate consideration.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 24

NEGATIVE: Davis, Elliott, Hendren, Hester, Ingram, Leding, Tucker
Total ................................................................. 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Clark, Johnson, B.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast.................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the motion................................. 24
The motion carried for immediate consideration.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted for Immediate Consideration of Resolution:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Garner, Stubblefield, Sullivan.
Total ................................................................. 4

Total ................................................................. 22

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Caldwell, Clark, Eads, English, Flippo, B. Johnson, Rice.
Total ................................................................. 8

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: M. Johnson.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 27
Necessary to the adoption of the Resolution ......................... 24

So the Resolution failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Irvin moved, per Senate Rule 9.06, that inappropriate language toward a member of the Senate by Senator Flowers was used. If the member to be censured passes, that member shall be liable to censure, or such punishment may deem proper. Motion passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002  
As Engrossed:  H1/21/21  S2/1/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD  
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ENCOURAGE CONTINUED COLLABORATION AMONG HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS, LAW ENFORCEMENT, EDUCATORS, PUBLIC OFFICIALS, AND THE ARKANSAS COMMUNITY IN BATTLING THE ABUSE OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS IN ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was placed on third reading and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was returned to the House as concurred in as amended.

Senate Bill No.   42 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   43 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   109 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   201 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   202 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   209 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   210 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   214 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   222 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.  
Senate Bill No.   223 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

   HOUSE BILL NO. 1009, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1010, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1031, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1033, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1041, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1042, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 308
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING THE STATE TO OFFER A VICTIM OF SEXUAL ASSAULT THE CHOICE TO REQUIRE THE PERSON ACCUSED OF COMMITTING A SEXUAL ASSAULT ON THE VICTIM TO TAKE AN HIV TEST WITHIN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS AFTER THE DATE ON WHICH THE INFORMATION OR INDICTMENT IS PRESENTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 308 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 309
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, L. EADS, ELLIOTT,
J. ENGLISH, TEAGUE, C. TUCKER, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR COVERAGE FOR COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 310
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, B. JOHNSON, J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING A LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY BARRACKS FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 27 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 310 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1017
As Engrossed: H2/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME; TO ADOPT DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME PERMANENTLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1017 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1029
As Engrossed: H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES F. ALLEN, COZART, ET AL
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STUDY OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL; TO INCLUDE CERTAIN ARKANSAS CIVIL RIGHTS LEADERS IN THE TEACHING MATERIALS REGARDING AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1029 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1091 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1110
As Engrossed: H1/14/21 H1/28/21 H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A STATE ENTITY TO REPORT A SECURITY INCIDENT TO THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1110 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1116
As Engrossed:  H2/3/21 H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DOTSON, CLOUD, BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SIMON'S LAW; TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENT FOR PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN CONSENT FOR END-OF-LIFE MEDICAL PROCEDURES FOR MINORS; TO PROHIBIT HEALTHCARE FACILITIES OR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS FROM INSTITUTING END-OF-LIFE MEDICAL PROCEDURES ON A MINOR WITHOUT CONSENT OF A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1116 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE TURNBACK FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1127 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
As Engrossed: H2/2/21 H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT REIMBURSEMENT IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN BEHAVIORAL AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED VIA TELEMEDICINE CONTINUES AFTER THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY CAUSED BY CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1176 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1265
As Engrossed: H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CRAWFORD
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL PASSING OF A SCHOOL BUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1265 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
As Engrossed: H2/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE "CHILDCARE INSTITUTION" UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CRIMINAL RECORD AND CHILD MALTREATMENT CHECKS UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1270 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1278
As Engrossed: H2/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CLOSURE OF INVESTIGATIONS AND INVESTIGATIVE DETERMINATIONS UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1278 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - DONALD W. REYNOLDS CENTER ON AGING, FAY W. BOOZMAN COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE, AND THE AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER IN HELENA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1286 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1312 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1331
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS MUNICIPAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1331 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1358
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN DISCLOSURES OF INFORMATION BY CHILDREN; CONCERNING FOSTER YOUTH TRANSITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1358 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RELEASE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1359 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 311
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROBATION AND PAROLE; CONCERNING TECHNICAL VIOLATIONS AND LENGTH OF SANCTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 311 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
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Ninety-Third General Assembly
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 168, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 183, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 138, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 102
SENATE BILL NO. 103
SENATE BILL NO. 105
SENATE BILL NO. 124
SENATE BILL NO. 143
SENATE BILL NO. 165
SENATE BILL NO. 169
SENATE BILL NO. 240
SENATE BILL NO. 254
SENATE BILL NO. 247

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1183 AS AMENDED #1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002 AS AMENDED #1
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENGROSSED

SENATE BILL NO.  42
SENATE BILL NO.  43
SENATE BILL NO.  109
SENATE BILL NO.  201
SENATE BILL NO.  202
SENATE BILL NO.  209
SENATE BILL NO.  210
SENATE BILL NO.  214
SENATE BILL NO.  222
SENATE BILL NO.  223

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1017
HOUSE BILL NO. 1029
HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
HOUSE BILL NO. 1110
HOUSE BILL NO. 1116
HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
HOUSE BILL NO. 1265
HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
HOUSE BILL NO. 1278
HOUSE BILL NO. 1286
HOUSE BILL NO. 1312
HOUSE BILL NO. 1331
HOUSE BILL NO. 1358
HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, February 10, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Bledsoe requested leave for Senator Hendren. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

Senator Garner

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Bledsoe.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 9, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No.       4  ACT 72  
Senate Bill No.       7  ACT 73  
Senate Bill No.      21  ACT 74  
Senate Bill No.      34  ACT 75  
Senate Bill No.      35  ACT 76  
Senate Bill No.      84  ACT 77  
Senate Bill No.     123  ACT 78  
Senate Bill No.     125  ACT 79  
Senate Bill No.     126  ACT 80  
Senate Bill No.     130  ACT 81  
Senate Bill No.     131  ACT 82  
Senate Bill No.     154  ACT 83

(SIGNED)  ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc:  Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Dear Secretary Thurston:

This is to inform you that on February 9, 2021, I reviewed and approved as to form the following measure from the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 42, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 43, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 109, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 201, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 202, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 210, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 214, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 222, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 223, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:28 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 42
SENATE BILL NO. 43
SENATE BILL NO. 109
SENATE BILL NO. 201
SENATE BILL NO. 209
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SENATE BILL NO. 223
Senator Hickey invoked the point of personal privilege in the form of a motion as follows:

Yesterday, Senator Flowers was censured by this body for making disparaging remarks about another member. This body had such authority to discipline Senator Flowers under Senate rules and the Arkansas Constitution, which states in Article 5, Section 12 that "Each House shall have power to determine the rules of its proceedings and punish its member for contempt or disorderly behavior in its presence."

In conjunction with the censure penalty, I move that Senator Flowers be further sanctioned by this body by forfeiting her Standing Committee privileges for three business days.

I move that Senator Flowers shall not participate in any meeting conducted by the Senate Judiciary Committee or the Senate City, County and Local Affairs Committee on February 15, 16, and 17.

Roll call was requested. Five hands were seen.

Motion Regarding Non-Participation in Committee Meetings for 3 Days


Total ............................................................25
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Hester Leding, Tucker

Total ................................................................. 4

NOT VOTING: Dismang, Stubblefield

Total ......................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Flowers, Garner

Total ................................................................. 3

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the motion .................................. 18

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Trent Garner, Senate Bill No. 161 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 161

Amend Senate Bill No. 161 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Page 2, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following:

“(2) The proper handling of a firearm;
(3) Hunting techniques; and
(4) Wildlife conservation.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 195

Amend Senate Bill No. 195 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 29, and substitute the following:
"purpose of providing a state governmental agency or state public entity either with direct financial support of one million dollars ($1,000,000) or more in the previous calendar year or with in-kind support equivalent to one million dollars ($1,000,000) or more in the previous calendar year."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 292

Amend Senate Bill No. 292 as originally introduced:

Add Senator B. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives M. Berry, Hollowell, McClure, Bentley, Beck, Rye as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 21 through 34, and substitute the following:

"(A) Body cameras with auto-activation capabilities;
(B) In-car cameras with auto-activation capabilities;
(C) Cloud-based storage services;
(D) On-premises server hardware and storage to accommodate on-premises installations;
(E) Conducted electrical devices and related training programs;
(F) Virtual reality training;
(G) Agency accreditation programs;
(H) Bulletproof vests;
(I) Pepper spray;
(J) Rubber bullets; and
(K) Other equipment as deemed necessary by the secretary."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 301 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 301

Amend Senate Bill No. 301 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Gilmore as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Vaught, Underwood, Holcomb, Breaux, Dotson, Beaty Jr., Speaks as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 301 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 161, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 195, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 301, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 301 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 200, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 215, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 216, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 224, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 266, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 285, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 286, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1184, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAROL DALBY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Senator Flowers voted virtually
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE NEED TO DESIGNATE THE MUSEUM LOCATED ON THE FORMER EAKER AIR FORCE BASE THE "NATIONAL COLD WAR CENTER".

Senate Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 104 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 104
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "AVERAGE COMPENSATION" AS THE TERM APPLIES TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 104 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 104. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................ 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................ 0

**EXCUSED:** Hendren.

Total ........................................................................ 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 104, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................ 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Hendren.
Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 104 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 106 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 106
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY TO RECEIVE INCREASED BENEFITS, THE HEALTHCARE OFFSET, AND DEFERRED OPTION ACCOUNTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 106 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 106. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:                                            Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 106, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 106 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 138 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ETHICS AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST OF STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS; TO REENACT THE REQUIREMENT TO FILE AN ADDITIONAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 138 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 138. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: M. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 168 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 168
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE EXEMPTIONS OF CERTAIN ENTITIES FROM INSURANCE REGULATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 168 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 168. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Teague.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

EXCUSED:  Hendren.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 168 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 183 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 183
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAW; TO CHANGE THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS AND CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS OR CARRYOVER FUNDS TO PAY FOR AN ETHICS VIOLATION; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 183 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................31

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Garner.
Total ....................................................................................................2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ....................................................................................................1

EXCUSED: Hendren.
Total ....................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ....................................................................................................0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 183 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 226 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 226
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO ESTABLISH THE MEDICAL MARIJUANA OVERSIGHT SUBCOMMITTEE TO PERFORM OVERSIGHT FUNCTIONS RELATED TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 226 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 226. Motion carried.

Senator Sample spoke for the bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 226 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 282 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 282
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CONSOLIDATED WATERWORKS SYSTEMS; TO AMEND THE GENERAL POWERS OF A PUBLIC BODY; TO AUTHORIZE FINANCING IMPROVEMENTS WITH REVENUE BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 282 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 22


Total ........................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 282 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 289
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, BECK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE MEDICAL ETHICS AND DIVERSITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.

Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.

Senator Hammer closed for his bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 289 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1009 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009
As Engrossed: S2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, DOTSON, WOMACK
BY: SENATORS BECKHAM, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF EXCESS FOOD IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1009 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1009. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1009 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1010 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1010
As Engrossed: S2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR SALES OF CERTAIN AIRCRAFT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1010 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1010. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1010 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1031 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1031
As Engrossed: S2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ELECTRONIC FILING OF INCOME TAX RETURNS BY TAX PRACTITIONERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAX PRACTITIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1031 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1031. Motion passed.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ...........................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1031 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1033 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1033
As Engrossed: S2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY SALES TAX PROVISIONS RELATING TO DIGITAL MAGAZINES AND CAR WASHES; TO REMOVE EXTRANEOUS REFERENCES TO DIGITAL MAGAZINES IN THE SALES TAX LAWS; TO CLARIFY THE EXEMPTION OF A CAR WASH OPERATOR'S SALE OF A CAR WASH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1033 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1033. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin, Teague.
Total .............................................................................................. 2

EXCUSED: Hendren.
Total .............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1033 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE WAIVER OF CERTAIN FEES; TO AUTHORIZE THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO WAIVE THE CERTIFICATE OF INDEBTEDNESS FILING FEES IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1041 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1041. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Hendren. ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: ................................................................. 0
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1041 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1042 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1042
As Engrossed: S2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS SPECIAL EXCISE TAX LEVIED ON LONG-TERM RENTAL VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1042 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1042. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1042 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1099 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD TO PROMULGATE RULES REGARDING TELEHEALTH AND TELEMEDICINE AND TO ISSUE RESTRICTED LICENSES FOR VETERINARIANS; TO REPLACE REFERENCES TO THE SECRETARY-TREASURER AND THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD WITH THE DIRECTOR OF THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1099 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1099. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Irvin, B. Johnson, Pitsch, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 4
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1099 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1142 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1142
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, CAVENAUGH
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RECOGNIZE ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION OF LIVESTOCK AND ANIMALS AS A ROUTINE ANIMAL HUSBANDRY PRACTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1142 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1142. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1142 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1322 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOLCOMB, L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TIMELINE FOR EMBALMING A DEAD BODY IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1322 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1322. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:** Davis.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1322 was returned to the House as passed.
SENATE BILL NO. 312
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, M. PITSCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING OWNERSHIP AND POSSESSION OF REAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 312 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 313
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE GREAT RIVER ROAD DIVISION INTO THE TOURISM DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 313 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 314
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, L. CHESTERFIELD, TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES A. COLLINS, LOVE, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION; TO ESTABLISH THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL BE RETURNED TO LOCAL CONTROL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 314 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 315
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS COURT SECURITY ACT; TO ADDRESS COURTS THAT LACK PROPER SECURITY; TO CREATE THE COURT SECURITY FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 315 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 316
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 132 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 316 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 317
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 137 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 317 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 318
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 131 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 318 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 319
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - SYSTEM AND VARIOUS DIVISIONS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 140 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

 Senate Bill No. 319 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 320  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 138 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 320 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 321  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 139 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 321 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 322  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 128 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 322 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 323  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FAYETTEVILLE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 136 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 323 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 324
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 133 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 324 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 325
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 135 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 325 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 326
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 141 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 326 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 327
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 127 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 327 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 328
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SAU-TECH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 130 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 328 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 329
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 129 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 329 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 330
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 134 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 330 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 331
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, B. JOHNSON, J. STURCH, J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING A LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY BARRACKS FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 27 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 331 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PUBLIC HEALTH READINESS ACT; TO IMPROVE THE ABILITY OF MEDICAL FACILITIES TO RESPOND IN A PANDEMIC; TO REQUIRE MANUFACTURERS OF DIGITAL ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT USED BY MEDICAL FACILITIES TO MAKE AVAILABLE DOCUMENTS, PARTS, AND SERVICE TOOLS; TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES THAT IS OTHERWISE PROHIBITED TO BE DISCLOSED; TO REQUIRE A RECORD OF DETERMINATIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR MONETARY PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN ACTIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR CIVIL ACTION BY CERTAIN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 332 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 66 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 77 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 78 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 87 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 102 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 103 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 105 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 173 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 32 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 32 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS BREAST MILK BANK; TO CREATE THE BREAST MILK BANK SPECIAL FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1067 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO SALES BY A COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATION; TO PROVIDE THAT SALES BY A COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATION THROUGH THE INTERNET ARE EXEMPT FROM THE DEFINITION OF "FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1118 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1140 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1141 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE WATER CONTROL AGENCY TO SEEK AND ACCEPT DELEGATION OF THE PERMITTING PROGRAM FOR SECTION 404 OF THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT ACTIVITIES AND ADMINISTER THAT PERMITTING PROGRAM IN LIEU OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1261 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE STATE HIGHWAY 5, KNOWN AS THE HOT SPRINGS BYPASS EXTENSION, IN GARLAND COUNTY AS A SCENIC HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1375 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY, & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LIMITATIONS ON THE ISSUANCE OF MILITARY AND VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES; TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1406 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION REQUIRING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH BY LAW AN ELECTION PROCESS IN WHICH CANDIDATES AT A PRIMARY ELECTION, SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION, OR ELECTION FOR NONPARTISAN OFFICE APPEAR ON A SINGLE BALLOT REGARDLESS OF POLITICAL PARTY AFFILIATION AND THE TOP TWO (2) CANDIDATES FOR EACH OFFICE ADVANCE TO THE GENERAL ELECTION OR SPECIAL ELECTION; AND REQUIRING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH BY LAW A PROCESS BASED ON PARTY AFFILIATION FOR SELECTING DELEGATES TO ATTEND A QUADRENNIAL NATIONAL NOMINATING CONVENTION OF A POLITICAL PARTY TO SELECT A NOMINEE FOR THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND A PROCESS FOR CHOOSING AND ELECTING
ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Subtitle
AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION REQUIRING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH BY LAW A REVISED ELECTION PROCESS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. The Arkansas Constitution is amended to add an additional amendment to read as follows:

(a) The General Assembly shall enact laws establishing an election process for general elections, special elections, and elections for nonpartisan office in which:

(1)(A) The names of all persons who have filed as candidates for a primary election, special primary election, or election for nonpartisan office shall be listed on a single ballot, regardless of political party.

(B) The political party affiliation, if any, of each candidate shall appear on the ballot beside the name of each candidate.

(C)(i) A candidate who is unaffiliated with a political party shall appear on the primary election ballot or special primary election ballot.

(ii) The word "Independent" shall appear on the ballot beside the name of an unaffiliated candidate;

(2)(A) The two (2) candidates receiving the greatest number of votes cast for each office at the primary election, special primary election, or election for nonpartisan office shall advance to the general election or special election, regardless of each candidate's political party affiliation, if any.

(B) If only one (1) or two (2) persons file as candidates for an office at a primary election, special primary election, or election for nonpartisan office, the candidate or candidates shall automatically advance to the general election or special election.

(C) The General Assembly may provide by law that if one (1) candidate receives a specified percentage of the vote for an office at a special primary election, only that one (1) candidate shall advance to the special election; and...
(3)(A) The candidate receiving the greatest number of votes for the office at the general election or special election shall be declared the winner of the election.

(B)(i) If only one (1) candidate for an office will be listed on the general election ballot or special election ballot, the candidate shall be declared elected, his or her name shall not appear on the general election or special election ballot, and the name of the candidate declared elected shall be certified as elected in the same manner as if the candidate had been voted upon at the general election or special election.

(ii) The general election or special election shall not be held if no other office or issue is on the general election ballot or special election ballot.

(b)(1) The election process under subsection (a) of this section shall apply to all elections for:

(A) Federal congressional office;
(B) State office;
(C) County office;
(D) Nonpartisan office, including without limitation judicial office.

(2) The election process under subsection (a) of this section does not apply to elections for:

(A) Municipal office; and
(B) Local office.

(c)(1) The election process under subsection (a) of this section shall not apply to primary elections and general elections for President of the United States.

(2)(A) The General Assembly shall provide by law for a presidential primary election to select delegates to attend a quadrennial national nominating convention of a political party to select nominees for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States.

(B) Voting at the presidential primary election shall be based on party affiliation.

(3)(A) The General Assembly shall provide by law for a process to choose and elect electors for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States.

(B) The choice and election of electors for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States may appear on the general election ballot.

(d) The General Assembly shall enact all laws necessary to implement this amendment, including without limitation laws concerning:

(1) The process for filing as a candidate for a primary election, special primary election, and election for nonpartisan office, including without limitation the process for filing as an unaffiliated candidate;

(2) Procedures for conducting primary elections, general elections, elections for nonpartisan office, and special elections, including without limitation a process for:

(A) Resolving tie votes; and
(B) Determining when and if candidate vacancies may be filled at primary elections, general elections, elections for nonpartisan office, and special elections;

(3) When primary elections, general elections, elections for nonpartisan office, and special elections shall occur;

(4) The process for filing as a candidate at a presidential primary election;

(5) The date a presidential primary election shall occur;

(6) Procedures for conducting a presidential primary election;

(7) The process for electors for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States to file for inclusion on the ballot;
When the choice and election of electors for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States shall occur;

Procedures for conducting an election to choose and elect electors for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States;

The process for filing as a write-in candidate; and

Other matters deemed necessary by the General Assembly for the implementation of this amendment.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Constitution, Article 3, § 13, is repealed.

§ 13. Procedures for elections with one candidate.

(a) As used in this section, “election” means:

(1) A primary election;
(2) A special primary election;
(3) A general election; and
(4) A special election.

(b) The General Assembly may enact laws providing that if there is only one person qualified as a candidate for an office after all deadlines for filing as a candidate have passed so that there will be only one name listed on the election ballot for the office and no write-in candidates qualify to appear as candidates for the office on the election ballot:

(1) The one candidate for the office shall be declared elected and his or her name shall not appear on the election ballot;

(2) The name of the candidate declared elected shall be certified as elected in the same manner as if the candidate had been voted upon at the election; and

(3) The election shall not be held if no other office or issue is on the election ballot.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 29, Section 5, is amended to read as follows:

§ 5. Election to fill — Placing names on ballots.

Only the names of candidates for office nominated by an organized political party at a convention of delegates, or by a majority of all the votes cast for candidates for the office in a primary election, or by petition of electors as provided by law, shall be placed on the ballots in any election.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment is effective on and after January 1, 2023, and shall be applicable to elections occurring on and after January 1, 2024.

SECTION 5. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this joint resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be “A Constitutional Amendment Requiring the General Assembly to Establish by Law an Election Process in which Candidates at a Primary Election, Special Primary Election, or Election for Nonpartisan Office Appear on a Single Ballot Regardless of Political Party Affiliation and the Top Two Candidates Advance to the General Election or Special Election; and Requiring the General Assembly to Establish by Law a Process Based on Party Affiliation for Selecting Delegates to Attend a Quadrennial National Nominating Convention of a Political Party to Select a Nominee for the Office of President of the United States and a Process for Choosing and Electing Electors for President of the United States and Vice President of the United States”.
Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, IRVIN, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, J. DISMANG, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, HILL, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DOTSON, L. JOHNSON, BEATY JR. ET AL

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY ENACT LAWS PRESCRIBING RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE IN ALL COURTS THAT SUPERSEDE RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE PRESCRIBED BY THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT.

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY ENACT LAWS PRESCRIBING RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE IN ALL COURTS THAT SUPERSEDE RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE PRESCRIBED BY THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT.

Subtitle

A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO PERMIT LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENT OF RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE FOR COURTS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:
THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 80, § 3, is amended to read as follows:

§ 3. Rules of pleading, practice, and procedure.
(a) The Supreme Court shall prescribe the rules of pleading, practice, and procedure, and evidence for all courts.
(b) (1) By a three-fifths vote of each house, the General Assembly may prescribe rules of pleading, practice, procedure, and evidence for all courts.
(2) Rules prescribed by the General Assembly under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall supersede any conflicting rules of pleading, practice, procedure, or evidence prescribed by the Supreme Court.
(c) provided these rules Rules prescribed under this section shall not abridge, enlarge or modify any substantive right and shall preserve the right of trial by jury as declared in this Constitution.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this amendment to the Arkansas Constitution are severable and, if any should be held invalid, the remainder shall stand.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment to the Arkansas Constitution is effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 4. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment to the Arkansas Constitution is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The popular name for the proposed amendment shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Permit Legislative Enactment of Rules of Pleading, Practice, Procedure, and Evidence for Courts."; and
(2) The ballot title shall be "A Proposed Amendment to the Arkansas Constitution Providing that the General Assembly May Enact Laws Prescribing Rules of Pleading, Practice, Procedure, and Evidence in All Courts that
Supersede Rules of Pleading, Practice, Procedure, and Evidence Prescribed by the Arkansas Supreme Court."

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, J. DISMANG, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, HILL, B. JOHNSON, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, DOTSON, ET AL

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT LIMITS ON AWARDS OF PUNITIVE DAMAGES AND NONECONOMIC DAMAGES IN CIVIL ACTIONS.

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT LIMITS ON AWARDS OF PUNITIVE DAMAGES AND NONECONOMIC DAMAGES IN CIVIL ACTIONS.

Subtitle
A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PERMITTING LIMITS ON AWARDS OF PUNITIVE AND NONECONOMIC DAMAGES.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A
MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AgreeING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 32, is amended to read as follows:

§ 32. Workmen's Compensation Laws — Actions for personal injuries.
(a) The General Assembly shall have power to enact laws prescribing the amount of compensation to be paid by employers for injuries to or death of employees, and to whom said payment shall be made. It shall have power to provide the means, methods, and forum for adjudicating claims arising under said laws, and for securing payment of same.

(b)(1) The General Assembly may enact laws limiting the amount of punitive damages and noneconomic damages that may be awarded for each claimant in actions for injuries resulting in death or for injuries to persons or property, including without limitation medical injuries.

(2) As used in this section, "noneconomic damages" means damages that cannot be measured in money, including without limitation any loss or damage, however characterized, for one (1) or more of the following:
   (A) Pain, suffering, and mental anguish;
   (B) Scars, disfigurement, and visible results of an injury;
   (C) Loss of consortium; and
   (D) Loss of life.

(c) Provided, that otherwise Except as provided in subsections (a) and (b) of this section, no law shall be enacted limiting the amount to be recovered for injuries resulting in death or for injuries to persons or property; and in case of death from such injuries the right of action shall survive, and the General Assembly shall prescribe for whose benefit such action shall be prosecuted.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this amendment are severable, and if any should be held invalid, the remainder shall stand.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment to the Arkansas Constitution shall be effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 4. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The popular name for this proposed amendment shall be "An Amendment to the Arkansas Constitution Concerning Limits on Awards of Punitive Damages and Noneconomic Damages in Civil Actions"; and

(2) The ballot title for this proposed amendment shall be "An Amendment to the Arkansas Constitution Providing that the General Assembly May Enact Laws Limiting the Amount of Punitive Damages and Noneconomic Damages that May Be Awarded in Actions for Injuries Resulting in Death or for Injuries to Persons or Property".
Senate Joint Resolution No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 6, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)   SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1155, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 333
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LAWFUL DISPLAY OF A LICENSE PLATE; TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION ALLOWING CERTAIN DEVICES TO OBSCURE A LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 333 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 334
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A STATE AGENCY; TO ADD NEW DEFINITIONS UNDER EMINENT DOMAIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 334 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 335
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A LOCAL GOVERNMENT; TO ADD NEW DEFINITIONS UNDER EMINENT DOMAIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 335 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, IRVIN, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS,
J. DISMANG, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER,
HILL, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DOTSON, ET AL

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ENSURE THAT SUFFICIENT CHECKS AND BALANCES EXIST BETWEEN THE POWERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE AND JUDICIAL BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT BY PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY ENACT LAWS PRESCRIBING RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE IN ALL COURTS THAT SUPERSEDE RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE PRESCRIBED BY THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT.

Subtitle
A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO PERMIT LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENT OF RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, PROCEDURE, AND EVIDENCE FOR COURTS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. The General Assembly finds that this amendment is necessary to ensure that sufficient checks and balances exist between the powers of
the legislative and judicial branches by allowing legislative input on the rules of pleading, practice, procedure, and evidence for all courts.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 80, § 3, is amended to read as follows:

§ 3. Rules of pleading, practice, and procedure.
(a) The Supreme Court shall prescribe the rules of pleading, practice, and procedure, and evidence for all courts.
(b)(1) By a three-fifths vote of each house, the General Assembly may prescribe rules of pleading, practice, procedure, and evidence for all courts.
(2) Rules prescribed by the General Assembly under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall supersede any conflicting rules of pleading, practice, procedure, or evidence prescribed by the Supreme Court.
(c) provided these rules Rules prescribed under this section shall not abridge, enlarge or modify any substantive right and shall preserve the right of trial by jury as declared in this Constitution.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this amendment to the Arkansas Constitution are severable and, if any should be held invalid, the remainder shall stand.

SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment to the Arkansas Constitution is effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 5. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment to the Arkansas Constitution is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The popular name for the proposed amendment shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Permit Legislative Enactment of Rules of Pleading, Practice, Procedure, and Evidence for Courts for the Purpose of Ensuring that Sufficient Checks and Balances Exist Between the Legislative and Judicial Branches of Government."; and
(2) The ballot title shall be "A Proposed Amendment to the Arkansas Constitution to Ensure that Sufficient Checks and Balances Exist Between the Legislative and Judicial Branches of Government by Providing that the General Assembly May Enact Laws Prescribing Rules of Pleading, Practice, Procedure, and Evidence in All Courts that Supersede Rules of Pleading, Practice, Procedure, and Evidence Prescribed by the Arkansas Supreme Court."
Senate Joint Resolution No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER, HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, ET AL

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE ITSELF IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION UPON THE JOINT PROCLAMATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE ITSELF IN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 5, is amended to read as follows:
§ 5. Regular and fiscal sessions.

(a) The General Assembly shall meet at the seat of government every year.

(b) The General Assembly shall meet in regular session on the second Monday in January of each odd-numbered year to consider any bill or resolution. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the regular session begins.

(c)(1) Beginning in 2010, the General Assembly shall meet in fiscal session on the second Monday in February of each even-numbered year to consider only appropriation bills. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the fiscal session begins.

(2) A bill other than an appropriation bill may be considered in a fiscal session if two-thirds (2/3) of the members of each house of the General Assembly approve consideration of the bill.

(d) The General Assembly, by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly, may alter the dates of the regular session and fiscal session so that regular sessions occur in even numbered years and the fiscal sessions occur in odd-numbered years.

(e)(1)(A) The General Assembly shall meet in extraordinary session upon the joint proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(B) The General Assembly may consider any type or subject matter of legislation at an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.

(2)(A) During each regular session, the General Assembly shall establish by joint rule procedures for an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.

(B) Joint rules established under subdivision (e)(2)(A) of this section may include without limitation:

(i) A limitation on the duration of an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section; and

(ii) A provision permitting the General Assembly, by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to both houses, to remain in session for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days after the conclusion of an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.

(C) Rules established under subdivision (e)(2)(A) of this section may be amended by the General Assembly.
(3) This section does not restrict the authority of the Governor to convene an extraordinary session of the General Assembly under Arkansas Constitution, Article 6, § 19.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Allow the General Assembly to Convene Itself in Extraordinary Session Upon the Joint Proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE AN IMPLIED WARRANTY OF HABITABILITY FOR ARKANSAS TENANTS AND PROVIDE PROTECTIONS TO ARKANSAS TENANTS.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE AN IMPLIED WARRANTY OF HABITABILITY AND PROVIDE PROTECTIONS TO ARKANSAS TENANTS.
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. The Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

§ 1. Finding and intent of amendment.

It is declared that:

(1) Arkansas is the only state in the country where the nonpayment of rent and failure to vacate is a crime;

(2) Arkansas is the only state in the country without an implied warranty of habitability;

(3) Arkansas has not clearly codified the holding of Gorman v. Ratliff, 289 Ark. 332, 712 S.W.2d 888, denying a landlord the right to use self-help to evict a tenant without a court order;

(4) Arkansans have fewer rights than tenants in any other state;

(5) The right to a safe and habitable home for oneself and one’s family is a core and fundamental right and the people of the State of Arkansas should be given the right to have their voices heard on this issue; and

(6) Over ninety percent (90%) of Arkansans support the enactment of an implied warranty of habitability.

§ 2. Failure to pay rent and refusal to vacate not criminal offense.

The failure to pay rent when due shall not operate to forfeit the remainder of the lease term by operation of law, and subsequent failure to vacate after being given notice is not a criminal offense.

§ 3. Prohibited terms and conditions of rental agreement.

(a)(1) A rental agreement shall not require a tenant to waive or forgo a right or remedy established by this amendment.
(2) A provision in a rental agreement prohibited by this amendment shall be unenforceable and void.

(b) If a landlord seeks to enforce a provision prohibited by this amendment or accepts a tenant’s voluntary compliance with a provision prohibited by this amendment, a court may award the tenant an amount not to exceed one (1) month’s rent.

§ 4. Landlord disclosure.
(a) Before entering into a rental agreement, a prospective landlord shall disclose to a prospective tenant in writing the following information:

1. Any condition of the premises that the landlord knows or should know on a reasonable inspection of the premises would constitute a noncompliance under § 5 of this amendment and would materially interfere with the health and safety of the tenant or an immediate family member of the tenant;

2. Whether, to the knowledge of the landlord, a foreclosure action or nonjudicial foreclosure proceeding has been commenced against the premises;

3. Any rules affecting the tenant’s use and enjoyment of the premises, whether adopted by the landlord or another authorized person;

4. The name of the landlord;

5. The name of and contact information for any person authorized to manage the premises;

6. The name of and contact information for any person authorized to receive a notice or demand for the owner of the premises; and

7. The address to which or method by which the tenant must deliver rent.

(b) A landlord shall update the information disclosed under subsection (a) of this section as necessary.

§ 5. Landlord duty to maintain habitable premises.
(a) In any residential rental agreement, the landlord has a nonwaivable duty to provide and maintain, throughout the period of the tenancy, premises that:

1. Are safe, clean, and fit for human habitation; and

2. Comply with the requirements of applicable building, housing, and health regulations.

(b) A landlord shall at all times during the tenancy maintain the premises in a habitable condition.
(c) Premises meet the habitable condition requirement of this amendment if:

1. The dwelling unit has effective waterproofing and weather protection of a roof and exterior walls, including windows and a door;
2. The dwelling unit has plumbing facilities that conform to applicable law and are maintained in good working order;
3. The dwelling unit has a water supply approved under applicable law that is:
   A. Under the control of the tenant or landlord and is capable of producing hot and cold running water;
   B. Furnished with appropriate fixtures;
   C. Connected to a sewage disposal system approved under applicable law; and
   D. Maintained so as to provide safe drinking water and to be in good working order to the extent that the water supply can be controlled by the landlord;
4. The dwelling unit has adequate heating facilities that conform to applicable law and are maintained in good working order;
5. The dwelling unit has electrical lighting with wiring and electrical equipment that conform to applicable law and are maintained in good working order;
6. The buildings, grounds, and appurtenances on the premises at the time of the commencement of the rental agreement are:
   A. Safe for normal and reasonably foreseeable uses; and
   B. Clean, sanitary, and free from all accumulations of debris, filth, rubbish, and garbage, and rodents and vermin;
7. All areas under the control of the landlord are kept:
   A. Safe for normal and reasonably foreseeable uses; and
   B. Clean, sanitary, and free from all accumulations of debris, filth, rubbish, and garbage, and rodents and vermin;
8. The dwelling unit has an adequate number of appropriate receptacles for garbage and rubbish that are in clean condition and good repair at the time of the commencement of the rental agreement, and the landlord provides and maintains appropriate serviceable receptacles for garbage and rubbish thereafter and arranges for their removal;
(9) The dwelling unit has floors, walls, ceilings, stairways, and railings maintained in good repair;

(10) The premises have proper ventilation, air conditioning, and other facilities and appliances, including without limitation elevators, maintained in good repair if supplied or required to be supplied by the landlord;

(11) The premises have a working smoke alarm or smoke detector, with working batteries if solely battery-operated, provided during the duration of the tenancy;

(12)(A) The premises have a working carbon monoxide alarm, with working batteries if solely battery-operated, provided for during the duration of the tenancy.

(B) Subdivision (c)(12)(A) of this section applies only if a dwelling unit contains a carbon monoxide source or is located within a premises that contains a carbon monoxide source and the dwelling unit is connected to the room in which the carbon monoxide source is located by a door, duct work, or a ventilation shaft; and

(13) The premises have:

(A) Working locks for all dwelling unit entrance doors and keys for those locks that require keys; and

(B) Working latches for all windows by which access may be had to the dwelling unit portion of the premises.

§ 6. Landlord noncompliance and tenant remedies.

(a) If the landlord fails to comply with the landlord's obligations under § 5 of this amendment and, after receiving actual notice of the noncompliance from the tenant, a governmental entity, or a qualified independent inspector, the landlord fails to repair the noncompliance within a reasonable time, the tenant may:

(1) Withhold the payment of rent for the period of the noncompliance;

(2) Obtain injunctive relief;

(3) Recover damages, costs, and reasonable attorney's fees;

(4) Make workmanlike repairs to the premises and deduct the actual and reasonable cost of the repairs from the rent, not to exceed the amount of three (3) month's rent during a twelve-month period; or

(5) Terminate the rental agreement on reasonable notice of the termination to the landlord.
(b) The tenant remedies under this section are not available if the condition of the premises was caused by a negligent or deliberate act or omission of the tenant or a person on the premises with the tenant’s consent.

§ 7. Landlord’s noncompliance as defense to action for possession.

(a) In an action for possession of the premises based upon nonpayment of the rent by the tenant or in an action for rent in which the tenant is in possession of the premises, the tenant may counterclaim for any amount that he or she may recover under the rental agreement.

(b)(1) Except as provided for in subsection (e) of this section, if the tenant filed a counterclaim under subsection (a) of this section, the court may order the tenant to pay into the court registry all or part of the accrued rent due by the tenant and thereafter accruing and shall determine the amount due to each party.

(2) The party to whom a net amount is owed shall be paid first from the money paid into the court registry, and the balance by the other party.

(c) If no rent remains due by the tenant after application of this section and a judgment is made in favor of the tenant, the judgment shall be entered for the tenant in the action for possession.

(d) If the defense or counterclaim by the tenant is without merit and is not raised in good faith, the court may order that the landlord may recover reasonable attorney’s fees.

(e) In an action for rent in which the tenant is not in possession of the premises and does not owe any past due rent payments, the tenant may counterclaim as provided in subsection (a) of this section, but the tenant is not required to pay any rent into the court registry.

§ 8. Retaliatory conduct by landlord prohibited.

(a) A landlord may not retaliate against a tenant by taking an action described in subsection (b) of this section if the tenant:

(1) In good faith exercises or attempts to exercise against a landlord a right or remedy granted to the tenant by the rental agreement, municipal ordinance, a federal rule or regulation, or a state statute;

(2) Gives the landlord a notice to repair the premises or exercises a remedy under this amendment;

(3) Complains to a governmental entity responsible for enforcing building or housing codes, a public utility, or a civic or nonprofit agency, and the tenant:

(A) Claims a building or housing code violation or utility
problem; and

(B) Believes in good faith that the complaint is valid and that the violation or problem occurred; or

(4) Establishes, attempts to establish, or participates in a tenant organization formed to address tenant housing issues.

(b) A landlord may not retaliate against a tenant by:

(1) Filing an eviction proceeding;

(2) Depriving the tenant of the use of the premises, except for reasons authorized by law;

(3) Decreasing landlord services relating to the tenancy or the tenant;

(4) Increasing the tenant's rent or terminating the tenant's rental agreement; or

(5) Engaging in conduct that materially interferes with the tenant's rights under the tenant's rental agreement.


(a)(1) If a landlord retaliates against the tenant under § 8 of this amendment, the tenant may recover from the landlord a civil penalty of three (3) months' rent plus five hundred dollars ($500), actual damages, court costs, moving costs, actual expenses, civil penalties, or declaratory or injunctive relief, less any rent owed or other sums for which the tenant is liable to the landlord.

(2) A tenant may recover reasonable attorney's fees in an action for recovery of property damage caused to the tenant's property by the landlord.

(b) If the tenant's rent payment to the landlord is subsidized in whole or in part by a governmental entity, the civil penalty granted under this section shall reflect the fair market rent of the dwelling unit plus five hundred dollars ($500).

§ 10. Access to dwelling unit.

(a)(1) Except as provided in this section, a landlord shall not enter a dwelling unit without the tenant's consent.

(2) A tenant shall not unreasonably withhold consent for the landlord to enter the dwelling unit.

(b) A landlord may enter the dwelling unit for the following purposes between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. on at least forty-eight (48) hours' notice to the tenant:

(1) When it is necessary that the landlord inspect the premises;
(2) To make necessary or agreed-upon repairs, alterations, or improvements to the premises;

(3) To supply agreed-upon landlord services relating to the tenancy; or

(4) To exhibit the dwelling unit to prospective or actual purchasers, mortgagees, tenants, workers, or contractors.

(c) A landlord may only enter a dwelling unit without consent or notice when the landlord has a reasonable belief that there is imminent:

(1) Danger to any person in the dwelling unit; or

(2) Threat of property damage to the dwelling unit.

§ 11. Penalties for abuse or abuse of access to rental property.

(a) If a tenant unreasonably refuses to allow the landlord access to the dwelling unit, the landlord may recover actual damages or one (1) month’s periodic rent, whichever is greater, and reasonable attorney’s fees and costs, and the:

(1) Court may compel the tenant to grant the landlord access to the dwelling unit; or

(2) Landlord may terminate the rental agreement by giving the tenant notice in a court order stating that if the tenant fails to grant the landlord access to the dwelling unit not later than fourteen (14) days after the notice, the rental agreement will terminate on the expiration of the fourteen-day period or on a later specified date.

(b) If a landlord unlawfully enters into a tenant's dwelling unit, lawfully enters but in an unreasonable manner, or makes repeated demands to enter into the dwelling unit that are otherwise lawful but have the effect of harassing the tenant, the tenant may recover actual damages or one (1) month’s periodic rent, whichever is greater, and reasonable attorney’s fees and costs, and the tenant may:

(1) Seek injunctive relief to prevent the recurrence of the conduct; or

(2) Terminate the rental agreement by giving the landlord notice in a court record that the rental agreement will terminate immediately or on a later specified date that is not later than thirty (30) days after notice is given.

§ 12. Payment of rent and rent increases.

(a) Rent is payable without demand or notice at the time and place agreed upon by the parties.

(b) An increase in rent shall take effect on the first day of the rental period following no less than sixty (60) days’ actual notice to the tenant.
§ 13. Illegal evictions and penalties.
(a) A landlord shall not:
   (1) Change the locks on a dwelling unit without giving the tenant new keys, except through the proper judicial process;
   (2) Interrupt or cause the interruption of heat, running water, hot water, electric, gas, or other essential utility services to the tenant, except for temporary interruption for emergency repairs; or
   (3) Deny a tenant access to and possession of the tenant's personal property, except through the proper judicial process.
(b) In the case of the lease of a site for a manufactured home, no landlord may remove the home from the leased site, except through the proper judicial process.
(c) If a landlord violates this section, the tenant may:
   (1) Recover possession of the premises and an amount equal to three (3) months’ rent; or
   (2) Terminate the rental agreement and recover the tenant's security deposit, all prepaid rent, and three (3) months’ rent.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:
   (1) The title of this joint resolution shall be the ballot title; and
   (2) The popular name shall be "An Amendment to the Arkansas Constitution to Create an Implied Warranty of Habitability and to Provide Protections for Arkansas Tenants".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE IN AN ELECTION.

Subtitle
AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE IN AN ELECTION.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this joint resolution is to propose an amendment to the Arkansas Constitution concerning the qualifications to vote in an election.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS
CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT THE CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF
ARKANSAS HAVE A FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS FOR
THEIR COMMON AND INDIVIDUAL DEFENSE AND FOR HUNTING AND
RECREATIONAL PURPOSES; AND PROVIDING THAT THE RIGHT OF CITIZENS
OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS SHALL NOT BE
DENIED OR INFRINGED BY THE STATE OF ARKANSAS OR ANY POLITICAL
SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Subtitle
AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE
THAT THE CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS HAVE A FUNDAMENTAL
RIGHT TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH
HOUSE AGREING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of
the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for
approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators,
if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the
amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 5, is amended to read
as follows:

§ 5. Right to bear arms.
(a) The citizens of this State shall have the right to keep and bear arms, for their common defense have a fundamental right to keep and bear arms for their common and individual defense and for hunting and recreational purposes.

(b) The right of the citizens of this State to keep and bear arms shall not be denied or infringed by the State of Arkansas or any political subdivision of the State of Arkansas.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Provide that Citizens of the State of Arkansas Have a Fundamental Right to Keep and Bear Arms".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE THE "ARKANSAS RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AMENDMENT"; AND TO PROVIDE THAT GOVERNMENT MAY BURDEN A PERSON'S FREEDOM OF RELIGION ONLY IF THE GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATES THAT APPLICATION OF THE BURDEN TO THE PERSON IS IN FURTHERANCE OF A COMPELLING GOVERNMENT INTEREST AND IS THE LEAST RESTRICTIVE MEANS OF FURTHERING THAT COMPELLING GOVERNMENT INTEREST.
Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE THE "ARKANSAS RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AMENDMENT".

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. This amendment shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment".

SECTION 2. (a) The General Assembly finds:

1. The framers of the United States Constitution, recognizing free exercise of religion as an unalienable right, secured its protection in the First Amendment to the United States Constitution;

2. The framers of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, also recognizing the free exercise of religion as an unalienable right, secured the protection of religious freedom in Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 24;

3. Federal and state laws "neutral" toward religion may burden religious exercise as surely as laws intended to interfere with religious exercise;

4. Governments should not burden religious exercise without compelling justification;

5. In Employment Division v. Smith, 494 U.S. 872 (1990), the United States Supreme Court virtually eliminated the requirement that the government justify burdens on religious exercise imposed by laws neutral toward religion;

6. The compelling interest test as set forth in prior court rulings is a workable test for striking sensible balances between religious liberty and...
competing government interests in areas ranging from public education (pedagogical interests and religious rights, including recognizing regulations necessary to alleviate interference with the educational process versus rights of religious freedom), national defense (conscription and conscientious objection, including the need to raise an army versus rights to object to individual participation), and other areas of important mutual concern; and

(7) The United States Congress passed the Religious Freedom Restoration Act, 42 U.S.C. § 2000bb, to establish the compelling interest test set forth in prior federal court rulings, but in City of Boerne v. Flores, 117 S.Ct. 2157 (1997), the United States Supreme Court held the act unconstitutional, stating that the right to regulate was retained by the states.

(b) The purpose of this amendment is to:

(1) Guarantee that the freedom of religion is not burdened by state and local law; and

(2) Provide a claim or defense to persons whose religious freedom is burdened by government.

SECTION 3. As used in this amendment:

(1) "Demonstrates" means meeting the burden of going forward with the evidence and of persuasion;

(2) "Freedom of religion" means the free exercise of religion under Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 24;

(3) "Government" means:

(A) A branch, department, agency, or instrumentality of the State of Arkansas;

(B) A political subdivision of the state, including without limitation a county, municipality, township, or other unit of local government;

(C) An official acting on behalf of government; and

(D) A person acting under the color of law of the State of Arkansas; and

(4) "Rule" means a statement of Arkansas law, including without limitation a:

(A) Statute;

(B) Rule;

(C) Regulation;

(D) Ordinance;

(E) Administrative provision;

(F) Administrative ruling;
(G) Guideline; or
(H) Requirement.

SECTION 4. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, government shall not burden a person's freedom of religion even if the burden results from a rule of general applicability.

(b) Government may burden a person's freedom of religion only if the government demonstrates that application of the burden to the person:

(1) Is in furtherance of a compelling government interest; and
(2) Is the least restrictive means of furthering that compelling government interest.

(c) A person whose religious freedom has been burdened in violation of this section may assert that violation as a claim or defense in a judicial, administrative, or other appropriate proceeding and obtain appropriate relief against a government.

SECTION 5. (a) This amendment applies to each rule of government and its implementation, regardless of whether the rule:

(1) Is statutory; or
(2) Was adopted prior to or after the effective date of this amendment.

(b) This amendment shall not be construed to:

(1) Authorize a government to burden a religious belief; or
(2) Affect, interpret, or in any way address:

(A) The portions of the United States Constitution, First Amendment, permitting the free exercise of religion or prohibiting laws respecting the establishment of religion; or
(B) Article 2, § 24 of this constitution regarding religious liberty.

SECTION 6. (a) This amendment shall be liberally construed to effectuate its remedial and deterrent purposes.

(b) If any provision of this amendment or its application to any particular person or circumstance is held invalid, that provision or its application is severable and does not affect the validity of other provisions or applications of this amendment.
SECTION 7.  EFFECTIVE DATE.  This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2023.

SECTION 8.  BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME.  When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this joint resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment Creating the 'Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment' And Providing That Government May Burden a Person's Freedom Of Religion Only if the Government Demonstrates that Application of the Burden to the Person is in Furtherance of a Compelling Government Interest and is the Least Restrictive Means of Furthering that Compelling Government Interest".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION REQUIRING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHEN DECLARING AN EMERGENCY BY EXECUTIVE ORDER OR PROCLAMATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING LEGISLATION RELATED TO THE EMERGENCY; AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION REGARDING THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF A STATE AGENCY DURING AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION THAT RUNS CONCURRENT WITH A DECLARED EMERGENCY; AND PROVIDING THAT AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION CONVENED DUE TO THE DECLARATION OF AN EMERGENCY SHALL ADJOURN SINE DIE UPON THE TERMINATION OF THE EMERGENCY DECLARATION.
Subtitle

A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT REQUIRING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHEN DECLARING AN EMERGENCY BY EXECUTIVE ORDER OR PROCLAMATION.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 6, Section 19, is amended to read as follows:


(a) The Governor may, by proclamation, on extraordinary occasions, convene the General Assembly at the seat of government, or at a different place, if that shall have become, since their last adjournment, dangerous from an enemy or contagious disease; and he shall specify in his proclamation the purpose for which they are convened; and no other business than that set forth therein shall be transacted until the same shall have been disposed of; after which they may, by a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to both houses, entered upon their journals, remain in session not exceeding fifteen days.

(b)(1) If the Governor declares by executive order or proclamation that an emergency exists in the state, he or she shall convene the General Assembly in extraordinary session within twenty-four (24) hours of the declaration of the emergency.

(2)(A) Except as provided under subdivision (b)(2)(B) of this section, the purpose of an extraordinary session under subdivision (b)(1) of this
section shall be the consideration of legislation related to the emergency declared by the Governor.

(B) During an extraordinary session under subdivision (b)(1) of this section, the General Assembly may take administrative action regarding the executive head of a state agency, including without limitation:

(i) Terminating the employment of the executive head of the state agency; and

(ii) Hiring an individual to serve as the executive head of the state agency.

(3)(A) The extraordinary session shall:

(i) Continue for the duration of the emergency declared by the Governor; and

(ii) Adjourn sine die upon the termination of the emergency declaration.

(B) The General Assembly may meet as necessary during an extraordinary session under subdivision (b)(1) of this section, including without limitation recessing for one (1) or more days and subsequently reconvening.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be “A Constitutional Amendment Requiring the Governor to Convene an Extraordinary Session of the General Assembly When Declaring an Emergency by Executive Order or Proclamation”.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS
CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT INTERSCHOLASTIC OR INTRAMURAL
ATHLETIC TEAMS THAT ARE SPONSORED BY A PUBLIC SCHOOL SHALL BE
EXPRESSLY DESIGNATED BASED ON BIOLOGICAL SEX; AND PROVIDING
THAT ATHLETIC TEAMS OR SPORTS DESIGNATED FOR "FEMALES",
"WOMEN", OR "GIRLS" SHALL NOT BE OPEN TO STUDENTS OF THE MALE
SEX AND ATHLETIC TEAMS OR SPORTS DESIGNATED FOR "MALES", "MEN",
OR "BOYS" SHALL NOT BE OPEN TO STUDENTS OF THE FEMALE SEX.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT
interscholastic or intramural athletic teams that are
sponsored by a public school shall be expressly designated
based on biological sex.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH
HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of
the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for
approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators,
if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the
amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 14, is amended to add an
additional section to read as follows:

§ 5. Designation of athletic teams.
(a) The provisions of this section are part of the maintenance of a general, suitable, and efficient system of free public schools under Arkansas Constitution, Article 14, § 1, by ensuring that students are able to compete freely and are given an equitable opportunity in interscholastic and intramural athletic competition.

(b) Interscholastic or intramural athletic teams that are sponsored by a public school shall be expressly designated as one (1) of the following based on biological sex:

   (1) "Males", "men", or "boys";
   (2) "Females", "women", or "girls"; or
   (3) "Coed" or "mixed".

(c)(1) Athletic teams or sports designated for "females", "women", or "girls" shall not be open to students of the male sex.

   (2) Athletic teams or sports designated for "males", "men", or "boys" shall not be open to students of the female sex.

(d) If disputed, a student may establish his or her sex by presenting a signed physician's statement that shall indicate the student's sex based solely upon:

   (1) The student's internal and external reproductive anatomy;
   (2) The student's normally endogenously produced level of testosterone; and
   (3) An analysis of the student's genetic makeup.

(e) The General Assembly may enact laws to implement this section, including without limitation laws concerning:

   (1) Protections for public schools from complaints, investigations, or other adverse actions for maintaining separate interscholastic or intramural athletic teams or sports for students of the male and female sex; and
   (2) Causes of action for injunctive relief, damages, and any other relief available under law for:

      (A) A student who is deprived of an athletic opportunity or who suffers direct or indirect harm resulting from a violation of this section;
      (B) A student who is subject to retaliation or other adverse action by a public school as a result of reporting a violation of this section; or
      (C) A public school that suffers any direct or indirect harm as a result of a violation of this section.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.
SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment Providing that Interscholastic or Intramural Athletic Teams that are Sponsored by a Public School Shall Be Expressly Designated Based on Biological Sex and Providing that Athletic Teams or Sports Designated for "Females", "Women", or "Girls" Shall Not Be Open to Students of the Male Sex and Athletic Teams or Sports Designated for "Males", "Men", or "Boys" Shall Not Be Open to Students of the Female Sex".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING A REVIEW OF THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CERTAIN FEDERAL ACTIONS PRIOR TO THEIR IMPLEMENTATION.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING A REVIEW OF THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CERTAIN FEDERAL ACTIONS PRIOR TO THEIR IMPLEMENTATION.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:
That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this joint resolution is to amend the Arkansas Constitution concerning a review of the constitutionality of certain federal actions prior to their implementation.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 17 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT SHALL CONSIST OF NINE (9) JUSTICES.

Subtitle

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT SHALL CONSIST OF NINE (9) JUSTICES.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:
SECTION 1. The purpose of this joint resolution is to propose an amendment to the United States Constitution to provide that the United States Supreme Court shall consist of nine (9) justices.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 104
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AS PASSED
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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 66
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SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 32 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067
HOUSE BILL NO. 1118
HOUSE BILL NO. 1140
HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
HOUSE BILL NO. 1261
HOUSE BILL NO. 1375
HOUSE BILL NO. 1406
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 15, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Stephanie Flowers.

Senator Bledsoe requested leave for Senator Ingram. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Eads.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 59 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 59

Amend Senate Bill No. 59 as engrossed:

Page 1, line 11, delete "TO"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 12 and 13

AND

Page 1, line 14, delete "THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS;"

AND

Delete Section 2 in its entirety

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following

"(b) A state actor, local government, or political subdivision may not utilize any resource to enforce any act, law, statute, rule, or regulation of the United States Government created or effective on or after January 1, 2021, and relating to a personal firearm, firearm accessory, or ammunition that is owned or manufactured commercially or privately in Arkansas

(c) A person who violates this section upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor."

AND

Page 6, line 9, delete "Arkansas Public Defender Commission" and substitute "Attorney General"

AND

Page 6, line 16, delete "Arkansas Public Defender Commission" and substitute "Attorney General"
AND

Appropriately renumber the sections

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was withdrawn by author.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 59 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 59

Amend Senate Bill No. 59 as engrossed, S2/8/21:

Add Senator B. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "INTRASTATE FIREARMS PROTECTION ACT"; TO PREVENT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FROM REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, AND TRADE OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION WITHIN THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO BE KNOWN AS THE "INTRASTATE FIREARMS PROTECTION ACT"; AND TO PREVENT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FROM REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, AND TRADE OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION WITHIN THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 4 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

Chapter 21 — Jurisdiction Over Firearm Regulation"
4-21-101. Scope.
(a)(1) The Tenth Amendment to the United States Constitution guarantees to the states and their people all powers not granted to the United States Government elsewhere in the United States Constitution and reserves to the State of Arkansas and its people certain powers as those powers were understood at the time that Arkansas was admitted into statehood in 1836.
(2) The guaranty of those powers is a matter of contract between the State of Arkansas and its people and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

(b)(1) The Ninth Amendment to the United States Constitution guarantees to the people rights not granted in the United States Constitution and reserves to the people of Arkansas certain rights as they were understood at the time that Arkansas was admitted into statehood in 1836.
(2) The guaranty of those rights is a matter of contract between the State of Arkansas and its people and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

(c) The regulation of intrastate commerce is vested in the states under the Ninth and Tenth Amendments to the United States Constitution.

(d) The Second Amendment to the United States Constitution reserves the right to keep and bear arms to the people as that right was understood at the time that Arkansas was admitted into statehood in 1836, and the guaranty of the right is a matter of contract between the State of Arkansas and its people and the United States as of the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

(e)(1) Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 5, clearly secures to Arkansas citizens and prohibits government interference with the right of individual Arkansas citizens to keep and bear arms.
(2) This constitutional protection is unchanged from the 1836 Arkansas Constitution, which was approved by the United States Congress and the people of Arkansas, and the right exists as it was understood at the time that the compact with the United States was agreed upon and adopted by Arkansas and the United States in 1836.

4-21-102. Definitions.
As used in this chapter:
(1) "Borders of Arkansas" means the boundaries of Arkansas described in Arkansas Constitution, Article 1;
(2) "Firearms accessory" means an item that is used in conjunction with or mounted upon a firearm but is not essential to the basic function of a firearm, including without limitation telescopic or laser sights, magazines, flash or sound suppressors, folding or aftermarket stocks and grips, speedloaders, ammunition carriers, and lights for target illumination;
(3) "Generic and insignificant part" means a small component used in the manufacture of a firearm, including without limitation a spring, a screw, a nut, or a pin; and
(4) "Manufactured" means that a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition has been created from basic materials for functional usefulness, including without limitation forging, casting, machining, or other processes for working materials.

4-21-103. Prohibitions.
(a) A personal firearm, a firearms accessory, or ammunition that is manufactured commercially or privately in Arkansas and that remains within the borders of Arkansas is not subject to federal law or federal regulation,
including registration, under the authority of the United States Congress to regulate interstate commerce, as those items have not traveled in interstate commerce.

(b)(1) This chapter applies to a firearm, a firearms accessory, or ammunition that is manufactured in Arkansas from basic materials and that can be manufactured without the inclusion of any significant parts imported from another state.

(2) Generic and insignificant parts that have other manufacturing or consumer product applications that are not firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition that are imported into Arkansas and incorporation into a firearm, a firearm accessory, or ammunition manufactured in Arkansas do not subject the firearm, firearm accessory, or ammunition to federal regulation.

(3) Basic materials, such as unmachined steel and unshaped wood, are not firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition and are not subject to congressional authority to regulate firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition under interstate commerce as if they were actually firearms, firearms accessories, or ammunition.

(4) The authority of the United States Congress to regulate interstate commerce in basic materials does not include authority to regulate firearms, firearms accessories, and ammunition made in Arkansas from the materials contained in this subsection as long as the firearm is not taken or sold outside the boundaries of the State of Arkansas.

(c) Firearms accessories that are imported into Arkansas from another state and that are subject to federal regulation as being in interstate commerce do not subject a firearm to federal regulation under interstate commerce because they are attached to or used in conjunction with a firearm in Arkansas.

(d) This section does not apply to:

(1) A firearm that cannot be carried and used by one (1) person;

(2) A firearm that has a bore diameter greater than one and one-half inches (1 1/2") and that uses smokeless powder, not black powder, as a propellant;

(3) Ammunition with a projectile that explodes using an explosion of chemical energy after the projectile leaves the firearm; or

(4) Other than shotguns, a firearm that discharges two (2) or more projectiles with one (1) activation of the trigger or other firing device.

4-21-104. Marketing of firearms.

A firearm manufactured or sold in Arkansas that is subject to this chapter must have the words "Made in Arkansas" or other words that state that Arkansas is the point of origin of the firearm clearly and conspicuously stamped on a central metallic part such as the receiver or frame."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 253 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 253

Amend Senate Bill No. 253 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Coleman as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 301 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 301

Amend Senate Bill No. 301 as engrossed, S2/10/21:

Add Senator B. Davis as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 301 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1115 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1115

Amend House Bill No. 1115 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 23-13-206(a), concerning the exemptions to
the Arkansas Motor Carrier Act, 1955, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(9)(A) A Commercial motor vehicle operating in intrastate commerce that has a:

(i) Gross vehicle weight rating or gross combination weight rating of twenty-six thousand pounds (26,000 lbs.) or less; or
(ii) Gross vehicle weight or gross combination weight of twenty-six thousand pounds (26,000 lbs.) or less.

(B) Subdivision (a)(9)(A) of this section does not apply to a commercial motor vehicle that is:

(i) Designated as transporting hazardous materials under 49 U.S.C. § 5103, as in effect on January 1, 2021, and is required to be placarded under 49 C.F.R. part 172, subpart F, as in effect on January 1, 2021; or
(ii) Designed to transport more than fifteen (15) passengers, including the driver.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1115 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1332 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1332

Amend House Bill No. 1332 as engrossed, H2/4/21:

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 35, and substitute the following:
“election, if the election is to be held on the:

(A) First Tuesday following the first Monday in November;
(B) Third Tuesday in May for elections held in odd numbered years; or

(C) Tuesday four (4) weeks prior to the third Tuesday in June for years in which the office of Governor will appear on the ballot at the general election; or

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1332 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 241 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 241 was withdrawn by the author.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 10, 2021, I have reviewed and approved as to form the following measure from the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON
Governor
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 10, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 83 - ACT 95
- Senate Bill No. 71 - ACT 96
- Senate Bill No. 99 - ACT 97
- Senate Bill No. 42 - ACT 98
- Senate Bill No. 43 - ACT 99
- Senate Bill No. 109 - ACT 100
- Senate Bill No. 201 - ACT 101
- Senate Bill No. 202 - ACT 102
- Senate Bill No. 209 - ACT 103
- Senate Bill No. 210 - ACT 104
- Senate Bill No. 214 - ACT 105
- Senate Bill No. 222 - ACT 106
- Senate Bill No. 223 - ACT 107

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 253, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 301, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 301 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1115, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1332, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1115 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1332 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE NEED TO DESIGNATE THE MUSEUM LOCATED ON THE FORMER EAKER AIR FORCE BASE THE "NATIONAL COLD WAR CENTER".

Senate Resolution No. 6 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 6 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 6  
As Engrossed: S1/21/21 S2/8/21 S2/9/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, GAZAWAY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS UNBORN CHILD PROTECTION ACT; TO ABOLISH ABORTION IN ARKANSAS AND PROTECT THE LIVES OF UNBORN CHILDREN; TO PROTECT ALL HUMAN LIFE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 6 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren spoke against the bill.
Senator Irvin spoke on the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator Stubblefield spoke for the bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the bill.
Senator Leding spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert closed for his bill.

A pair was announced at the desk.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE:  February 22, 2021

PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 6

VOTING YEA  (SIGNED)  SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

VOTING NAY  (SIGNED)  SENATOR KEITH M. INGRAM

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNEWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 26

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 7

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 6 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on passed February 22, 2021.

Senator Irvin moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 6 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

A pair was announced at the desk.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
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NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE:  February 22, 2021

PAIR VOTE

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VOTING NAY  (SIGNED)  SENATOR KEITH M. INGRAM

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 6 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1155 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1155**
*As Engrossed: H1/19/21 S2/3/21*

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO THE RELEASE OF DATA IN THE ARKANSAS CENTRAL CANCER REGISTRY TO QUALIFIED CANCER RESEARCHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1155 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1155. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1155 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1184 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184
As Engrossed: H2/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DRAWING OF A PERSON’S BLOOD WHEN A PERSON WAS OPERATING OR IN ACTUAL PHYSICAL CONTROL OF A MOTORBOAT OR MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1184 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1184. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total .................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:  
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Ingram.  
Total .................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total .................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1184 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 9, 2021; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 3, 2021, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOUNDED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 3, 2021, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE; AND TO PROVIDE FOR DATE EXTENSIONS IN THE EVENT OF EXTENDED RECESSES RELATED TO THE COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
    Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

    Total number of votes cast .....................................................34
    Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was returned to the House as concurred in.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  66, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO.  77, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO.  78, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO.  87, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO.  102, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO.  103, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 105, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 173, BY SENATOR TERRY RICE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we
find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:07 a.m. delivered them to the
Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO.  66
SENATE BILL NO.  77
SENATE BILL NO.  78
SENATE BILL NO.  87
SENATE BILL NO. 102
SENATE BILL NO. 103
SENATE BILL NO. 105
SENATE BILL NO. 173

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-second
day of February, 2021 at 9:07 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
SENATE BILL NO. 336  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX FOR COINS, CURRENCY, AND BULLION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 336 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 337  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT, MCKENZIE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REINSTATE THE BORDER CITY TAX RATE FOR CIGARETTES AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 337 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 338
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; TO PROVIDE A GRACE PERIOD FOR CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES AT A PERMITTED BUSINESS LOCATION; TO ALLOW THIRTY (30) DAYS TO OPERATE UNDER A PRIOR PERMIT WHEN A CIRCUMSTANCE OCCURS THAT VOIDS THE PRIOR PERMIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 338 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 339
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS TO BE CONSUMED OFF-PREMISES OR DELIVERED TO THE CONSUMER AT A LOCATION OFF-PREMISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 339 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 340
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC; TO ALLOW FOR REMOTE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 340 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 341
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUBLIC EMPLOYEES; TO PROHIBIT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 341 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 342
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ABILITY OF A PERSON WHO HAD AND WAS SUCCESSFULLY TREATED FOR A MENTAL ILLNESS IN THE PAST TO APPLY FOR AND POSSESS A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 342 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 343
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, G. STUBBLEFIELD, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT RESTORING A PERSON’S RIGHT TO POSSESS A FIREARM UNDER STATE LAW AFTER A CERTAIN PERIOD OF TIME AFTER THE PERSON’S CONVICTION FOR A NONVIOLENT FELONY OFFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 343 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 345
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HIGHER EDUCATION UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 345 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 344
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD AN EXCEPTION FROM NURSING LICENSURE TO ALLOW EMPLOYEES OF A CITY OR COUNTY DETENTION CENTER TO DRAW AND MEASURE GLUCAGON OR INSULIN FOR A PERSON WHO IS INCARCERATED OR IN CUSTODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 344 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Senate Bill No. 104 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 106 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 172 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 227 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 228 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 236 was returned from the House as passed as amended No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 60, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 63, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Education, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 287, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1101, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1102, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049
As Engrossed:  H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ALLOW THE WITHHOLDING OF
STATE INCOME TAX FROM UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS
AND UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1049 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
As Engrossed:  H1/25/21  H2/8/21  H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE
ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL REIMBURSEMENT FOR TELEMEDICINE VIA
TELEPHONE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1063 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE &
LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1090 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
As Engrossed: H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND UPDATE THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING REGULATION OF IONIZING RADIATION TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1154 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1284 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1289 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1307 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1308 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1317  
As Engrossed: H2/10/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, RICHMOND, M. DAVIS, MADDOX, VAUGHT, LUNDSTRUM, C. FITE, WARDLAW, BOYD, CRAWFORD, RICHARDSON  
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE THEFT OF A POSTAL PACKAGE DELIVERED TO A PERSON'S RESIDENCE AND LEFT WITHIN THE CURTILAGE OF THE RESIDENCE; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1317 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1361  
As Engrossed: H2/8/21 H2/10/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EAVES, ET AL  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE TAX TREATMENT OF CERTAIN LOANS, PAYMENTS, AND EXPENSES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) RELIEF PROGRAMS; TO PROVIDE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) RELIEF BY CONFORMING TO FEDERAL TAX TREATMENT OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) RELIEF PROGRAMS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1361 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE PILOT PROGRAM ON COVERAGE FOR MORBID OBESITY DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT UNDER THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1362 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIRECT SHIPMENT OF VINOUS LIQUOR ACT; TO INCLUDE AN ESTABLISHMENT THAT PRODUCES MEAD IN THE DEFINITION OF "SMALL FARM WINERY"; TO ALLOW A SMALL FARM WINERY TO SHIP MEAD DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS IN STATE OR OUT OF STATE IN THE SAME MANNER AS SMALL FARM WINE; TO TAX MEAD IN THE SAME MANNER AS WINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1370 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM AMOUNT OF CARRYOVER FUNDS FOR AN OFFICE WITHOUT AN ANNUAL SALARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1372 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1393
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1393 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1394 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1395
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - SECRETARY'S OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1395 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1396
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1396 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1397
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATE PARKS AND TOURISM DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1397 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1398
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1398 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1399 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS’ AFFAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1400 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1401 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1410 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1411 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1412 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1413  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1413 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1414 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1415
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1415 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1419
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REFUND OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 53 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1419 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 85, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 259, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE-CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 257, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1212, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

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**SENATE BILL NO. 346**

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS RAPERT, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER, D. WALLACE, J. ENGLISH, GILMORE, M. JOHNSON, HICKEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BECK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF AUDIO MEDIA, VISUAL MEDIA, AND AUDIOVISUAL MEDIA BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 346 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 347
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE VULNERABLE CHILD PROTECTION ACT; TO PROHIBIT GENDER REASSIGNMENT SERVICES FOR MINORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 347 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 348
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE EDUCATION OMBUDSMAN; TO CREATE THE EDUCATION OMBUDSMAN DIVISION WITHIN THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 348 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 349
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRACTICES, INTERVENTIONS, AND CURRICULUM THAT ARE BASED ON THE SCIENCE OF READING; TO ADJUST FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT OFFER CERTAIN TYPES OF READING PRACTICES, INTERVENTIONS, AND CURRICULUM THAT ARE NOT ALIGNED WITH THE SCIENCE OF READING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 349 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 350
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS; TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENT CONCERNING THE OBSERVATION BY CERTAIN PROFESSIONALS OF PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS FOR ARKANSAS STATE PARKS; TO AMEND THE SOLICITATION AND AWARD PROCEDURE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS FOR ARKANSAS STATE PARKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 350 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 351
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE PEER-TO-PEER CAR-SHARING PROGRAMS; TO CREATE THE PEER-TO-PEER CAR-SHARING PROGRAM INSURANCE COVERAGE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 351 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 352
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION; CONCERNING THE APPEAL PROCESS OF A CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION ACTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 352 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 353
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ELIMINATING DEBTORS’ PRISONS; TO ABATE OR ELIMINATE THE COLLECTION OF OUTSTANDING MISDEMEANOR FINES, FEES, AND COSTS ORDERED TO BE PAID BY A PERSON WHO IS IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 353 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE RESOLUTION TO URGE THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, PUBLICLY FUNDED AGENCIES, ORGANIZATIONS, AND THEIR EMPLOYEES TO PROTECT THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN BY KEEPING THIS PROMISE TO ARKANSAS’S CHILDREN.

Senate Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 6

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1184

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1155 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 104
SENATE BILL NO. 106
SENATE BILL NO. 172
SENATE BILL NO. 227
SENATE BILL NO. 228

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 236 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049
HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
HOUSE BILL NO. 1284
HOUSE BILL NO. 1289
HOUSE BILL NO. 1307
HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
HOUSE BILL NO. 1317
HOUSE BILL NO. 1361
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1412
HOUSE BILL NO. 1413
HOUSE BILL NO. 1414
HOUSE BILL NO. 1415
HOUSE BILL NO. 1419
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
February 23, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Lieutenant Governor Griffin.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 107 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 107

Amend Senate Bill No. 107 as engrossed, S1/20/21:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 16, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-16-152. Computer Science Education Advancement Act of 2021.
(a) This section shall be known and may be cited as the "Computer Science Education Advancement Act of 2021."
(b)(1) Beginning with the entering ninth grade class of 2022-2023, a public high school student shall be required to earn one (1) unit of credit in a Department of Education-approved high school computer science course before the student graduates.

(2) The one (1) unit required in subdivision (b)(1) of this section may be earned in grades eight through twelve (8-12).

(3) A computer science course offered by a public high school shall:

(A) Be of high quality;
(B) Meet or exceed the curriculum standards and requirements established by the State Board of Education; and
(C) Be made available in a traditional classroom setting, a blended learning environment, an online-based or other technology-based format that is tailored to meet the needs of each participating student.

(c)(1) The department shall designate at least four state board-approved computer science courses that students in grade eight (8) may take for high school credit.

(2) If a student in grade eight (8) wishes to take a course not designated, a school district must comply with any existing course approval requirements.

(d) Beginning in August 2022, the department shall make available to all public schools high-quality digital content aligned to state board-approved computer science courses.

(e)(1) Beginning with the 2023-2024 school year, a public school district shall employ a computer science teacher at each high school in the public school district."
(2) A computer science teacher employed in accordance with subdivision (e)(1) of this section shall hold a license approved by the state board.

(f) The state board may adopt rules to administer this section, including rules for flexible options to license computer science teachers, which may include without limitation, approval codes, technical permits, ancillary licenses, and standard licenses."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 127 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 127

Amend Senate Bill No. 127 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 13, Chapter 2, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

13-2-105. Debit card and credit card payments.
(a) A library operated as an entity of the state, a county, or a municipality may accept a legal payment for fines, charges, donations, or purchases and any associated costs through a debit card or credit card in accordance with applicable state and federal law.
(b)(1) A library may enter into a contract with a debit card or credit card company and pay any fees normally charged by the debit card or credit card company for allowing the library to accept the debit card or credit card as payment subject to the provisions of subsection (a) of this section."
(2) When a payment is made through a debit card or credit card, the library shall assess a transaction fee equal to the amount charged to the library by the debit card company or credit card company, which may be added to the payment amount.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 127 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 152 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 152

Amend Senate Bill No. 152 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"at the practice level.

(3) A supervising physician shall not delegate to a physician assistant the duty or responsibility to perform or induce an abortion."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 152 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 170 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIAL, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 170

Amend Senate Bill No. 170 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE UNLAWFUL DOXXING OF A MINOR ON SOCIAL MEDIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO PROHIBIT THE UNLAWFUL DOXXING OF A MINOR ON SOCIAL MEDIA."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 27, Subchapter 6, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:
5-27-610. Unlawful doxxing of minor on social media platform.
(a) As used in this section:
(1) "Communication" means the electronic communication of information of a person's choosing between or among points specified by the person without change in the form of the content of the information as sent and received;
(2) "Doxxes" means to publish private or identifying information about a particular person on social media with malicious purpose; and
(3) "Social media platform" means a website or computer application designed to facilitate communication between one (1) or more persons.
(b) A person commits the offense of doxxing of a minor on a social media platform if:
(1) The person knowingly doxxes or transmits, sends, or posts a communication concerning a minor to a social media platform with the purpose to frighten, coerce, intimidate, threaten, abuse, or harass the minor; and
(2) The communication causes the minor to be in reasonable fear of physical injury.
(c) Doxxing of a minor on social media platform is a:
(A) Class B felony if:
(i) Death of the minor occurs due to the offense; or
(ii) Monetary loss to the minor due to the offense is one million dollars ($1,000,000) or more;
(B) Class C felony if:
(i) Physical injury occurs to the minor due to the offense; or

(ii) Monetary loss to the minor due to the offense is ten thousand dollars ($10,000) or more but less than one million dollars ($1,000,000); or

(C) Class D felony if monetary loss to the minor due to the offense is five hundred dollars ($500) or more but less than ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

(2) Otherwise unlawful doxxing of a minor on a social media platform is a Class A misdemeanor.

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 170 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 208

Amend Senate Bill No. 208 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 2, line 6, delete "schools."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 235 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 235

Amend Senate Bill No. 235 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 6 through 9, and substitute the following:
"(b) The vocational center aid under subdivision (b)(2)(B)(i)(a) of this section shall be determined by the Division of Career and Technical Education, in consultation with the Office of Skills Development, and approved by the Career Education and Workforce Development Board State Board of Education.

AND

Page 5, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 6-51-302 is amended to read as follows:
6-51-302. Approval of center establishment.

(a) The State Board of Career Education may approve the establishment of State Board of Education shall review recommendations from the Career Education and Workforce Development Board to establish new vocational centers to serve high school students from several school districts in locations where services are needed to:

(1) Support economic, industrial, and employment development efforts;
(2) Provide equity and substantially equal access to quality vocational programs; and
(3) Improve school programs to assist schools in meeting accreditation standards.

(b) The board State Board of Education shall approve only centers which utilize existing vocational education resources such as facilities, equipment, etc., except in those geographic areas in which comprehensive vocational offerings have not been developed and the state board State Board of Education determines that those resources must be developed to accomplish the above purposes.

(c) If a postsecondary vocational-technical school or two-year college which operates a secondary vocational center merges or consolidates with a public institution of higher education, the secondary vocational center may continue to be administered by the institution of higher education involved in the merger or consolidation.

(d) The provisions of this section are contingent on the appropriation of funding necessary to allow the State Board of Education to carry out the duties assigned to the State Board of Education under this section.

(e) All existing vocational centers may be reviewed by the State Board of Education at the discretion of the State Board of Education.
(f) The Office of Skills Development shall provide annually a report to the State Board of Education on the financial viability of vocational centers, enrollment, programs, and the success of students.

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 8

AND

Page 7, delete lines 25 through 29, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 6-51-801(a), concerning criteria for secondary vocational centers, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The State Board of Career Education shall establish review criteria established by the Career Education and Workforce Development Board that must be met by any secondary vocational center requesting permission to become a community-based education center.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 6-51-801, concerning criteria for secondary vocational centers, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e) A list of new and existing programs shall be published annually on the Division of Career and Technical Education's and Office of Skills Development's website."

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 235 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 256 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 256

Amend Senate Bill No. 256 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Cavenaugh as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 256 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 263 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 263

Amend Senate Bill No. 263 as originally introduced:
Delete Section 4 of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 265 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

AR KANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 265

Amend Senate Bill No. 265 as originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Davis, J. English, Bledsoe as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Crawford, Dalby, Barker, Bentley, Brown, Cavenaugh, C. Fite, Haak, Lundstrum, Vaught, Speaks, J. Mayberry, McKenzie, M. Gray as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 23, and substitute the following:

"Corrections School System.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. Legislative intent.

It is the intent of the General Assembly to:

(1) Expand the ability of the correctional school district to provide remediation instruction to persons with a high school diploma or general equivalency degree;

(2) Align career and technical education for incarcerated persons with industry needs;

(3) Recognize the importance of coordination with the Division of Career and Technical Education and the Office of Skills Development, thereby ensuring that every student in the state is truly prepared for the twenty-first-century workforce; and

(4) Increase resources for instruction and instructional support through the elimination of duplicative operational structures."
AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "vocational" and substitute "vocational career"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "qualified" and substitute "qualified"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 8, and substitute the following:

(2)(A) Career and technical education shall meet established industry needs.

    (B) The established industry needs shall be approved by the Board of Corrections after recommendations by:

        (i) The Division of Career and Technical Education for the Department of Education; and

        (ii) The Office of Skills Development for the Department of Commerce."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 265 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as originally introduced:

Add Senator M. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives D. Garner, Fortner, M. McElroy, McNair, Milligan as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "(b)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "section. " and substitute the following:
"section.

(2) The amount of the income tax credit under this section that may be claimed by the taxpayer in a tax year shall not exceed the amount of income tax due by the taxpayer."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete the title and substitute:
"AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION REQUIRING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING LEGISLATION RELATED TO AN EMERGENCY WHEN THE GOVERNOR DECLARES BY EXECUTIVE ORDER OR PROCLAMATION THAT AN EMERGENCY EXISTS IN THE STATE AND THE DURATION OF THE EMERGENCY DECLARATION EXCEEDS THIRTY (30) DAYS; AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION REGARDING THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF A STATE AGENCY DURING AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION CONVENED DUE TO AN EMERGENCY DECLARATION THAT EXCEEDS THIRTY (30) DAYS; AND PROVIDING THAT AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION CONVENED DUE TO AN EMERGENCY DECLARATION THAT EXCEEDS THIRTY (30) DAYS SHALL ADJOURN SINE DIE UPON THE TERMINATION OF THE EMERGENCY DECLARATION."

AND

Page 1, delete the subtitle and substitute:
"A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT REQUIRING THE GOVERNOR TO CONVENE AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHEN AN EMERGENCY DECLARATION EXCEEDS THIRTY (30) DAYS."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18 through 21, and substitute the following:
"(b)(1) If the Governor declares by executive order or proclamation that an emergency exists in the state and the duration of the emergency declaration exceeds thirty (30) days, he or she shall convene the General Assembly in extraordinary session on the thirty-first day of the emergency declaration."
AND

Page 3, delete lines 16 and 17, and substitute the following:
"Requiring the Governor to Convene an Extraordinary Session of the General Assembly When the Governor Declares by Executive Order or Proclamation that an Emergency Exists in the State and the Duration of the Emergency Declaration Exceeds Thirty (30) Days."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 14 through 16 and substitute the following:
"TO STUDENTS OF THE MALE SEX."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 8 through 10 and substitute the following:
"Constitution, Article 14, § 1."
AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "(c)(1)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 19 through 27

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "(e)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "Sex" and substitute "Sex."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 22 and 23

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1118 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1118

Amend House Bill No. 1118 as engrossed, H2/9/21:

Add Senator B. Davis as a cosponsor of the bill

Page 1, line 13, delete "ESTABLISHMENT"; AND" and substitute "ESTABLISHMENT"; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROVIDE THAT SALES BY A COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATION THROUGH THE INTERNET ARE EXEMPT FROM THE DEFINITION OF "FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT"; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 2, delete line 15, and substitute the following:
"food safety.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that cottage food producers typically sell year-round from their homes, physical farmers' markets, and online farmers' markets; that with growing season quickly approaching, a crop or cottage food could be lost or destroyed if the effective date of this act is delayed; that a delay in the effective date of this act could cause significant economic hardship for cottage food producers; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure the maximum positive effect in the community. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor:
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1118 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 227, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 104, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 106, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 172, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 228, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:42 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 227
SENATE BILL NO. 104
SENATE BILL NO. 106
SENATE BILL NO. 172
SENATE BILL NO. 228

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-third day of February, 2021 at 10:42 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 127, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 127 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 107, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 235, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 265, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 235 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 265 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 170, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 256, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 170 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 256 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1118, BY REPRESENTATIVE JIM DOTSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 152 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Representative Davis, House Bill No. 1118 was ordered re-
referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 15 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1248, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
House Bill No. 1249, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
House Bill No. 1250, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1251, BY REPRESENTATIVE MARY BENTLEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 32, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Participating via Zoom: Senator Flowers

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1197, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAROL DALBY,
House Bill No. 1269, BY REPRESENTATIVE JOHN PAYTON,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with
the recommendation that they do pass.

Participating via Zoom: Senator Flowers

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 316, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
Senate Bill No. 317, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1244, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. HAAK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 354
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, A. CLARK, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, K. HAMMER, HESTER, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARKER, BENTLEY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FAIRNESS IN WOMEN'S SPORTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 354 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 355
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A LOTTERY WINNER TO REMAIN CONFIDENTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 355 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 356
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR WASTE REDUCTION, REUSE, OR RECYCLING EQUIPMENT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “QUALIFIED SPECIALTY STEEL PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING FACILITY”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 356 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 356 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 356 was withdrawn by the author.

SENATE BILL NO. 357
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CRAWFORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REPEALING A STATUTE PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF A FIREARM IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS; MAKING TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 357 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 287 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 287

Amend Senate Bill No. 287 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 29

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "SECTION 4" and substitute "SECTION 3"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 287 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 287 at the end of the Senate Bills on today's Business Agenda.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Amend Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "TO SUBMIT A STATE PLAN" and substitute "TO AMEND ARKANSAS'S MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY RULES"

AND

Page 1, delete line 10

AND

Page 1, line 11, delete "SERVICES"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ENCOURAGE THE GOVERNOR TO AMEND ARKANSAS'S MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY RULES TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO COVERAGE FOR MIGRANT MEN, WOMEN, AND CHILDREN FROM THE COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION ISLANDS."

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete "state plan to" and substitute "eligibility rules to reflect this change in federal law and to"

AND

Page 3, line 31, delete "to submit a state plan" and substitute "to amend Arkansas's Medicaid eligibility rules to reflect recent changes in federal law and allow access"

AND

Page 3, delete line 32

(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 236 was called up for the
purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 236

Amend Senate Bill No. 236 as originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, B.
Davis, L. Eads, Elliott, J. English, Flippo, S. Flowers, T. Garner, Gilmore, K.
Hammer, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson,
G. Leding, M. Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, G. Stubblefield, J. Sturch, D.
Sullivan, Teague, C. Tucker, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE JETT

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 236, adopted by the House, was read
the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the
Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering
Senate Bill No. 236 at this time.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 236 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 236
As Engrossed H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAX TREATMENT OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS; TO EXEMPT UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS FROM INCOME TAX DURING A CERTAIN TIME PERIOD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 236 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 236. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 236, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 236 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1212 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1212

Amend House Bill No. 1212 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 18, delete "AND CONCERNING" and substitute "CONCERNING"

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "(7) At" and substitute "(7)(A) At"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:

"(ii) A disaster resulting in a state or federal disaster declaration.

(B) In exercising discretion to noncharge employer accounts, the director shall act in a uniform manner with respect to all charges to employers for benefits resulting from a disaster emergency described in subdivision (a)(7)(A)(i) of this section or a state or federal disaster declaration described in subdivision (a)(7)(A)(ii) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1212 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill 1212 at the end of the House Bills on today's Business Agenda.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 60 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 60
As Engrossed: S1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING MANDATED VISION SCREENINGS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 60 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 60. Motion carried.


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .............................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast .................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 60 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 63 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 63
As Engrossed: S1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ATTENDANCE OF THE COMMISSIONER AND THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION AT BOARD OR COMMISSION MEETINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 63 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 22


Total ........................................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Rice, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 63 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 257 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 257  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TIME FOR COMPLETING AN INVESTIGATION OF SUSPECTED ADULT MALTREATMENT OR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

After discussion, Senator Blake Johnson pulled down Senate Bill No. 257.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 259  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT HEATING, VENTILATION, AIR CONDITIONING, AND REFRIGERATION INSPECTORS; TO CORRECT REFERENCES TO THE APPROPRIATE CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

After discussion, Senator Cecile Bledsoe pulled down Senate Bill No. 259.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 257 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 257**  
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**REGULAR SESSION**  
**BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON**  
**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TIME FOR COMPLETING AN INVESTIGATION OF SUSPECTED ADULT MALTREATMENT OR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 257 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 257. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  34

**NEGATIVE:**  Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**
Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**
Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 257 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 287, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hester, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 287 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 287
As Engrossed: S2/9/21 S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIPS; TO AMEND THE SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS TO ALLOW CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CERTAIN SCHOLARSHIPS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 287 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 287. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Garner.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Sullivan.

Total ................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 287, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................33

NEGATIVE: Garner.

Total ..........................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..........................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Sullivan.

Total ..........................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 287 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1101 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1101
As Engrossed: H1/27/21 H2/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS’ MEETINGS; TO AMEND THE AMOUNT OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED TO PETITION A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1101 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Mark Johnson spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 17


Total ......................................................................................... 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Elliott, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flippo, B. Johnson, Rice.

Total ........................................................................................... 3
Total number of votes cast .................................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1101 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on: February 23, 2021

Senator Sturch moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1101 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1102 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1102
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERS OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; TO REQUIRE ADDITIONAL TRAINING ON INFORMATION REGARDING SCHOOL SAFETY AND STUDENT DISCIPLINE; TO STANDARDIZE THE FORMAT OF THE REQUIRED REPORT REGARDING TRAINING REQUIREMENTS; TO INCREASE THE TIME BY WHICH A SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER MAY CURE A TRAINING HOUR DEFICIENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1102 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1102. Motion carried.

Total .................................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.
Total .................................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1102 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1363 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: HOUSE MANAGEMENT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - STAFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1363 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1363. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1363, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total .................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1363 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1212, BY REPRESENTATIVE JACK LADYMAN,**

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5,**

**BY SENATOR LANCE EADS**

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1212 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1212
As Engrossed S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; CONCERNING THE NONCHARGE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR CERTAIN UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1212 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1212, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1212 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 345 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION and referred to Joint Budget.

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Budget Bills below in a block. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 200
SENATE BILL NO. 213
SENATE BILL NO. 215
SENATE BILL NO. 216
SENATE BILL NO. 220
SENATE BILL NO. 224
SENATE BILL NO. 266
SENATE BILL NO. 267
SENATE BILL NO. 268
SENATE BILL NO. 269
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 200 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 200
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 200 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 200, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 200 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 213 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 213
As Engrossed: S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 213 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 213, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 213 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 215 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 215
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 215 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 215, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 215 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 216 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 216
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 216 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 216, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 216 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 220 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 220
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 220 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 220, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 220 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 224 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 224
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SAU-TECH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 224 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast............................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 224, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 224 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 266 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 266
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 266 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
EXCUSED:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
  
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 266, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
EXCUSED:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 266 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 267 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 267
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 267 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 267, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 267 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 268 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 268  
As Engrossed: S2/9/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 268 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 268, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Filppo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 269 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 269
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 269 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 269, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 269 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 270 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 270
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR AASIS MODERNIZATION IMPLEMENTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 270 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 270, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 270 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 271 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 271
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 271 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................ 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 271, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 271 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 272 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 272
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 272 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...............................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 272, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 272 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 273 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 273
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 273 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 273, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 273 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace Senate Bill No. 274 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 274
NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 274 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the members voted:


Total .................................................................35
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 274, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 274 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 275 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 275
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 275 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 275, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 275 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 276 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 276
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 276 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 276, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 276 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 277 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 277
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 277 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 277, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 277 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace Senate Bill No. 279 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 279
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 279 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 279, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 279 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 280 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 280
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 280 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 280, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35  
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 280 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 285 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 285
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 285 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 285, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 285 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 286 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 286
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 286 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 286, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 286 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 278 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 278
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 278 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 15
   Total ................................................................. 7
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Dismang, English, Flippo, Hammer, Irvin, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield.
   Total ................................................................. 11
EXCUSED: \[\text{Total} \] ................................................................. 0
VOTING PRESENT: Davis, Gilmore.
   Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 24
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27

So Senate Bill No. 278 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 278, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total ................................................................. 15
   Total ................................................................. 7
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Dismang, English, Flippo, Hammer, Irvin, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield.
   Total ................................................................. 11
EXCUSED: \[\text{Total} \] ................................................................. 0
VOTING PRESENT: Davis, Gilmore.
   Total ................................................................. 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 24
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause to Senate Bill No. 278 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on the following House
Bills. Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
HOUSE BILL NO. 1286
HOUSE BILL NO. 1312

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1091 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE
AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1091 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast......................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1091, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................  35
NEGATIVE:
   Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED:
   Total ..............................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
   Total ..............................................................0

   Total number of votes cast.................................35
   Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

   (SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1091 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1127 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

   HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
   NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
   REGULAR SESSION
   BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

   A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE TURNBACK FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1127 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1127, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
  Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
  Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total .................................................................0

  Total number of votes cast ......................................35
  Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1127 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1286 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - DONALD W. REYNOLDS CENTER ON AGING, FAY W. BOOZMAN COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE, AND THE AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER IN HELENA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1286 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1286, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1286 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1312 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1312
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1312 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1312, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1312 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 30 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 136 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 148 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 165 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MURDOCK, TOLLETT

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER SERGEANT TRAVIS WALLACE FOR HIS SERVICE AND COMMITMENT TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 378
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING UNANTICIPATED DISCRETIONARY FEDERAL FUNDS RELATED TO A STATEWIDE STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY RELATED TO PUBLIC HEALTH; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 378 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 379
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROCESS FOR EMERGENCY DECLARATIONS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING DIRECTIVES ISSUED TO ADDRESS A STATEWIDE STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY RELATED TO PUBLIC HEALTH; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 379 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 380
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE POLICY ACT; AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ANNUAL LEAVE ACCRUED BY CRITICAL-NEED EMPLOYEES; REQUIRING THAT CERTAIN ANNUAL LEAVE ACCUMULATED IN EXCESS OF THE AMOUNT ALLOWED AT THE END OF A CALENDAR YEAR BE DEPOSITED INTO THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE BANK; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 380 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE OIL AND GAS OWNERS’ LIEN ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1273 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1279
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISABILITY RETIREMENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1279 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FINAL AVERAGE SALARY AND CREDITED SERVICE UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1319 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE COMPELLING OF PAYMENTS FROM A DELINQUENT EMPLOYER UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1320 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TERMS OF OFFICE OF COUNTY ELECTED OFFICERS TO COINCIDE WITH THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1328 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1339
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING UNUSED SICK LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1339 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1340
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS, SERVICE CREDIT, CORRECTION OF ERRORS, AND TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1340 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353
As Engrossed: H2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK, LUNDSRUM
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROHIBITIONS ON ADVERTISING AND USE OF CERTAIN SYMBOLS REGARDING MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1353 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FAIR FOOD DELIVERY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1426 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND DEMENTIA ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO PROVIDE FOR THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND DEMENTIA ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A STATE ALZHEIMER'S PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1434 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ABANDONED AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE DISPOSAL ACT; TO CLARIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE STATE PLANT BOARD; TO AMEND THE AMOUNT OF THE ABANDONED PESTICIDE DISPOSAL FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1471 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 365 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 364 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 363
NINETEETHIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS, GRANTS AND PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 363 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 362
NINETEETHIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 362 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 361
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR AASIS MODERNIZATION IMPLEMENTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 361 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 360
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 360 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 359  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 359 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.  

SENATE BILL NO. 358  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOLLOWELL, MURDOCK  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF STATE LAND; TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS TO SELL STATE LAND OVER A CERTAIN DOLLAR AMOUNT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF LAND OWNED BY AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 358 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 366
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 366 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 367
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 367 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 368
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 368 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 369
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 369 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 370  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 370 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.  

SENATE BILL NO. 371  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 371 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 372
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 372 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 373
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 373 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 374
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO
THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND
AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT
PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 374 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 375
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, HICKEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE
AVAILABLE IN THE RESTRICTED RESERVE FUND; AND TO ALLOW THAT
ADDITIONAL FUNDS MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR STATE AGENCIES AND
INSTITUTIONS APPROPRIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 375 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 376  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, RICHARDSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT PROHIBITING A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY FROM DENYING MEDICAL CARE TO A PERSON IN CUSTODY; TO PROVIDE FOR CIVIL AND CRIMINAL ACTIONS FOR DENYING MEDICAL CARE TO A PERSON IN CUSTODY; REQUIRING TRAINING BY CORRECTIONAL FACILITY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 376 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 377  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SIGNS IN MUNICIPALITIES, COUNTIES, AND HORIZONTAL PROPERTY REGIMES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 377 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 381
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CREATING A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A COMMERCIAL WEBSITE OPERATOR THAT POSTS INCORRECT OR INACCURATE BACKGROUND INFORMATION ABOUT A PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 381 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 382
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS FUTURE GRANT PROGRAM; TO DEEM A PRIVATE, NONPROFIT TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AN APPROVED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS FUTURE GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 382 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 185, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 23, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 66 - ACT 133
- Senate Bill No. 77 - ACT 134
- Senate Bill No. 78 - ACT 135
- Senate Bill No. 87 - ACT 136
- Senate Bill No. 102 - ACT 137
- Senate Bill No. 103 - ACT 138
- Senate Bill No. 105 - ACT 139
- Senate Bill No. 173 - ACT 140

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON
Governor

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 163, By Senator Jane English,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Jason Rapert, Chairman

Arkansas Senate
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February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 194, By Senator Dan Sullivan,
Senate Bill No. 281, By Senator Trent Garner,
SENATE BILL NO. 283, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1122, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1123, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1124, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1236, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1245, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON, report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, February 24, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Stephanie Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sturch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

Senator Flippo requested leave for Senator Stubblefield. Leave granted.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 30 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 30

Amend Senate Bill No. 30 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 6, and substitute the following:
"secretary shall obtain the advice approval of the Legislative Council or the Joint Budget Committee if the General Assembly is in session, before approving"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 30 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 61 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 61

Amend Senate Bill No. 61 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 34, and substitute the following:
"(e) To participate in the program, a school district shall apply jointly with an institution of higher education, an education service cooperative, or a nonprofit
organization to the Division of Career and Technical Education."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 15 and 16, and substitute the following:

"(E) An increase in enrollment in two-year, four-year, technical certificate programs, and military service;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 61 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 62 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 62

Amend Senate Bill No. 62 as engrossed, S1/26/21:

Page 1, delete line 33, and substitute the following:
"year may be afforded an opportunity to demonstrate proficiency by being"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 62 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 86 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 86

Amend Senate Bill No. 86 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Ladyman, M. Berry, Gonzales, Watson as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT; AND TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "ATHLETE" WITHIN THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 86 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 174 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.
Amend Senate Bill No. 174 as engrossed, S1/26/21:

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(B) At least sixty (60) years of age if the member has a combined total of thirty-eight (38) years or more of credited service in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, Teacher Deferred Retirement Option Plan, or reciprocal service in another eligible state retirement system;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 174 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 180 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 180 as originally introduced:

Delete Representative Haak as a cosponsor of the bill

AND
Add Representative Bryant as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 180 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 195

Amend Senate Bill No. 195 as engrossed, S2/10/21:

Page 2, delete lines 34 and 35 and substitute the following:
"of a private entity that are not related to the direct support of a"

AND

Page 3, line 3, delete "(7)(C)(i)(b)" and substitute "(7)(C)(i)"

(SIGNED)  SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 208

Amend Senate Bill No. 208 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 1, line 29, delete "gathering" and substitute "gathering of two (2) or more members of a governing body"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 and 6, and substitute the following:

"(1) of all municipalities, counties, townships, and school districts;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 230 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 230 as originally introduced:

Add Senator L. Eads as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Hawks, Vaught, Godfrey as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 230 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 290 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
AND
Page 2, line 2, delete "treating the" and substitute "evaluating the"
AND
Page 4, line 9, delete "mother or sister", and substitute the following: "mother, or sister, or any first or second degree female relative of the woman"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered engrossed.
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:37 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 236
SENATE BILL NO. 165
SENATE BILL NO. 148
SENATE BILL NO. 136

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-fourth day of February, 2021 at 9:37 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 180, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 180 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 61, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 62, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 61 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 62 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 290, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 86, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 86 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
February 24, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 174, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 174 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT PUBLIC RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 30, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 195, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 230, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 30 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 230 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 170, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 311, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Senator Flowers voted remotely.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Senator Flowers voted remotely.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, MEMBER

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159, BY REPRESENTATIVE MEEKS

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Senator Flowers voted remotely.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1158, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1361, BY REPRESENTATIVE EAVES,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
SENATE DISCLOSURE REPORT

Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06, we, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION hereby report receipt of the attached disclosure from Senator Ronald Caldwell on February 24, 2021 regarding House Bill No. 1361.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE DISCLOSURE REPORT

Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06, we, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION hereby report receipt of the attached disclosure from Senator Mark Johnson on February 24, 2021 regarding House Bill No. 1361.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE DISCLOSURE REPORT

Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06, we, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION hereby report receipt of the attached disclosure from Senator Larry Teague on February 24, 2021 regarding House Bill No. 1361.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 163 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARDKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 163

Amend Senate Bill No. 163 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 11, and substitute the following: "Arkansas;"

AND

Page 4, delete line 13, and substitute the following: "located within the State of Arkansas; and

(C) The Secretary of the Department of the Military or his or her designee as an ex officio non-voting member;"

AND

Page 4, line 32, remove "shall" and substitute "may"

AND

Page 5, delete line 5, and substitute the following: "and assistance of the Arkansas Military Affairs Council and in coordination with the Secretary of the Department of the Military, have the"

AND

Page 5, delete line 16, and substitute the following: "(2) To advise and assist, in coordination with the secretary, a local government, a military"

AND

Page 5, delete line 23, and substitute the following: "from a federal agency concerning a military installation, in coordination with the secretary when an Arkansas National Guard military installation is impacted, and its host"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1356 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1356

Amend House Bill No. 1356 as originally introduced:

Add Senator B. Ballinger as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Page 2, line 21, delete "shall" and substitute "may"
AND
Page 2, line 21, delete "year" and substitute "year by the Joint Performance Review Committee at the next Joint Performance Review Committee meeting"
AND
Page 2, line 27, delete "September" and substitute "December"
AND
Page 2, line 28, delete "shall" and substitute "may direct the Bureau of Legislative Research to"
AND
Page 3, delete lines 11 through 14
AND
Page 3, line 15, delete "(2)" and substitute "(e)(1)"
AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "(3)" and substitute "(2)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1356 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
As Engrossed: S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE GOVERNOR TO AMEND ARKANSAS'S MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY RULES TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO COVERAGE FOR MIGRANT MEN, WOMEN, AND CHILDREN FROM THE COMPACT OF FREE ASSOCIATION ISLANDS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was placed on third reading and final disposition.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 32 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 32

Amend Senate Bill No. 32 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "A RETAIL LIQUOR PERMIT HOLDER" and substitute "CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS TO DELIVER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO A CONSUMER."

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete lines 25 through 28, and substitute the following:

"(a) The following permit holders may deliver or cause to be delivered alcoholic beverages directly to the private residence of a consumer twenty-one (21) years of age or older in a wet county or territorial subdivision during legal operating hours:

(1) Retail liquor;
(2) Microbrewery-restaurant; and
(3) Small brewery."

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "retail liquor permit holder" and substitute "permit holder authorized under subsection (a) of this section"

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "store" and substitute "business"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "retail liquor"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 32, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator English, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 32 at this time.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 32 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 32
As Engrossed: H2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS TO DELIVER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO A CONSUMER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 32 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 18
NEGATIVE: Beckham, Bledsoe, Dismang, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Rapert, Sample, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Flippo, Flowers, B. Johnson, Rice, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 6

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Sullivan.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 28
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 32 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 185 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 185
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 185 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 185. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 185 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 194 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 194
As Engrossed: S2/1/21 S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO ALLOW THE PHOTOGRAPHING OF PUBLIC RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 194 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sullivan moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 194. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 259
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT HEATING, VENTILATION, AIR CONDITIONING, AND REFRIGERATION INSPECTORS; TO CORRECT REFERENCES TO THE APPROPRIATE CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 259 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 259. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................32

NEGATIVE: Garner, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................................2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 259 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 281 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 281  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  SENATOR T. GARNER  
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING REPRESENTATION OF A CORPORATE OR BUSINESS ENTITY IN A CLAIM OR ACTION FILED WITH THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 281 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:  Flowers.

Total .................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total .................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 281 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 283 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 283**  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIST OF MUSICIANS INCLUDED IN ARKANSAS MUSIC APPRECIATION DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 283 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 283. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 283 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1112 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112
As Engrossed:  H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, BEATY JR., ET AL
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VOTER IDENTIFICATION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VERIFICATION OF PROVISIONAL BALLOTS; TO AMEND AMENDMENT 51 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1112 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Ingram spoke against the bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator Clark spoke for the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.
Senator Mark Johnson closed for his bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 25

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Davis, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1112 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1122 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1122**

*As Engrossed: H2/2/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY**

**BY: SENATOR T. GARNER**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY TO AWARD A MEDAL, RIBBON, OR DECORATION TO A MEMBER OF THE ORGANIZED MILITIA; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESENTATION OF AN AWARD TO CERTAIN PERSONS AND GROUPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1122 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 1122. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1122 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1123 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1123
As Engrossed: H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS, DUTIES, AND IMMUNITIES OF THE ORGANIZED MILITIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1123 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1123. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast.................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1123 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1124 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUNITIVE ARTICLES OF THE MILITARY CODE OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING SEXUAL ASSAULT AND SEXUAL CONTACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1124 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1124. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total .................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1124 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1197 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DALBY, L. FITT, TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY ORGANIZATION, STAFFING, AND PERSONNEL MATTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1197 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1197. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ..............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1197 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1236 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1236
As Engrossed: H2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING UNIFIED COMMAND OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN AND AROUND THE STATE CAPITOL IN THE EVENT OF A CIVIL DISTURBANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1236 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 31

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Leding, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1236 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1245 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1245
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, SCOTT
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CONFIDENTIAL JUVENILE RECORDS TO BE RELEASED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1245 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1245. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total .................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1245 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1269 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A COUNTY TO AUTHORIZE THE OPERATION OF GOLF CARTS ON CERTAIN COUNTY ROADS BY ORDINANCE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1269 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1269. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:  Sample.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1269, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE: Sample.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1269 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1339 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1339
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING UNUSED SICK LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1339 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1339. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1339 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1340 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1340
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS, SERVICE CREDIT, CORRECTION OF ERRORS, AND TERMINATION OF MEMBERSHIP UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1340 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1340. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield. ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: ....................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1340, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1340 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 164

JBC (2/23/21)

Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as engrossed, S1/28/21:

Page 10, line 2, delete "50,000" and substitute "200,000"

AND

Page 10, line 13, delete " $9,081,908" and substitute " $9,231,908"

AND

Page 20, line 14, insert the following:

"SEC 33. APPROPRIATION - FORESTRY - RURAL FIRE PROTECTION PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Agriculture, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for operating expenses of the Department of Agriculture - State Forestry Commission - Rural Fire Protection Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

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SEC 34. APPROPRIATION - MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Agriculture, to be payable from the State Meat Inspection Program fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Agriculture - State Meat Inspection Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

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AND
Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on the following Joint Budget bills. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 316
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On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 316 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 316  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 132 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 316 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 316, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield. Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................................................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 316 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 317 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 317
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 137 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 317 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 317, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield. Total .............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 317 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 318 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 318
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 131 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 318 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 318, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 318 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 319 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 319
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - SYSTEM AND VARIOUS DIVISIONS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 140 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 319 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 319, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 319 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang Senate Bill No. 320 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 320
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 138 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 320 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 320, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.  
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 321 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 321
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 139 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 321 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 321, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ............................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 321 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 322 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 322
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT WHICH SHALL BE
SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY
ACT 128 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 322 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:

Total ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ..........................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..........................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 322, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 322 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 323 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 323
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FAYETTEVILLE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 136 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 323 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 323, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 323 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 324 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 324
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 133 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 324 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 324, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 324 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 325 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 325
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 135 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 325 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 325, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 325 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 326 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 326
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 141 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 326 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 326, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 326 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 327 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 327
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 127 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 327 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .............................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 327, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 328 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 328
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SAU-TECH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 130 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 328 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 328, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 329 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 329
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 129 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 329 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: ............................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ............................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield. ............................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: .................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 329, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 329 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 330 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 330
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 134 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 330 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 330, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 330 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on the following House Bills: Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
HOUSE BILL NO. 1284
HOUSE BILL NO. 1289
HOUSE BILL NO. 1307
HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
HOUSE BILL NO. 1393
HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
HOUSE BILL NO. 1395
HOUSE BILL NO. 1396
HOUSE BILL NO. 1397
HOUSE BILL NO. 1398
HOUSE BILL NO. 1399
HOUSE BILL NO. 1400
HOUSE BILL NO. 1401
HOUSE BILL NO. 1410
HOUSE BILL NO. 1411
HOUSE BILL NO. 1412
HOUSE BILL NO. 1413
HOUSE BILL NO. 1414
HOUSE BILL NO. 1415
HOUSE BILL NO. 1419
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1090 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1090 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1090, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............ 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1090 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1284 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1284
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1284 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1284, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1284 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1289
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1289, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1289 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1307 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1307
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1307 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1307, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1307 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1308 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1308 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield. ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1308, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1308 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1393 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1393 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1393, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1393 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1394 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1394 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1394, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1394 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1395 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1395
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - SECRETARY'S OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1395 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1395, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1395 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1396 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1396
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1396 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1396, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1396 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1397 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1397
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATE PARKS AND TOURISM DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1397 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1397, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
   Total ............................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ............................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
   Total ............................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
   Total ............................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1397 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1398 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1398  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1398 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1398, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1398 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1399 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1399 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1399, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1399 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1400 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS’ AFFAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1400 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1400, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1400 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1401 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1401
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1401 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1401, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1401 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1410 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1410
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1410 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1410, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1410 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1411 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1411
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1411 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1411, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1411 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1412 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1412  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1412 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ...........................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1412, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1412 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1413 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1413
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1413 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1413, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1413 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1414 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1414 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1414, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1414 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1415 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1415
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1415 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1415, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1415 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1419 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1419
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REFUND OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 53 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1419 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1419, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1419 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
February 24, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 164, by Joint Budget Committee,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson, Chairman

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Joint Budget.

Senate Bill No. 383
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
By: Senator C. Tucker

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: An Act to Amend Campaign Contribution Amounts; To Amend the Law Concerning Campaign Practices; To Declare an Emergency; And for Other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 383 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on State Agencies & Governmental Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 384  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. BALLINGER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 384 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 385  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A GATED RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITY LOGGING PERMIT; TO REQUIRE AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS LOGGING IN A GATED RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITY TO FOLLOW THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION’S BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES FOR WATER QUALITY PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 385 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 386
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RETAIL WATER PROVIDERS AND RELATED SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 386 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 387
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OFF-LABEL USE OF DRUG TREATMENTS TO TREAT MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES DIAGNOSED WITH PEDIATRIC ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME AND PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 387 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 388
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLOUD, LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY LAWS CONCERNING ABORTION CLINICS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 388 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 389
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, GONZALES, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS PROVIDE TO PARENTS AND LEGAL GUARDIANS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTIFICATION OF AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO INSPECT MATERIALS RELATED TO SEX EDUCATION, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, AND GENDER IDENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 389 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 390  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT - COURT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 390 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 391  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CIVICS EDUCATION; TO REQUIRE A HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT TO TAKE A CIVICS EDUCATION COURSE FOR TWO (2) FULL SEMESTERS WITHIN THE SAME ACADEMIC YEAR IN ORDER TO GRADUATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 391 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 392
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES GRANTS AND EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 392 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 393
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES GRANTS AND EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 393 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE 2015 SCHOOL SAFETY ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CENTER FOR SCHOOL SAFETY OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE ADVISORY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 394 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MODIFY THE ANNUAL CAP ON DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY SERVICES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 395 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Senate Bill No. 24 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 88 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 200 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 213 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 215 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
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Senate Bill No. 220 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 224 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 245 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 266 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
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Senate Bill No. 279 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 285 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 286 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 301, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1116, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1118, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE FIRST-YEAR MEDICAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ACT.

House Bill No. 1021 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM/SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1125 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REFUND OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1131 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT WAIVERS; TO REQUIRE CERTAIN NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION UPON THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S REVIEW OF WAIVERS GRANTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1172 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1177
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL TO ADMINISTER CERTAIN EMERGENCY PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS TO A PATIENT WHO HAS A SPECIFIC HEALTH CONDITION; TO ALLOW PARTICIPATION IN CARE COORDINATION BY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES; TO ENSURE APPROPRIATE TRANSPORT OF A PATIENT WHO HAS A SPECIFIC HEALTH CONDITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1177 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DATES TAXES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE; TO ALLOW COUNTY COLLECTORS TO COLLECT TAXES BEFORE THE FIRST BUSINESS DAY IN MARCH UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1345 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1351
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING
BY: SENATOR S. FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF CERTAIN CHEMICALS IN FIREFIGHTING FOAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1351 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1360
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, BENTLEY, ET AL
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE LAW ENFORCEMENT FAMILY RELIEF CHECK-OFF PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH THE LAW ENFORCEMENT FAMILY RELIEF TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1360 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WHEN CERTAIN SALES BY CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS ARE EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX; TO AMEND THE CRITERIA TO DETERMINE WHEN A SALE BY A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION COMPETES WITH A SALE BY A FOR-PROFIT BUSINESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1374 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAX LEVIED ON THE SALE OF A USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER BY A CONSUMER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1377 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAX BOOKS AND RECORDS; TO CLARIFY THAT THE PREPARER OF THE TAX BOOKS IS THE CUSTODIAN OF CERTAIN RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAX REPORTS FILED IN RELATION TO THE RATIO OF ASSESSED VALUE TO MARKET VALUE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY TAXES AND THE ELECTRONIC REPRODUCTION OF TAX RECORDS; TO ALLOW FOR THE USE OF ELECTRONIC REPRODUCTIONS OF TAX RECORDS, ELECTRONIC ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY, AND ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE SIGNATURES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS IN RELATION TO TAX BOOKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1383 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 32 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1474 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1475
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 37 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1475 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1476
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 28 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1476 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 29 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1477 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MID-SOUTH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 23 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1478 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479
NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE NATIONAL PARK COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 31 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1479 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1481
NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 34 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1481 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1482
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 30 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1482 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 38 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1483 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1484
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 72 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1484 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 39 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1485 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1489
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 26 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1489 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1490
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE-TEXARKANA WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 40 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1490 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1491
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 35 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1491 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 24 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1492 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT RICH MOUNTAIN WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 41 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1493 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1494
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE OZARKA COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 33 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1494 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 22 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1503 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1504
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 27 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1504 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  64, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.  101, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.  107, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO.  207, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1029, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1193, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARREN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1094, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARREN, 
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the 
recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
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AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1021
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1504
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, February 25, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:
BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the temporary Emergency Rule: Stephanie Flowers

Senator Flippo asked for leave for Senator Stubblefield. Leave granted for Senator Stubblefield.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Garner.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 225 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 225

Amend Senate Bill No. 225 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 19-6-301(265), concerning special revenues enumerated, is amended to read as follows:

(265) Additional registration fees for electric vehicles, hybrid vehicles, and plug-in hybrid electric vehicles under § 27-14-614;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-14-614 is amended to read as follows:


(a) As used in this section:

(1)(A) "Electric vehicle" means a vehicle that:

(A)(i) Is propelled by an electric motor powered by a battery or other electrical device incorporated into the vehicle; and

(B)(ii) Is not propelled by an internal combustion engine; and

(B) "Electric vehicle" includes a plug-in electric vehicle;

(2) "Hybrid vehicle" means a vehicle that draws propulsion energy from both an internal combustion engine and an energy storage device; and

(3) "Plug-in hybrid electric vehicle" means a vehicle with a hybrid propulsion system that is propelled by a combination of:

(A) Electricity supplied through a rechargeable battery that can be recharged by plugging into an electrical outlet or electric vehicle charging station; and

(B) An internal combustion engine.

(b) In addition to the other fees required to be paid to register a vehicle under this subchapter, there is levied an annual fee of:

(1) Two hundred dollars ($200) for each electric vehicle registered; and

(2) One hundred dollars ($100) Fifty dollars ($50.00) for each hybrid vehicle registered; and

(3) One hundred dollars ($100) for each plug-in hybrid electric vehicle
registered.

(c) The revenues collected under this section are special revenues and shall be distributed to the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 225 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 24, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 227 - ACT 148
- Senate Bill No. 104 - ACT 149
- Senate Bill No. 106 - ACT 150
- Senate Bill No. 172 - ACT 151
- Senate Bill No. 228 - ACT 152

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 24, BY SENATOR BALLINGER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 32, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 88, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 200, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 213, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 215, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 224, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 245, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 266, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 285, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 286, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:58 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-fifth day of February, 2021 at 10:58 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 225 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 127, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 294, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 302, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,

Participating via Zoom: Senator Stephanie Flowers

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
VICE-CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

February 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on City, County & Local Affairs, to whom was referred:

**Senate Bill No. 338, by Senator Lance Eads,**

Participating via Zoom: Senator Stephanie Flowers

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Terry Rice
Vice Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

February 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on City, County & Local Affairs, to whom was referred:

**House Bill No. 1370, by Representative Bryant,**

Participating via Zoom: Senator Stephanie Flowers
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 333, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1110, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1265, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, BARKER, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE PURSUIT OF NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE DESIGNATION BY THE WINTHROP P. ROCKEFELLER CANCER INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 396  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 139 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 396 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE.

SENATE BILL NO. 397  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SPEAKS, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE HIGHER EDUCATION CONSUMER GUIDE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 397 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 398
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR FAIR FUNDING GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 398 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE.

SENATE BILL NO. 399
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW AS IT RELATES TO MANDATORY STATE CONTRACTS; TO EXEMPT STATE AGENCIES FROM MANDATORY STATE CONTRACTS IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 399 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE TIME FOR SUBMITTING A PROTEST UNDER THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 400 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CHANGE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 401 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1100 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 31 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 31
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A STATEWIDE STUDENT ASSESSMENT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE COMPONENTS OF A COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS ASSESSMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 31 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 31. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 31 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 163 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 163
As Engrossed: S2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS MILITARY AFFAIRS COUNCIL ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE MILITARY AFFAIRS GRANT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 170 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 170
As Engrossed: S2/23/21
NINETEEN-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE UNLAWFUL DOXXING OF A MINOR ON SOCIAL MEDIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 170 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 170 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 301 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 301
As Engrossed: S2/10/21 S2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, FLIPPO, RICE, G. STUBBLEFIELD, CALDWELL, HILL, RAPERT, BECKHAM, M. JOHNSON, GILMORE, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, MILLER, GONZALES, JEAN, BRYANT, BROOKS, BENTLEY, CAVENAUGH, TOLLETT, RICHMOND, MILLIGAN, VAUGHT, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES TO RETURN FINES COLLECTED UNDER § 20-7-101 DURING THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY FOR A FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH RULES, ORDERS, OR DIRECTIVES TO MITIGATE OR PREVENT THE SPREAD OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Flippo moved for immediate consideration of Senate Bill No. 301. Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 301 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, English, Flowers, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Pitsch, Sample, Sturch, Teague, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................. 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads.

Total .............................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total .............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 301, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 19
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, English, Flowers, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Pitsch, Sample, Sturch, Teague, Tucker.
Total .............................................................................................. 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads.
Total .............................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 301 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed. Emergency clause having failed.

Senator Hickey moved for the elimination of member participation via Zoom for the remained of today’s proceedings. Motion carried.

Senator Flowers will be counted as not voting for the remainder of today’s proceedings.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 306 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 306
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN A MUNICIPALLY OWNED OR MAINTAINED PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Clark pulled down his bill.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 311 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 311
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROBATION AND PAROLE; CONCERNING TECHNICAL VIOLATIONS AND LENGTH OF SANCTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 311 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 26

NEGATIVE: Hester, Rapert, Sullivan.

Total ................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Flowers, Hickey, Sample, Teague.

Total ................................................................. 5

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 311 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 295 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 295  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE INTEGRITY IN WELFARE PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.  
Senator Dismang spoke on the bill.  
Senator Ingram spoke against the bill.  
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.  
Senator Irvin spoke on the bill.  

Senator Flippo pulled down his bill.  

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1067 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON  
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS BREAST MILK BANK; TO CREATE THE BREAST MILK BANK SPECIAL FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1067 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1067. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ...........................................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ...........................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1067 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1116 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SIMON’S LAW; TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENT FOR PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN CONSENT FOR END-OF-LIFE MEDICAL PROCEDURES FOR MINORS; TO PROHIBIT HEALTHCARE FACILITIES OR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS FROM INSTITUTING END-OF-LIFE MEDICAL PROCEDURES ON A MINOR WITHOUT CONSENT OF A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1116 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1116. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Flowers.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1116 was ordered immediately returned to the House.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1118 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118
As Engrossed: H2/9/21 S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO SALES BY A COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATION; TO PROVIDE THAT SALES BY A COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTION OPERATION THROUGH THE INTERNET ARE EXEMPT FROM THE DEFINITION OF "FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT"; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1118 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1118. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1118, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..............24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1118 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1158 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1158
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRISON CONSTRUCTION TRUST FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1158 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1158. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1158, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1158 was ordered immediately returned to the House as
passed and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1159 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159

As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT EXCUSING MEMBERS OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM PARTICIPATING ON A JURY UNDER CERTAIN
CIRCUMSTANCES; TO PERMIT CERTAIN OLDER ARKANSANS TO DECLINE
JURY SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1159 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1159. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1159 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1279 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISABILITY RETIREMENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1279 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1279. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1279 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1319 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FINAL AVERAGE SALARY AND CREDITED SERVICE UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1319 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1319. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1319, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1319 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1320 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1320
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE COMPELLING OF PAYMENTS FROM A DELINQUENT EMPLOYER UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1320 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1320. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1320 was returned to the House as passed.
Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this letter as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of Ethics and to comply with full disclosure. Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06-3 (a,b,c), the following disclosure is provided:

**House Bill 1361 of 2021**

I work for two companies that received Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loans from the federal government: Rylwell, LLC and Arkansas Memorial Gardens, Inc. My wife works for a company that received PPP loans from the federal government: Healthcorp, Inc. Healthcorp, Inc. is also owned by David Staggs, who is my father-in-law.

I believe that I have other family members (my brothers, William Dismang and Kyle Dismang) who own companies that also participated in the PPP program. While I do not believe that this disclosure is required, since neither I nor my wife have ownership in any entity that participated in the PPP program, I am filing this disclosure out of an abundance of caution. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Jonathan Dismang  
State Senator  
District 28
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1361 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1361
As Engrossed: H2/8/21 H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EAVES, BEATY JR., ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE TAX TREATMENT OF CERTAIN LOANS, PAYMENTS, AND EXPENSES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) RELIEF PROGRAMS; TO PROVIDE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) RELIEF BY CONFORMING TO FEDERAL TAX TREATMENT OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) RELIEF PROGRAMS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1361 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1361. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1361, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1361 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on the following budget bills in a batch: Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1125
HOUSE BILL NO. 1131
HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
HOUSE BILL NO. 1475
HOUSE BILL NO. 1476
HOUSE BILL NO. 1477
HOUSE BILL NO. 1478
HOUSE BILL NO. 1479
HOUSE BILL NO. 1481
HOUSE BILL NO. 1482
HOUSE BILL NO. 1483
HOUSE BILL NO. 1484
HOUSE BILL NO. 1485
HOUSE BILL NO. 1489
HOUSE BILL NO. 1490
HOUSE BILL NO. 1491
HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
HOUSE BILL NO. 1494
HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
HOUSE BILL NO. 1504
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1125 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1125**  
*As Engrossed: H2/9/21 H2/22/21*  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM/SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1125 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

**EXCUSED:** Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33  
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1125, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1125 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1131 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1131  
As Engrossed: H2/9/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REFUND OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1131 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:  
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ................................................................. 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1131, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1131 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1474 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 32 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1474 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1474, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:** Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1474 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1475 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1475
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 37 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1475 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................ 33
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
  Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
  Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

  (SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1475, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
  Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
  Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irwin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
  Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
  Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
  Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
  Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1475 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1476 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1476
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 28 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1476 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1476, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast..............................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1476 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and the emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1477 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1477
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 29 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1477 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1477, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1477 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1478 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1478
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MID-SOUTH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 23 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1478 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1478, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1478 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed and emergency clause adopted.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1479 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE NATIONAL PARK COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 31 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1479 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .......................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1479, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .......................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1479 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1481 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1481
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 34 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1481 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1481, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1481 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1482 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1482
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 30 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1482 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1482, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ......................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ......................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ......................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1482 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1483 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 38 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1483 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1
EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1483, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1
EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1483 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1484 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1484
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 72 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1484 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1484, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1484 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1485 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 39 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1485 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1485, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast................................................................. 33
 Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1485 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1489 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1489
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 26 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1489 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1489, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1489 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1490 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1490
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE-TEXARKANA WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 40 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1490 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1490, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1490 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1491 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1491
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 35 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1491 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1491, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................ 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................ 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................ 0
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1491 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1492 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 24 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1492 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1492, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1492 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang House Bill No. 1493 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT RICH MOUNTAIN WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 41 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1493 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
  Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
  Total .........................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
  Total .........................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ...............................................................0

  Total number of votes cast ........................................33
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1493, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
  Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
  Total .........................................................1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
  Total .........................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1493 was ordered immediately returned to the House as
passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1494 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1494
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE OZARKA COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE
SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY
ACT 33 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1494 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total .................................................................................................33
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1494, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .......................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Flowers.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:** Stubblefield.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1494 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1503 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 22 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1503 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1503, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1503 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang House Bill No. 1504 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1504
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 27 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1504 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1504, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1504 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 278 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 278
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 278 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.
Senator Mark Johnson spoke against the bill.
Senator Dismang closed for the bill.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 25

**NEGATIVE:** Davis, Garner, Hester, M. Johnson, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................................... 5

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Ballinger, Clark, Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 4

**EXCUSED:** Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 278, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 25
NEGATIVE:  Davis, Garner, Hester, M. Johnson, Sullivan.
Total ...........................................................................................  5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Ballinger, Clark, Flowers, Hendren.
Total ...........................................................................................  4

EXCUSED:  Stubblefield.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast..........................................................30
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
February 25, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 229, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 239, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 290, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1027, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAHGUH,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1201, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAYBERRY,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 402
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS TRUST FUND ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 402 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 403
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT FOR ACADEMIC TRAINING FOR TESTING ACHIEVEMENT FOR POOR AND MINORITY STUDENTS IN ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY AND HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 403 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, JETT, RAY
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES TAX LAWS CONCERNING SPECIAL EVENTS; TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN SCHOOL FUNDRAISERS FROM THE SALES TAX LAWS REGULATING SPECIAL EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1023 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120
As Engrossed: H2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRIMINAL DETENTION FACILITIES REVIEW COMMITTEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1120 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PERFORMANCE OF A PELVIC EXAMINATION ON AN UNCONSCIOUS OR ANESTHETIZED PATIENT WITHOUT THE PRIOR CONSENT OF THE PATIENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1137 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH & WELFARE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1215
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT FULL PRACTICE AUTHORITY TO CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1215 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1224
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY STUDENT LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1224 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1254
As Engrossed:  H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, M. GRAY, DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM TO RECOGNIZE AN ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE AS A PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1254 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1255
As Engrossed: H2/03/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVANS, BEATY JR.
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE CROSS-COLLATERALIZATION CLAUSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1255 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 404
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH STANDARD FILING FEES FOR CANDIDATES IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 404 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 405
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, GILMORE, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RYE, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH JOHN R. "JOHNNY" CASH DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 405 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 406
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION EMPLOYEE’S OATH OF OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 406 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 11 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 138 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE  
AS PASSED  
SENATE BILL NO. 31  
SENATE BILL NO. 170  
SENATE BILL NO. 301  
SENATE BILL NO. 311  

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE  
AS PASSED  
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HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 11
SENATE BILL NO. 138

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1255
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 1, 2021.
Little Rock, Arkansas
March 1, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o’clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:
BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers and Senator Garner.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Chesterfield.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 163 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 163

Amend Senate Bill No. 163 as engrossed, S2/24/21:

Page 2, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
"(B) Pine Bluff Arsenal in Pine Bluff, Arkansas;"

AND

Page 4, delete line 5, and substitute the following:
"(ii) Pine Bluff Arsenal in Pine Bluff, Arkansas;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 308 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 308

Amend Senate Bill No. 308 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 18, and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) The test under this subsection shall be confidentially administered by a licensed physician, the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services, the Department of Health, or a local health department.  
(B)(i) If the person arrested and charged with the offense is in the custody of the Department of Corrections, the test shall be administered by a medical professional working within the Department of Corrections.  
(ii) If the test is requested by an entity for forensic purposes and not by the Department of Corrections, the cost for the test shall be the responsibility of the requesting entity."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 380 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 380

Amend Senate Bill No. 380 as originally introduced:

Add Senators L. Chesterfield, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representative Rye as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1100 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1100

Amend House Bill No. 1100 as engrossed, S2/4/21:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-18-402(b)(22)-(26), concerning mandated reporters under the Child Maltreatment Act, are amended to read as follows:

(22) A public or private school counselor, a full-time or part-time employee of a public school or private school, including without limitation:
   (A) A school counselor;
   (B) A school official;
   (C) A teacher;
   (D) A coach or director of a public or private athletic organization, team, or club; and
   (E) A coach or director of a public or private nonathletic organization, team, or club;

(23) A person who is at least twenty-one (21) years of age and volunteers in a public school or private school:
   (A) As a coach or director of a public or private athletic organization, team, or club; or
   (B) As a coach or director of a public or private nonathletic organization, team, or club;

(24)(25) A person employed as a school official, including without limitation in an institution of higher education:
   (A) A social worker;
   (B) A surgeon;
   (C) A teacher;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1100 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,  
SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1100, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1100 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 1, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

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Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 11, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 12:41 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 11
SENATE BILL NO. 138

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this first day of March, 2021 at 12:41 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
February 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 147, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 174, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR RAPERT
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND PRESIDENT BIDEN TO DIRECT THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF THE CENSUS TO PROVIDE TIMELY REDISTRICTING POPULATION DATA.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 407
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR IRVIN
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, COZART, L. JOHNSON, SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION ADOPT A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING GOVERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS AND CERTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES COMPLETE SPECIALIZED TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 407 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 408
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "CLAIMANT AGENCY" FOR PURPOSES OF OFFSETTING DELINQUENT TAX COLLECTIONS AGAINST A STATE INCOME TAX REFUND; TO ADD ALL STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND THEIR SUBDIVISIONS TO THE DEFINITION OF "CLAIMANT AGENCY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 408 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 409
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR SAVE THE CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 409 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 410
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 23 OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE TO ENSURE THE STABILITY OF THE INSURANCE MARKET
IN ARKANSAS; TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC AND PERSONAL HEALTH,
PERSONAL INDEPENDENCE, AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ARKANSANS
THROUGH PROGRAM PLANNING AND INITIATIVES; TO CREATE THE
ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME ACT OF 2021 AND THE
ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME PROGRAM; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 410 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 411
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE
VETERANS’ CEMETERY SYSTEM; TO CLARIFY THE ALLOWABLE FEE AND
PROCEDURE FOR INTERMENT AND DISINTERMENT IN THE STATE
VETERANS’ CEMETERY SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 411 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 412  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 412 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.  

SENATE BILL NO. 413  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE, CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, EQUIPMENT, SECURITY ENHANCEMENTS, TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES/EQUIPMENT, AND LIBRARY RESOURCES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 413 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 414
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR A WATER GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
- ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 414 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Memorial Resolution
No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER STEVE STEPHENS
AND TO HONOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 287 was returned from the House as passed and ordered
enrolled.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 338 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 338

Amend Senate Bill No. 338 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 36, delete "seller," and substitute "seller and the Division of Tobacco Control,"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "seller," and substitute "seller and the Division of Tobacco Control,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 338 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1027 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1027

Amend House Bill No. 1027 as engrossed, H1/25/21:

Page 1, delete line 23, and substitute the following:  
"(a) As used in this section:
   (1) "Independent bidder" means a person, partnership, corporation, or
any other entity that participates in the sale of personal property by:

(A) Making a monetary offer to purchase the personal property in person at the sale or online;

(B) Being physically present at the sale of the personal property for the purpose of purchasing the personal property; or

(C) Viewing the sale of personal property online for the purpose of purchasing the personal property; and

(2) “Commercially reasonable manner” means a”

AND

Page 2, delete line 33, and substitute the following: "independent bidders participate in the sale of the personal property; and”

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1027 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 64 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 101 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 101
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENHANCED STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT FUNDING AND SCHOOL FUNDING UNDER THE PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING ACT OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 101.
Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 101 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 101 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as
passed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 107 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 107
As Engrossed: S1/20/21 S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 107 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the Bill.
Senator Clark spoke against the Bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the Bill.
Senator Davis spoke against the Bill.
Senator English closed for her Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 22
NEGATIVE: Clark, Garner, Sample, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hester.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Davis, Hammer, B. Johnson, Rice, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 6

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 127 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 127
As Engrossed: S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO ALLOW LIBRARIES TO ACCEPT DEBIT CARD AND CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 127 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 127. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 127 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 179 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 179
As Engrossed: S2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE MAINTENANCE OF FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT INFORMATION FOR THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF THE 911 EMERGENCY SERVICE SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 179 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 179. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 207 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 207
As Engrossed: S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENHANCED TRANSPORTATION FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 207 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 207. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 207, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .......................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 207 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 229 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 229
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DUE DATE FOR SEMIANNUAL REPORTS OF BURIAL ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 229 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 229. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 229 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 239 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 239
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE MINIMUM LEVELS FOR EMPLOYEE BENEFIT STOP-LOSS INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 239 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 239. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: .................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ......................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 239 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 290 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 290
As Engrossed: S2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, BLEDSOE, L. EADS, J. HENDREN, K. INGRAM,
B. DAVIS, ELLIOTT, IRVIN, TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, D. FERGUSON, JETT,
BOYD, MADDOX, MURDOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COVERAGE OF DIAGNOSTIC EXAMINATIONS FOR BREAST CANCER UNDER CERTAIN HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 290 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 290. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 294 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 294
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SERVICE WEAPON USED BY AN EMPLOYEE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; TO REPEAL REDUNDANT LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 294 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 294. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 294 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 302 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 302
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REIMBURSEMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING COSTS OR EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 302 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 302. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ................................................................. 0
EXCUSED:
  Total ................................................................. 0
VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

  Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 302 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 306 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 306
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN A MUNICIPALLY OWNED OR MAINTAINED PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 306 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 306 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 333 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 333
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LAWFUL DISPLAY OF A LICENSE PLATE; TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION ALLOWING CERTAIN DEVICES TO OBSCURE A LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 333 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 333. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 333 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 287, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:44 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 287

RECEIVED the above paper from the Secretary of the Senate this first day of March, 2021 at 1:44 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, House Bill No. 1029 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1029
As Engrossed: H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES F. ALLEN, COZART, ET AL
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STUDY OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL; TO INCLUDE CERTAIN ARKANSAS CIVIL RIGHTS LEADERS IN THE TEACHING MATERIALS REGARDING AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1029 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1029. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1029 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1110 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A STATE ENTITY TO REPORT A SECURITY INCIDENT TO THE LEGISLATIVE AUDITOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1110 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1110. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1110 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1193 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1193
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1193 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1193. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1193 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1194 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1194
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PURCHASES OF COMMODITIES BY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO ALLOW THE COMMISSIONER OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO ROUND THE PERCENTAGE CHANGE BETWEEN THE PURCHASE PRICE OF A COMMODITY BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT AND THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS TO THE NEAREST ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($100); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1194 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1194. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................32

NEGATIVE: Clark.

Total .............................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Flippo, Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast ...........................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1194 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1201 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1201
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR COLLECTION OF SURCHARGES TO FUND THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1201 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1201. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ..............................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1201 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1265 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1265
As Engrossed: H2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CRAWFORD
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL PASSING OF A SCHOOL BUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1265 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1265. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1265 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1356 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356
As Engrossed: S2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCESS OF EVALUATION OF STATE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; TO REQUIRE SUBMISSION OF A REPORT; TO RECOMMEND THE ABOLITION OF A STATE BOARD OR COMMISSION FOR FAILURE TO SUBMIT A REPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1356 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1356. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ............................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1356 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1370 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIRECT SHIPMENT OF VINOUS LIQUOR ACT; TO INCLUDE AN ESTABLISHMENT THAT PRODUCES MEAD IN THE DEFINITION OF "SMALL FARM WINERY"; TO ALLOW A SMALL FARM WINERY TO SHIP MEAD DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS IN STATE OR OUT OF STATE IN THE SAME MANNER AS SMALL FARM WINE; TO TAX MEAD IN THE SAME MANNER AS WINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1370 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1370. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Davis, 
Eads, Elliott, English, Flowers, Garner, Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, 
B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, 
Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE:  Dismang, Gilmore, Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Bledsoe, Flippo, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1370 was returned to the House as passed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 1, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 287 - ACT 217

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 211
JBC 2/25/21

Amend Senate Bill No. 211 as originally introduced:

Page 20, line 1, delete "   $2,000,000" and insert "   $5,000,000".

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 278 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 278
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 278 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Garner, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Hester, Stubblefield, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 278, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 28

NEGATIVE:  Ballinger, Garner, Sullivan.

Total .................................................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Clark, Hester, Stubblefield, Teague.

Total ................................................................................................. 4

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 278 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 338, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1027, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAVANAUGH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 183 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 183 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 124 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 129 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MARCH 2021 AMERICAN RED CROSS MONTH IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 415
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 415 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 416
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREAUX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MUNICIPAL AID FUND TO DISTRIBUTE MUNICIPAL AID TO NEWLY INCORPORATED MUNICIPALITIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 416 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 417
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A PERSON CONVICTED OF AN ANTITRUST VIOLATION OR OTHER UNLAWFUL BUSINESS PRACTICE TO LAWFULLY POSSESS A FIREARM UNDER STATE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 417 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE STATE PARKS, RECREATION, AND TRAVEL COMMISSION; TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE PARKS, RECREATION, AND TRAVEL COMMISSION RELATED TO FEES FOR SERVICES; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE PARKS DIVISION TO UTILIZE DYNAMIC PRICING FOR EVENTS, SERVICES, AND OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 418 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING THE COLLECTION, DEPOSIT, AND USE OF GAS ASSESSMENT FEES; TO DESIGNATE CERTAIN GAS ASSESSMENT FEES AS GENERAL REVENUE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 419 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 420
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EXTENSIONS OF TIME TO FILE INCOME TAX RETURNS; TO EXTEND THE EXTENDED DEADLINE FOR FILING A STATE INCOME TAX RETURN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 420 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 421
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 1 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING GENERAL PROVISIONS; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 2 OF 1914; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 421 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 422
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 2 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 422 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 423
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 4 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING BUSINESS AND COMMERCIAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 423 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 424
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 5 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE CRIMINAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 424 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 425
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 425 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Senate Bill No. 426 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 8 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENVIRONMENTAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Senate Bill No. 427 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 428
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 9 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING FAMILY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 428 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 429
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 10 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 429 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 430
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 12 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 430 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 431
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 14 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING LOCAL GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 431 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 432
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 15 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING NATURAL RESOURCES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 432 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING A PERSON REQUIRED TO REGISTER AS A SEX OFFENDER FROM ENTERING CERTAIN LOCATIONS DESIGNED FOR PUBLIC AQUATIC ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1004 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
As Engrossed: H1/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. FITE, WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO INCREASE THE LOOKBACK PERIOD FOR PRIOR CONVICTIONS OF BOATING OR DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1062 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1238
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATORS M. PITSCH, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ENACT THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT'S GENERAL OMNIBUS; TO MODIFY THE SELF-INSURED FIDELITY BOND PROGRAM; TO REPEAL THE FEES PAYABLE BY AN INACTIVE AGENT; TO MODIFY THE ACCEPTABLE METHODS BY WHICH AN INSURER MAY MAKE A PAYMENT; TO MODIFY THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF CAPTIVE INSURERS; TO MODIFY THE INTENT OF THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE ANNUAL DISCLOSURE ACT; TO MODIFY THE EXCEPTIONS TO THE SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE LAW; TO MODIFY THE
FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR AN AGREEMENT OF MERGER OR CONSOLIDATION OR PLAN OF EXCHANGE OF SHARES OF A CORPORATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO A STIPULATED PREMIUM PLAN INSURER; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO A MUTUAL ASSESSMENT LIFE AND DISABILITY INSURER; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO A FARMERS' MUTUAL AID COMPANY OR ASSOCIATION; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO FRATERNAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO HOSPITAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS AND MEDICAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS; TO REPEAL THE PROTECTION AGAINST INSOLVENCY OF A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION; TO MODIFY THE METHOD OF SETTLING CLAIMS UNDER THE MODEL ACT FOR THE REGULATION OF CREDIT LIFE INSURANCE AND CREDIT DISABILITY INSURANCE; TO MODIFY THE REGISTRATION OR LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR A MULTIPLE EMPLOYER TRUST OR MULTIPLE EMPLOYER WELFARE ARRANGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1238 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATORS M. PITSCH, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "CLAIMANT AGENCY" AS USED IN THE STATUTES CONCERNING COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1241 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, WATSON, MCKENZIE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ATHLETIC TRAINERS TO PRACTICE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A PHYSICIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1259 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1276
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VOLUNTARY PRESUMPTIVE SENTENCING STANDARDS OF A PERSON'S CRIMINAL HISTORY SCORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1276 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS FORESTERS FOR THE FUTURE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1389 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOARD OF VISITORS FOR A TECHNICAL COLLEGE; TO AMEND THE APPOINTMENT REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING A BOARD OF VISITORS FOR A TECHNICAL COLLEGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1445 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1457
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EAVES, CLOUD, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE PAISLEY’S LAW; TO AMEND THE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX LAWS; TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A STILLBORN CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1457 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, MURDOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A STATE-SUPPORTED TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO DESIGNATE FROM AMONGST CURRENT STAFF MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION A HOMELESS AND FOSTER STUDENT LIAISON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1462 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1464
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD TO THE ARKANSAS CODE A PROVISION AFFORDING AN OPPORTUNITY TO CHALLENGE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS AND ASSOCIATED EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1464 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO CLARIFY THE INTENTIONAL TORT EXCEPTION TO THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY DOCTRINE UNDER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW WITH REGARD TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1488 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1521
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, GONZALES
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CODIFY EXECUTIVE ORDERS 20-18 AND 20-34 TO ENSURE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS ARE EQUIPPED WITH THE TOOLS NECESSARY TO COMBAT COVID-19 AND HAVE ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE RESOURCES TO TREAT COVID-19; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 211, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 433
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 16 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PRACTICE, PROCEDURES, AND THE COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 433 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 434
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 17 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PROFESSIONS, OCCUPATIONS, AND BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 434 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 18 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PROPERTY RIGHTS AND INTERESTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 435 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 436 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 437
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 21 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 437 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 438
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 22 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 438 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 439
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC UTILITIES AND REGULATED INDUSTRIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 439 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 440
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 25 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING STATE GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 440 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 441
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 26 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TAXATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 441 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 442
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 27 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TRANSPORTATION AND MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 442 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 443
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 443 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 444
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 444 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 445
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PER DIEM TO NON-LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS FOR THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 445 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 446
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE APPLICABILITY OF STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN" TO INCLUDE INDIVIDUAL QUALIFIED HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 446 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 447
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 447 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 448
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 448 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 449
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY - HOUSING TRUST FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 449 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 299, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
Senate Bill No. 344, BY SENATOR B. DAVIS

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1154, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
House Bill No. 1180, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
House Bill No. 1270, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,
House Bill No. 1278, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 382, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 64, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:
House Bill No. 1200, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAYBERRY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 101
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1029
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 124
SENATE BILL NO. 129
SENATE BILL NO. 287

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 183 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
HOUSE BILL NO. 1238
HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
HOUSE BILL NO. 1276
HOUSE BILL NO. 1389
HOUSE BILL NO. 1445
HOUSE BILL NO. 1457
HOUSE BILL NO. 1462
HOUSE BILL NO. 1464
HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
HOUSE BILL NO. 1521
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 2, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
March 2, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wallace.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 5 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 5

Amend Senate Bill No. 5 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 3, delete line 8 through 12, and substitute the following:

"(iv) The operation of bankruptcy or insolvency laws; or

(v) Any claim or process of law; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 23

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 2, line 30, delete "comment before the vote's being" and substitute "comments, which shall occur before the vote is"

AND

Page 3, delete line 9, and substitute the following: "the declaration of the results.

(e) After following the procedure in subsection (d) of this section, once a majority of the votes cast are in favor of becoming self-regulated under this subchapter, then the process to become self-regulated shall begin as soon as possible and shall be completed within twelve (12) months of the majority vote to become self-regulated."

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete "(e)" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Page 3, line 12, delete "(1) Set" and substitute "(1)(A) Set"

AND

Page 3, delete line 14, and substitute the following: "respective classes of service of the corporation.

(B) For any changes in rates, a member-consumer shall be provided advance notice of at least ninety (90) days through the same communication channel the member-consumer selects for receiving billing; and"

AND

Page 3, delete line 17, and substitute the following: "other member-accessible locations as well as those locations on file with the commission for informational purposes as listed in the commission-designated docket."

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "(f)" and substitute "(g)"
Page 3, line 21, delete "(g)(1)" and substitute "(h)(1)"

Page 3, line 28, delete "commission and following" and substitute "commission, following"

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 5, and substitute the following:

"(2) After following the procedure in subdivision (h)(1)(A) or subdivision (h)(1)(B) of this section, if a majority of the votes cast are in favor of returning to the jurisdiction of the commission, then:

(A) The process to return the corporation to the jurisdiction of the commission shall begin as soon as possible after the membership vote; and"

Page 4, line 10, delete "(h)" and substitute "(i)"

Page 4, line 20, delete "seq.; and" and substitute "seq.;"

Page 4, delete line 22, and substitute the following:

"seq.;

(6) Net metering as defined in the Arkansas Renewable Energy Development Act of 2001, § 23-18-601 et seq.; and

(7) Demand response as defined in the Regulation of Electric Demand Response Act, § 23-18-1001 et seq."

Page 4, line 23, delete "(i)" and substitute "(j)"

Page 4, delete lines 24 through 31, and substitute the following:

“monopoly electric service provider to:

(1) Make the provision of electric service conditional upon the nonelectric service offerings of the corporation; or

(2) Offer consideration to induce a member-consumer to switch from another public utility’s service to the service of the corporation.

(k)(1) This subchapter does not conflict with:

(A) Section 14-207-101 et seq. or otherwise affect the rights of a municipal electric utility, as defined in the Arkansas Municipal Electric Utility Interlocal Cooperation Act of 2003, § 25-20-401 et seq., relating to extensions of service or otherwise;

(B) The Broadband Over Power Lines Enabling Act, § 23-18-801 et seq.;

and 23-3-310; (C) Commission funding provisions described in §§ 23-3-309 and 23-3-310;"
(D) Section 23-3-114(a) concerning the prohibition of unreasonable preferences or disadvantages for rates and service between classes of service; and

(E) Other laws pertaining to public utilities that do not address the jurisdiction or authority of the commission over a self-regulated corporation.

(2) If another provision of Arkansas law conflicts with this subchapter concerning the jurisdiction or authority of the commission over a self-regulated corporation, then this subchapter controls.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 159 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 159

Amend Senate Bill No. 159 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"enforcement agency as described in § 12-20-101 et seq.;"

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-9-104(3)(A), concerning the powers of the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training, is amended to read as follows:

(3)(A) Establish minimum selection and training standards for admission to employment as a law enforcement officer or as a private school or private college or university law enforcement officer.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 12-9-211 is amended to read as follows:
12-9-211. Private school and private college or university law enforcement officers.
(a) A law enforcement officer for a private school or a private college or university is permitted to attend the Arkansas Law Enforcement Training Academy for training and instruction.

(b) The private school or the private college or university for which the law enforcement officer is employed shall:
   (1) Pay any necessary transportation cost in traveling to and from the academy; and
   (2) Reimburse the Division of Law Enforcement Standards and Training for any cost associated with the private school or private college or university law enforcement officer's training or instruction at the academy.

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "SECTION 2" and substitute "SECTION 4"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 through 25, and substitute the following:

"(4) "Private school" means a nonpublic elementary or secondary school that is:
   (A) A registered nonprofit; and
   (B) Accredited or licensed by an accrediting association recognized by the State Board of Education; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 159 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 309

Amend Senate Bill No. 309 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following:

"(i) The presence of one (1) or more adenomatous polyps on a previous colonoscopy, barium enema, or flexible sigmoidoscopy;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 18, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 23-79-1202 is amended to read as follows:
(a) A healthcare policy subject to this subchapter executed, delivered, issued for delivery, continued, or renewed in this state on or after August 1, 2005, shall include colorectal cancer examinations and laboratory tests within the healthcare policy's coverage."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 through 25, and substitute the following:

"(2) Covered persons who are less than fifty (50) forty-five (45) years of age and at high risk for colorectal cancer according to American Cancer Society colorectal cancer screening guidelines as they existed on"

AND

Page 2, delete line 35, and substitute the following:

"(C) The need for a follow-up colonoscopy."

(c) After August 1, 2005, each employer that offers a healthcare policy to employees shall offer all eligible employees at the time of hiring or healthcare policy renewal a healthcare policy that includes colorectal cancer examinations and laboratory tests within the coverage of the employee's healthcare policy.
(d)(1) The colorectal screening shall involve an examination of the entire colon, including:

(A) The following examinations or laboratory tests, or both:

(i) An annual fecal occult blood test utilizing the take-home multiple sample method, or high-sensitivity stool-based test or structural and visual exam, as recommended by the American Cancer Society, including an annual fecal immunochemical test in conjunction with a flexible sigmoidoscopy every five (5) years;

(ii) A double-contrast barium enema every five (5) years
A high-sensitivity guaiac-based fecal occult blood test annually; or
(iii) A multitarget stool deoxyribonucleic acid test every three (3) years;

(iv) A colonoscopy every ten (10) years; and

(v) A computed tomography scan every five (5) years; or

(vi) Any new colorectal cancer screening tests or exams;

and

(B) Any additional medically recognized screening tests for colorectal cancer required by the Secretary of the Department of Health, determined in consultation with appropriate healthcare organizations.

(2) The covered person shall determine the choice of screening strategies in consultation with a healthcare provider.

(3) Colorectal screening examinations shall be according to the choices and frequency provided by this subsection for all other covered persons.

(e)(1) Screenings shall be limited to the following guidelines for the management or subsequent need for follow-up colonoscopy:

(2) The guidelines described in subdivision (e)(1) of this section shall include a guideline stating that if a healthcare policy provides coverage to a resident of this state, then the healthcare policy shall not impose any cost-sharing requirements for:

(1)(A) If the initial colonoscopy is normal, follow-up is recommended in ten (10) years A colonoscopy performed as a result of a positive result on a noncolonoscopy preventive screening test as described in subdivision (d)(1) of this section; or

(2)(B) For individuals with one (1) or more neoplastic polyps or adenomatous polyps, assuming that the initial colonoscopy was complete to the cecum and adequate preparation and removal of all visualized polyps, follow-up is recommended in three (3) years Any additional noncolonoscopy preventive screening tests for colorectal cancer required by the secretary in consultation with appropriate healthcare organizations;

(3) If single tubular adenoma of less than one centimeter (1 cm) is found, follow-up is recommended in five (5) years; and

(4) For patients with large sessile adenomas greater than three centimeters (3 cm), especially if removed in piecemeal fashion, follow-up is recommended in six (6) months or until complete polyp removal is verified by colonoscopy."

AND

Page 3, delete line 17, and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) An"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1229 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1229

Amend House Bill No. 1229 as engrossed, H1/26/21:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 33, and substitute:

"(3) The Commissioner of State Lands shall conduct a tax-delinquent property auction under this subsection in person under subdivisions (c)(1) and (c)(2) if this section.

(4)(A) An individual or entity whose home of record is outside the United States is prohibited from purchasing tax-delinquent property certified to the Commissioner of State Lands.

(B) Effective July 1, 2021, in the event it is determined that a tax-delinquent parcel previously certified to the Commissioner of State Lands has been purchased by an individual or entity whose home of record is outside the United States:

(i) The deed shall be cancelled by the Commissioner of State Lands within three (3) business days of the determination;

(ii) Any and all moneys originally paid to the Commissioner of State Lands for the parcel are immediately forfeited to the Commissioner of State Lands; and

(iii) The parcel is immediately considered certified to the Commissioner of State Lands as tax-delinquent."

AND

Page 2, delete line 34 and substitute the following:

"counties are adjoining counties.

(3) Unsold-property auctions and negotiated-price auctions are exempt from subdivisions (c)(1) and (c)(2) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1229 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1358 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1358

Amend House Bill No. 1358 as originally introduced:

Add Senator G. Stubblefield as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1358 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1359 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1359

Amend House Bill No. 1359 as originally introduced:

Add Senator G. Stubblefield as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1359 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 297 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 297 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Wallace.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 124, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 129, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:42 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 124
SENATE BILL NO. 129

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this second day of March, 2021 at 10:42 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) CALEB STANTON, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 159, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 159 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1229, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1229 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1358, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1359, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARKER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1358 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1359 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2012

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 312, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1315, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1210, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
March 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 386, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
March 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

March 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 406, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1115, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Resolution No. 8 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MARCH 2021 AMERICAN RED CROSS MONTH IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 8 read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1251 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1251

Amend House Bill No. 1251 as originally introduced
Page 4, line 2, delete "wose" and substitute "whose"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1251 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 147 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 147
As Engrossed: S2/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS OPPORTUNITY PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 147 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 147. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 147 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 174 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 174
As Engrossed: S1/26/21 S2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TERMINATION OF ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF "NORMAL RETIREMENT AGE"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 174 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 174. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 174 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 299 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 299
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW RELATED TO THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 299 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 299. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 338 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 338
As Engrossed: S3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; TO PROVIDE A GRACE PERIOD FOR CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES AT A PERMITTED BUSINESS LOCATION; TO ALLOW THIRTY (30) DAYS TO OPERATE UNDER A PRIOR PERMIT WHEN A CIRCUMSTANCE OCCURS THAT VOIDS THE PRIOR PERMIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 338 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 338. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast: ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill: ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 338 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 344 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 344
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD AN EXCEPTION FROM NURSING LICENSURE TO ALLOW EMPLOYEES OF A CITY OR COUNTY DETENTION CENTER TO DRAW AND MEASURE GLUCAGON OR INSULIN FOR A PERSON WHO IS INCARCERATED OR IN CUSTODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 344 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 344. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total: ............................................................................................ 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 344 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1315 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 391 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 391 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1027 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1027
As Engrossed: H1/25/21 S3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, PILKINGTON, ET AL
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE AND REMOVAL PROCEDURE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY FROM A SELF-SERVICE STORAGE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1027 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1027. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................30

NEGATIVE: Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Chesterfield, Elliott.
Total ........................................................................................................3

Total number of votes cast .........................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1027 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1154 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
As Engrossed: H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND UPDATE THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING REGULATION OF IONIZING RADIATION TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1154 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1154. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1154 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1244 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A DRIVER'S LICENSE OR AN IDENTIFICATION CARD WITHOUT A PHOTOGRAPH IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1244 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1244. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1244 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1248 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1248
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONSOLIDATION OF CERTAIN LEVEE DISTRICTS AND BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1248 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the bill.

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1248. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1248 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1249 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PROCEDURE FOR THE DISSOLUTION OR ABOLITION OF A LEVEE DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1249 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1249. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...............................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1249 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1250 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1250  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN  
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ASSESSMENTS IN CERTAIN LEVEE OR DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1250 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1250. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Garner.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1250 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, House Bill No. 1270 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
As Engrossed: H2/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE "CHILDCARE INSTITUTION" UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CRIMINAL RECORD AND CHILD MALTREATMENT CHECKS UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1270 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1270. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1270 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, House Bill No. 1278 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1278  
As Engrossed: H2/3/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE  
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CLOSURE OF INVESTIGATIONS AND INVESTIGATIVE DETERMINATIONS UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1278 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1278. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1278 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1372 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM AMOUNT OF CARRYOVER FUNDS FOR AN OFFICE WITHOUT AN ANNUAL SALARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1372 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1372. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1372 was returned to the House as passed.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1251, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DESIGNATE A PORTION OF U.S. HIGHWAY 82 IN UNION COUNTY AS THE “JEREMY WISE AND BENJAMIN WISE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY”.

Senate Resolution No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 450
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE GENDER INTEGRITY REINFORCEMENT LEGISLATION FOR SPORTS (GIRLS) ACT; TO CREATE A LEGAL CAUSE OF ACTION FOR A VIOLATION OF THE GENDER INTEGRITY REINFORCEMENT LEGISLATION FOR SPORTS (GIRLS) ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 450 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 451
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VISUAL ART, MUSIC, AND PERFORMING ARTS REQUIREMENTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENT THAT STUDENTS IN GRADES FIVE (5) AND SIX (6) ENROLLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS THAT ARE NOT CONFIGURED AS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PARTICIPATE IN VISUAL ART AND MUSIC CLASS; TO REQUIRE THAT STUDENTS IN GRADE SIX (6) ENROLLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS THAT ARE NOT CONFIGURED AS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PARTICIPATE IN VISUAL ARTS OR PERFORMING ARTS INSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 451 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Senate Bill No. 20 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 169 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 452
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT APPORTIONMENT OF WARDS BE CONDUCTED BY THE COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DESIGNATION OF WARDS IN MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 452 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 453
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SPECIAL ELECTIONS; TO AMEND THE DATES FOR CERTAIN SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 453 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 454
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL SEWER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 454 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 455
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN FEES, EXPENSES, AND OTHER COSTS IMPOSED ON A JUVENILE OR THE PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR CUSTODIAN OF A JUVENILE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 455 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061
As Engrossed: H1/19/21 H2/1/21 H2/24/21 H3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. MAYBERRY, LUNDSTRUM, CRAWFORD, VAUGHT, BENTLEY, EVANS, FURMAN, MADDOX, M. MCELROY, MILLER, RICHMOND, WATSON, BROWN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, K. HAMMER, J. ENGLISH, IRVIN, A. CLARK, FLIPPO, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE NO PATIENT LEFT ALONE ACT; CONCERNING VISITATION RIGHTS OF PATIENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1061 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1326
As Engrossed: H2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1326 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELIGIBILITY OF A MEMBER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ARKANSAS STATE POLICE OFFICERS’ TIER TWO DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1350 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF DEBTS AND OVERPAYMENTS BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “CLAIMANT AGENCY” AND “DEBT”; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1352 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO AFFIRM THE RIGHT OF A MUNICIPALITY TO DECLARE THE MUNICIPALITY A PRO-LIFE CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1544 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 383, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 384, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1338, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 149, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 150, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 151, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 184, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 456
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND PURCHASING PROCEDURES FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 456 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 457
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. MAYBERRY, ENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; TO EXPAND ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2 TO INCLUDE A STUDENT WHO IS ACCEPTED INTO AN APPROVED COMPREHENSIVE TRANSITION AND POSTSECONDARY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 457 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 147
SENATE BILL NO. 174
SENATE BILL NO. 299
SENATE BILL NO. 338
SENATE BILL NO. 344

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
HOUSE BILL NO. 1248
HOUSE BILL NO. 1249
HOUSE BILL NO. 1250
HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
HOUSE BILL NO. 1278
HOUSE BILL NO. 1372

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1027 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 20
SENATE BILL NO. 169

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061
HOUSE BILL NO. 1326
HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
HOUSE BILL NO. 1352
HOUSE BILL NO. 1544
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 3, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:10 p.m. o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

Senator Wallace requested leave for Senator Sturch and Senator Clark. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sample.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 248 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 248

Amend Senate Bill No. 248 as engrossed, S2/8/21:

Page 7, delete line 33, and substitute the following:

"(2) Occur only in Arkansas, except that the seller in a transaction involving not potentially hazardous homemade food or drink product may sell the homemade food or drink product to an informed end consumer in another state if the seller complies with all applicable federal laws;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 292

Amend Senate Bill No. 292 as engrossed, S2/10/21:

Add Representatives Watson, Crawford as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 300

Amend Senate Bill No. 300 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Watson, Crawford as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.  

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered engrossed.  

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as engrossed, S2/23/21:  

Add Representatives Crawford, Watson as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1188 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1188

Amend House Bill No. 1188 as engrossed, H1/28/21:

Add Senator B. Davis as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "a fire,"

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "(C)" and substitute "(C)(i)"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "to obtain" and substitute "to submit to"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:
"and national criminal background check to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Division of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(ii) The state and national criminal background check described in subdivision (a)(18)(C)(i) of this section shall:

(a) Conform to all applicable federal standards;

and

(b) Include the taking of fingerprints."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1188 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1215 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1215

Amend House Bill No. 1215 as engrossed, H2/24/21:

Page 3, delete line 10, and substitute the following:

“(d) For a delivery outside of an accredited facility, the certified nurse midwife shall identify a licensed physician or facility, or both, with which an arrangement has been made for referral and consultation in the event of a medical complication.

(e) This section does not authorize a certified nurse midwife to”

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1215 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1242 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1242

Amend House Bill No. 1242 as originally introduced:
Delete Senator J. Hendren as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Senators M. Pitsch, J. Hendren as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1242 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1521 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1521

Amend House Bill No. 1521 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete lines 13 through 17, and substitute the following:
"scope of the healthcare provider's license; and

(B) The healthcare provider informs the patient of known"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1521 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 169, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:44 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 20
SENATE BILL NO 169

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this third day of March, 2021 at 10:44 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1215, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1521, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1188 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1215 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1521 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1242, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1242 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, MEMBER

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062, BY REPRESENTATIVE FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, MEMBER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1358, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1359, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARKER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1377, BY REPRESENTATIVE CALEVAUGH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1383, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 64 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 64

Amend Senate Bill No. 64 as originally introduced:

Page 10, delete lines 2 through 10, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2101(a)(3), concerning the school rating system and annual reports, is amended to read as follows:
(3)(A) Annual school performance reports shall be:
(A)(i) Made available in hard copy to all parents or guardians upon request;
(B)(ii) Posted on the division’s website; and
(C)(iii) Posted on the local school district’s website; and
(D) Published by the local school district in the local newspaper.
(B) The public school district also may publish the school performance report in the local newspaper:"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 64 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 263 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 263

Amend Senate Bill No. 263 as engrossed, S2/3/21:

Page 1, line 33, delete "or § 23-4-1003(b)(3)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 20, and substitute the following:

"(b) Shall not:

(1) Allow any attachment to a pole in a state highway right-of-way; or

(2) Authorize a member of the public"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as originally introduced:


AND

Add Representatives Lundstrum, Bentley, Brown, Cavenaugh, Crawford, Gazaway, J. Mayberry, Miller, Payton, Richmond, Rye, B. Smith, Vaught as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 357 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 357

Amend Senate Bill No. 357 as originally introduced:

Add Senator T. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Gonzales, Dotson, Pilkington as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 384 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 384

Amend Senate Bill No. 384 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete the title in its entirety, and substitute the following: "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following: "TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; AND TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996."

AND

Page 1, delete line 22, and substitute the following: "SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-6-203(b)(1), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning campaign finance"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 384 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 383 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 383

Amend Senate Bill No. 383 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete the title in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO AMEND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"TO AMEND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; AND TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 21 through 23, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-6-203(a)(1)(A), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning campaign finance contributions, limitations, acceptance or solicitation, use as personal income, and disposition, is amended to read as follows:"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 26 and 27, and substitute the following:
"contributions in excess of two thousand seven hundred dollars ($2,700) the maximum campaign contribution level established by rule of the Arkansas Ethics Commission under subsection (i) of this section per election from:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-6-203(b)(1), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning campaign finance contributions, limitations, acceptance or solicitation, use as personal income, and disposition, is amended to read as follows:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 26, and substitute the following:
SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 7-6-203(i), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning campaign finance contributions, limitations, acceptance or solicitation, use as personal income, and disposition, is amended to read as follows:

(i) The Arkansas Ethics Commission shall establish the maximum campaign contribution limit by rule as follows:

1. The adjusted campaign contribution limit shall be calculated from a base amount of two thousand dollars ($2,000) as of January 1, 2015;

2. If the amount after adjustment under subdivision (i)(1)(i)(2) of this section is not a multiple of one hundred dollars ($100), the Arkansas Ethics Commission shall round the amount to the nearest multiple of one hundred dollars ($100).

3. The Arkansas Ethics Commission shall promulgate rules identifying the adjusted contribution limit under subdivision (i)(1) of this section this subsection."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 383 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1210 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1210

Amend House Bill No. 1210 as engrossed, H1/26/21:

Add Senators Caldwell, Beckham, Gilmore, G. Leding, B. Sample, J. Sturch, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Vaught, S. Berry, Bragg, Breaux, Coleman, C. Cooper, Eaves, Ennett, Eubanks, Fortner, Hollowell, Jean, Jett, Lynch, Magie, McNair, B. Smith, Wing, Womack as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE STATE PLANT BOARD; TO REQUIRE GOVERNOR APPOINTMENT AND SENATE CONFIRMATION OF POTENTIAL MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE STATE PLANT BOARD; AND TO REQUIRE GOVERNOR APPOINTMENT AND SENATE CONFIRMATION OF POTENTIAL MEMBERS."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 2-16-206(a), concerning the State Plant Board, is amended to read as follows:
(a) There is created and established a State Plant Board, composed of eighteen (18) nineteen (19) members, as follows:
(1) Two (2) nonvoting members designated by the Vice President for Agriculture of the University of Arkansas or his or her designee;
(2) A practical cotton grower, actively and principally engaged in the business production of cotton, to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate;
(3) One (1) member to represent the fertilizer industry shall be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2)
names submitted by the Arkansas Plant Food Association, actively engaged in the business, to be appointed by the Governor;

(4) A practical rice grower, actively and principally engaged in the business production of rice, to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate;

(5) A practical horticulturist or nurseryman, actively and principally engaged in the business, to be elected by the Arkansas State Horticultural Society to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas State Horticultural Society and the Arkansas Green Industry Association;

(6) A nurseryman practical corn, peanut, sorghum, turf, or wheat grower, actively and principally engaged in the business production of corn, peanuts, sorghum, turf, or wheat, to be elected by the Arkansas Green Industry Association to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate;

(7) A practical seed soybean grower, actively and principally engaged in the business production of soybeans, to be elected by the Arkansas Seed Growers Association to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate;

(8) A One (1) member representing pest control operator, operators actively engaged in the business, to be elected by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Pest Management Association, Inc.;

(9) A seed dealer, actively and principally engaged in the business, to be elected by the Arkansas Seed Dealers’ Association to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Seed Dealers’ Association;

(10) A seed grower, actively and principally engaged in the business, to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Seed Growers Association;

(11) One (1) member representing the Arkansas Bureau of Standards retail or wholesale fuel industry to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Oil Marketers Association;

(12) A One (1) member representing pesticide manufacturer, manufacturers actively engaged in the business, to be elected by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Crop Protection Association, Inc.;

(13) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Agricultural Aviation Association, to be elected by representing agricultural aviators to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Agricultural Aviation Association;

(14) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Forestry Association, to be elected by representing the forest sector shall be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate from a list of at least two (2) names submitted by the Arkansas Forestry Association;

(15) Two (2) farmers actively and principally engaged in farming the production of corn, cotton, peanuts, rice, sorghum, soybeans, turf, or wheat in this state, appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate;

(16) One (1) representative of the livestock industry A practical livestock producer, actively and principally engaged in the business production of livestock, to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate; and

(17) One (1) representative of the forage industry A practical forage grower, actively and principally engaged in the business production of forage, to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. Remainder of term.

Current members of the State Plant Board shall serve out the remainder of their terms and are not required to be replaced to meet the changes of this act.”
Senator Tucker spoke for this Amendment.

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1210 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 149 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 149 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 149

Amend Senate Bill No. 149 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Maddox as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 149 was ordered engrossed.
Senator Dismang moved to place Senate Bill No. 149 at the bottom of the calendar when returned from Engrossing. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 150 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 150 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 150

Amend Senate Bill No. 150 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Maddox as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 150 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved to place Senate Bill No. 150 at the bottom of the calendar when returned from Engrossing. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 151 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 151 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 151

Amend Senate Bill No. 151 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Maddox as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 151 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved to place Senate Bill No. 151 at the end of the calendar when returned from Engrossing. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 184 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 184
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS PAWN BROKER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 184 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 184. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................ 31

NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total ........................................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.
Total ........................................................................................................ 2

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 184 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 225 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 225
As Engrossed S2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ADDITIONAL FEE REQUIRED FOR THE REGISTRATION OF A HYBRID VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 225 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 225. Motion carried.

Senator M. Johnson spoke for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................32
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.
Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

Total number of votes cast ........................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 225 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 380 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 380
As Engrossed S3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, L. CHESTERFIELD, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOOTEN, RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE POLICY ACT; AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ANNUAL LEAVE ACCRUED BY CRITICAL-NEED EMPLOYEES; REQUIRING THAT CERTAIN ANNUAL LEAVE ACCUMULATED IN EXCESS OF THE AMOUNT ALLOWED AT THE END OF A CALENDAR YEAR BE DEPOSITED INTO THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE BANK; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 380 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 380. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total .............................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 380, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 382 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 382
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS FUTURE GRANT PROGRAM; TO DEEM A PRIVATE, NONPROFIT TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AN APPROVED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS FUTURE GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 382 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 382. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: ........................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ........................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: ........................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 382 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 406 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 406
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION EMPLOYEE’S OATH OF OFFICE: AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 406 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 406. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total ..............................................................33

NEGATIVE:  
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.  
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...........................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 406 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1115 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1115
As Engrossed: S2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE WEIGHT THRESHOLD FOR COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1115 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1115. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
The bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1115 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1200 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1200
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FORGIVENESS OF STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM; TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR ELIGIBILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1200 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1200. Motion carried.


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1200 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1251 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1251
As Engrossed S3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, HILLMAN
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT AND PROTECTION DISTRICT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS BY COUNTY COLLECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1251 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1251. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1251 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1326 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1326  
As Engrossed H2/22/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1326 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1326. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.............................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1326, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.
Total .........................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.............................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1326 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1338 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1338
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BARKER, ET AL
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE, B. BALLINGER, A. CLARK, L. EADS,
K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE PETITION PROCESS TO BE ON THE BALLOT AS A CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OR VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES; TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF SIGNATURES REQUIRED TO BE LISTED ON THE BALLOT FOR THE OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1338 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1338. Motion carried.

Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 29
NEGATIVE: Elliott, Hendren, Tucker.
Total ...........................................................................................  3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Leding.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.
Total ...........................................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1338 was returned to the house as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1350 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELIGIBILITY OF A MEMBER TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ARKANSAS STATE POLICE OFFICERS’ TIER TWO DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1350 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1350. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1350, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.
Total .............................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1350 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1352 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1352
As Engrossed H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF DEBTS AND OVERPAYMENTS BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “CLAIMANT AGENCY” AND “DEBT”; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1352 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1352. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1352, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.............................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1352 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 149, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 149 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 149
As Engrossed S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO MODIFY CERTAIN DEFINITIONS UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO CLARIFY THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR LICENSURE UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO PROVIDE A PROCESS TO ALLOW A LOAN OFFICER TO WORK REMOTELY; TO MODIFY THE PROCESS FOR A CHANGE OF NAME OR ADDRESS OF A LICENSEE UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO REQUIRE A LICENSEE TO ESTABLISH CYBERSECURITY POLICY AND PROCEDURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 149 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 149. Motion carried.


Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 149 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 150, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 150 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 150
As Engrossed S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM MONEY SERVICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 150 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 150. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

EXCUSED:  Clark, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast...................................................................... 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 150 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 151, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 151 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 151
As Engrossed S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 151 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 151. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Clark, Sturch.

Total .................................................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 151 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
Asa Hutchinson
Governor

March 3, 2021

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 3, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 24 - ACT 250

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE MOUNT ST. MARY ACADEMY FOR 170 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 458
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES FOR RESIDENTS; TO CHANGE THE AGE REQUIREMENT FOR A HUNTING OR FISHING LICENSE FROM SIXTEEN (16) YEARS OF AGE TO EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 458 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 459
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TAX TREATMENT OF THE PURCHASE OR USE OF A USED MOTOR VEHICLE; TO EXEMPT THE PURCHASE OF A USED MOTOR VEHICLE FROM SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 459 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 460
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGULATING PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS AND PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCIES; TO AMEND THE LICENSE REQUIREMENTS FOR PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS; TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR INSTRUCTORS AND EXAMINATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 460 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE FARMERS RIGHT TO REPAIR ACT; TO REQUIRE AN ORIGINAL MANUFACTURER TO PROVIDE ESSENTIAL INFORMATION TO FARMERS TO REPAIR FARM EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 461 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; TO AMEND THE LAW WITH RESPECT TO AWARDS GRANTED UNDER THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 462 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 64, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 312, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 383, BY SENATOR CLARK TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 384, BY SENATOR CLARK TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1210, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 463
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FURMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING ABORTION REPORTING AND INSPECTIONS OF ABORTION FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE CERTAIN DOCUMENTATION BE PRESENTED BEFORE PERFORMING AN ABORTION WHEN THE PREGNANCY IS A RESULT OF RAPE OR INCEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 463 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 464
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "SEXUAL CONTACT" AS IT PERTAINS TO CERTAIN SEXUAL OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 464 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 465
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE FOR THE ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA SPECIAL PRIVILEGE TAX ACT OF 2017; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 465 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 61, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 62, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 249, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 264, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 265, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 159, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
VICE-CHAIRMAN
Senate Bill No. 6 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 174 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 205 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
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Senate Bill No. 283 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 283 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 378, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 22, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1351, BY REPRESENTATIVE WING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2021
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ESTIMATED ASSESSMENT OF TAX IF A TAXPAYER FAILS OR REFUSES TO PROVIDE RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENT TO KEEP AND PRESERVE TAX RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1044 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1084
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS RICE RESEARCH AND PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1084 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, D. FERGUSON, LADYMAN, FORTNER
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE GABO'S LAW; TO ALLOW FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE TO BE PROVIDED TO INJURED POLICE DOGS; TO PROVIDE IMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1152 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOSH, WATSON, WOOTEN, SLAPE, CHRISTIANSEN
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN A CERTIFIED PEER SUPPORT MEMBER AND AN EMERGENCY RESPONDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1204 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING INDIGENT PERSONS AND THE USE OF A PUBLIC DEFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1213 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1235
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TRAFFIC ACCIDENT REPORTS FILED WITH THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1235 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256
As Engrossed:  H1/27/21  H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, MCCOLLUM, C. FITE, VAUGHT, LUNDSTRUM, HAWKS, CRAWFORD, M. MCELROY
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMPREHENSIVE CRIMINAL RECORD SEALING ACT OF 2013; TO PERMIT CERTAIN PERSONS WITH FELONY CONVICTIONS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CRIMINAL RECORD SEALING; CONCERNING THE TIMELINE DURING WHICH A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY MAY OBJECT TO A PETITION TO SEAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1256 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1392 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE METHOD OF CALCULATION OF THE STABILIZATION TAX IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1407 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ADVANCING WOMEN'S HEALTH ACT OF 2015; TO REQUIRE THE ACT TO APPLY TO FUNDING THROUGH THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1408 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF "WAGES" IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1409 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENHANCED TRANSPORTATION FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1433 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL USE OF A PERSON’S BOOKING PHOTOGRAPH ON A PUBLISH-FOR-PAY WEBSITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1437 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1472  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COZART, MCGREW, WARREN  
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, G. LEDING  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES, AND THE ARTS; TO AMEND THE COMPOSITION OF THE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS SERVING ON THE BOARD OF VISITORS FOR THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES, AND THE ARTS; TO AMEND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR INSTRUCTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1472 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1496  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES  
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A CONTRACT FOR EMPLOYMENT FOR A PRESIDENT AND CHANCELLOR OF A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO SPECIFY TERMS REGARDING TERMINATION AND BUYOUT AGREEMENTS THAT A CONTRACT FOR EMPLOYMENT FOR A PRESIDENT AND CHANCELLOR OF A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION SHALL INCLUDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1496 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 149
SENATE BILL NO. 150
SENATE BILL NO. 151
SENATE BILL NO. 184
SENATE BILL NO. 225
SENATE BILL NO. 380
SENATE BILL NO. 382
SENATE BILL NO. 406

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1200
HOUSE BILL NO. 1326
HOUSE BILL NO. 1338
HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
HOUSE BILL NO. 1352

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1115 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1251 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 6
SENATE BILL NO. 174
SENATE BILL NO. 205
SENATE BILL NO. 206
SENATE BILL NO. 316
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SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 283 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
HOUSE BILL NO. 1084
HOUSE BILL NO. 1152
HOUSE BILL NO. 1204
HOUSE BILL NO. 1213
HOUSE BILL NO. 1235
HOUSE BILL NO. 1256
HOUSE BILL NO. 1392
HOUSE BILL NO. 1407
HOUSE BILL NO. 1408
HOUSE BILL NO. 1409
HOUSE BILL NO. 1433
HOUSE BILL NO. 1437
HOUSE BILL NO. 1472
HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 4, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Pitsch requested leave for Senator Rapert. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Eads.

The Senate was led in Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 191

Amend Senate Bill No. 191 as engrossed, S2/8/21:

Page 1, line 16, delete "MEMBERS OF A CAMPUS COMMUNITY" and substitute "STUDENTS AND TEACHERS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE FORUM ACT; TO AMEND THE RESTRICTIONS AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION MAY IMPOSE ON FREE EXPRESSION; AND TO AMEND THE AREAS THAT CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC FORUM FOR STUDENTS AND TEACHERS."

AND

Page 3, line 9, delete "members of the campus community" and substitute "members of the campus community students and teachers"

AND

Page 3, line 31, delete "members of the campus community" and substitute "students and teachers"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "members of the campus community" and substitute "students and teachers"

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "members of" and substitute "members of students and teachers"

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "the campus community" and substitute "the campus community"
AND

Page 4, delete lines 16 and 17, and substitute the following:

“(2)(A) Indoor common areas generally open to all students and teachers for the purpose of congregating for social interaction, as designated by a state-supported institution of higher education.

(B) A state-supported institution of higher education shall appropriately designate indoor common areas generally open to all students and teachers for the purpose of congregating for social interaction.”

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "members of the campus community" and substitute "members of the campus community students and teachers"

AND

Page 4, line 33, delete "member of the campus community" and substitute "member of the campus community student or teacher"

AND

Page 5, line 7, delete "campus community member" and substitute "campus community member student or teacher"

AND

Page 5, line 34, delete "members of the campus community" and substitute "students or teachers"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered engrossed.
Amend Senate Bill No. 341 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 22, and substitute the following:
"attorneys' offices; and"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(E)" and substitute "(D)"

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 341 was withdrawn.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 341 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

Amend Senate Bill No. 341 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 6, and substitute the following:
"employee under § 21-1-610.  
(C) "Public employee" does not include a public safety officer, including without limitation a:
(i) Law enforcement officer; and  
(ii) Firefighter;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 22, and substitute the following:
"attorneys' offices; and"
AND
Page 2, line 23, delete "(E)" and substitute "(D)"

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 341 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1021 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1021

Amend House Bill No. 1021 as engrossed, H2/9/21:

Page 1, line 32, delete "twenty-four (24)" and substitute "thirty-six (36)"
AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "twenty-four (24)" and substitute "thirty-six (36)"

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1021 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1176 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1176

Amend House Bill No. 1176 as engrossed, H2/8/21:

Page 1, line 13, delete "(COVID-19);" and substitute "(COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY;"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ENSURE THAT REIMBURSEMENT IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN BEHAVIORAL AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED VIA TELEMEDICINE CONTINUES AFTER THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 3, delete line 3, and substitute the following:

"Program.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that due to the coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, the Department of Human Services has issued several memorandums authorizing certain reimbursements for behavioral and mental health services provided via telemedicine for the time period of the public health emergency to beneficiaries in the Arkansas Medicaid Program; that on February 26, 2021, the Governor announced that the public health emergency was extended but the Governor was going to lift some regulations related to the pandemic; that these reimbursements allowed behavioral and mental health providers to ensure that the beneficiaries of the Arkansas Medicaid Program had the services that they needed, and lifting these reimbursements to the healthcare providers of behavioral and mental health services would greatly disadvantage and harm the beneficiaries of the Arkansas Medicaid Program who need these services; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure that the beneficiaries of the Arkansas Medicaid Program have access to behavioral and mental health services provided via telemedicine. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being
immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

1. The date of its approval by the Governor;
2. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
3. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1176 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1426

Amend House Bill No. 1426 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 7, and substitute the following:
“orders and deliver food orders prepared by the food facility to consumers.

4-75-1304. Remedies.
(a) A food facility may bring a civil action to enjoin a violation of this subchapter.
(b)(1) If a court finds a violation of this subchapter, the court shall issue an injunction.
(2) In addition to the remedy in subdivision (b)(1) of this section, the court may:
(A) Require the violator to pay to the injured party all profits derived from or damages resulting from the wrongful act; and
(B) Order that the wrongful act be terminated.
(c) If the court finds that the food delivery platform committed the wrongful act in bad faith by not obtaining an agreement or written consent, the court may:
(1) Enter judgment in an amount not to exceed three (3) times the amount of profits and damages; and
(2) Award reasonable attorney's fees to the restaurant.

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1426 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 6, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 174, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 316, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:06 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this fourth day of March, 2021 at 11:06 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 341, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 341 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House BILL NO. 1021, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1021 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1176, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1176 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1328, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1331, BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 40, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 219, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 331, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 392, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 396, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1406, BY REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 466
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REGULATION OF PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 466 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 467
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING AN EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN TO POSSESS AND CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN WITHOUT A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 467 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 468
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PRENATAL NONDISCRIMINATION ACT OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 468 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS TO REVIEW PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ALLOW THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO REVIEW PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ADDRESS IMPLEMENTATION OF A PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER UNDER REVIEW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 469 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ONLINE MARKETPLACE CONSUMER INFORM ACT; TO REQUIRE THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION BY ONLINE MARKETPLACES TO BETTER INFORM CONSUMERS; TO REGULATE ONLINE MARKETPLACES TO STOP ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 470 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 471
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; TO ALTER THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY IN COMPOSITION, NUMBER, AND APPOINTMENT PROCESS; TO AMEND THE MANNER OF DISTRIBUTING THE FEDERAL LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT AND AFFORDABLE NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING TAX CREDIT; TO REQUIRE CONSENT OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BEFORE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY MAY HIRE CERTAIN PROFESSIONALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 471 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 472
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; TO AMEND THE TERM OF OFFICE OF A MEMBER OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; TO AMEND THE DATE ON WHICH AN ELECTION OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS SHALL BE HELD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 472 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Resolution No. 9 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO DESIGNATE A PORTION OF U.S. HIGHWAY 82 IN UNION COUNTY AS THE "JEREMY WISE AND BENJAMIN WISE MEMORIAL HIGHWAY".

Senate Resolution No. 9 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 22 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 22

Amend Senate Bill No. 22 as engrossed, S2/9/21:

Page 1, line 31, delete "Meeting" and substitute "Meets"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35, and substitute the following:

“(2)(B) Has a minimum of:

(i) Three (3) years of experience in the field in which the individual is seeking licensure as an assistant; or

(ii) Two (2) years of experience in the field in which the individual is seeking licensure as an assistant and has a minimum of three (3) semester hours of higher education in the subjects of human anatomy and physiology and medical terminology; and”
AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "assistant; and" and substitute "assistant; or"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 8, and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) Has graduated from a master’s level orthotic, prosthetic, or orthotic/prosthetic educational program approved by the National Commission on Orthotic and Prosthetic Education and is in a residency program.

(B) An orthotic assistant, an orthotic/prosthetic assistant, or a prosthetic assistant certified under subdivision (2)(A) of this section shall maintain certification until he or she completes the residency program."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 22 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 291 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 15, delete "One (1) or more of the" and substitute "The"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 334 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 334

Amend Senate Bill No. 334 as originally introduced:
Add Representative A. Collins as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 335 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 335

Amend Senate Bill No. 335 as originally introduced:
Add Representative A. Collins as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 335 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1259 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1259

Amend House Bill No. 1259 as engrossed, H2/24/21:

Add Senator K. Hammer as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1259 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 61 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE COLLEGE AND CAREER COACHES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 61 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 61. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 61 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 62 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 62
As Engrossed: S1/26/21 S2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO READ ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 62 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 62. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 62 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 64 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 64
As Engrossed: S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 64 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 64. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ..................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 64 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 159 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 159
As Engrossed: S3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES FOR PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; TO ALLOW PRIVATE SCHOOLS TO ESTABLISH AND APPOINT AN INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 159 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 159. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 159 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 249 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 249
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING TORNADO SAFETY DRILLS; TO REQUIRE EARTHQUAKE SAFETY DRILLS IN CERTAIN AREAS; TO TRANSFER THE REQUIREMENT TO CONDUCT TORNADO SAFETY DRILLS FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT TO THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 249 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 249. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................32

NEGATIVE:

Total ..........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total .........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Flowers.

Total .........................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast .....................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 249 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 263 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 263
As Engrossed: S2/23/21 S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FURMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ATTACHMENT
OF SIGNS TO UTILITY POLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 263 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 263.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 264 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 264
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT RENAMING THE CORRECTIONAL SCHOOL SYSTEM OPERATED BY THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION THE "ARKANSAS CORRECTIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 264 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 264. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
  Total ............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ............................................................0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
  Total ............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ............................................................0

  Total number of votes cast ....................................34
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 264 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 265 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 265
As Engrossed: S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH, BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CRAWFORD, DALBY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REORGANIZE THE RIVERSIDE VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL SCHOOL INTO THE CORRECTIONS SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 265 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 265. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 265 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 312
As Engrossed: S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, M. PITSCH, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, J. DISMANG, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, HILL, IRVIN, RICE, B. SAMPLE, J. STURCH, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING OWNERSHIP AND POSSESSION OF REAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 312 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 312. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 357 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 357
As Engrossed: S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CRAWFORD, GONZALES ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REPEALING A STATUTE PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF A FIREARM IN CERTAIN LOCATIONS; MAKING TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 357 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 357. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:  Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 378 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 378
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING UNANTICIPATED DISCRETIONARY FEDERAL FUNDS RELATED TO A STATEWIDE STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY RELATED TO PUBLIC HEALTH; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 378 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 378. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .....................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 378, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast....................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 378 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 379 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 379
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROCESS FOR EMERGENCY DECLARATIONS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING DIRECTIVES ISSUED TO ADDRESS A STATEWIDE STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY RELATED TO PUBLIC HEALTH; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 379 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding.

Total .................................................................................................................. 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Teague.

Total .................................................................................................................. 2

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 379, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding.

Total ...........................................................................................  4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Teague.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

Total number of votes cast..............................................................32
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 379 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 384 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 384
As Engrossed: S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS; TO AMEND CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 384 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 384. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................31
NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Dismang.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 384 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 383 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 383
As Engrossed: S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION AMOUNTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN PRACTICES; TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 383 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 383. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 383 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 386 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 386
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RETAIL WATER PROVIDERS AND RELATED SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 386 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 386. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 31

NEGATIVE: Hill.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 386 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1049 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049  
As Engrossed: H2/10/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE WITHHOLDING OF STATE INCOME TAX FROM UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS AND UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1049 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1049. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1049 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1062 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
As Engrossed: H1/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. FITE, WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE LOOKBACK PERIOD FOR PRIOR CONVICTIONS OF BOATING OR DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED FOR THE PURPOSE OF SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1062 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1062. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert. ................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: ........................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1062 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1117 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION INMATE FARM FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1117 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1117. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

Total number of votes cast.................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1117 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1210 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1210
As Engrossed: H1/26/21 S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HILLMAN, VAUGHT, ET AL
BY: SENATORS HILL, CALDWELL, BECKHAM, GILMORE, G. LEDING,
B. SAMPLE, J. STURCH, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE
STATE PLANT BOARD; TO REQUIRE GOVERNOR APPOINTMENT AND
SENATE CONFIRMATION OF POTENTIAL MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1210 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Hickey,
Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Sample, Sturch, Sullivan,
Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 29
NEGATIVE: Davis.  
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hendren.  
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Rapert.  
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Garner, Rice, Stubblefield.  
Total ........................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast ................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1210 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1261 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261  
As Engrossed: H2/1/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN  
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AGENCY; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE WATER CONTROL AGENCY TO SEEK AND ACCEPT DELEGATION OF THE PERMITTING PROGRAM FOR SECTION 404 OF THE FEDERAL CLEAN WATER ACT ACTIVITIES AND ADMINISTER THAT PERMITTING PROGRAM IN LIEU OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1261 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1261. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert. ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1261 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1273 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE OIL AND GAS OWNERS’ LIEN ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1273 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1273. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1273 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1345 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DATES TAXES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE; TO ALLOW COUNTY COLLECTORS TO COLLECT TAXES BEFORE THE FIRST BUSINESS DAY IN MARCH UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1345 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1345. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1345, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1345 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1358 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1358
As Engrossed: 3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARKER
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN DISCLOSURES OF INFORMATION BY CHILDREN; CONCERNING FOSTER YOUTH TRANSITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1358 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1358. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1358 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1359 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
As Engrossed: S3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARKER
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RELEASE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1359 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1359. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1359 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1377 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1377
As Engrossed: H2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, TOSH
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAX LEVIED ON THE SALE OF A USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER BY A CONSUMER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1377 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1377. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1377 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1383 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1383
As Engrossed: H2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAX BOOKS AND RECORDS; TO CLARIFY THAT THE PREPARER OF THE TAX BOOKS IS THE CUSTODIAN OF CERTAIN RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TAX REPORTS FILED IN RELATION TO THE RATIO OF ASSESSED VALUE TO MARKET VALUE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY TAXES AND THE ELECTRONIC REPRODUCTION OF TAX RECORDS; TO ALLOW FOR THE USE OF ELECTRONIC REPRODUCTIONS OF TAX RECORDS, ELECTRONIC ASSESSMENT OF PROPERTY, AND ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE SIGNATURES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS IN RELATION TO TAX BOOKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1383 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1383. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ..................................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1383 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 67 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 67
JBC 03/02/2021 (7)

Amend Senate Bill No. 67 as originally introduced:

Page 5, line 21, delete "455,000,000" and substitute "3,000,000,000"

AND

Page 5, line 27, delete "$2,483,150,001" and substitute "$5,028,150,001"

AND

Page 10, line 5, delete "TAA VENDOR PAYMENTS" and substitute "TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM"

AND

Page 10, line 9, delete "TAA Vendor" and substitute "Trade Adjustment Assistance Program"

AND

Page 10, line 10, delete "Payments".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 110

Amend Senate Bill No. 110 as originally introduced:
Page 6, line 34, delete "$262,000" and substitute "$269,233"
AND
Page 6, line 35, delete "30,000" and substitute "32,865"
AND
Page 6, line 36, delete "63,000" and substitute "63,932"
AND
Page 7, line 4, delete " $405,000" and substitute " $416,030".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 111 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 111

Amend Senate Bill No. 111 as originally introduced:

Page 9, line 11, delete "9,778,177" and substitute "91,242,005"

AND

Page 9, line 16, delete "659,432,548" and substitute "1,172,398,129"

AND

Page 9, line 18, delete "$687,970,700" and substitute "$1,282,400,109".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1084 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1084**

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS RICE RESEARCH AND PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1084 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1084. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1084, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total ............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............................ 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1084 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1392 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1392**

*As Engrossed: H2/23/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1392 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1392. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Rapert.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ..............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1392, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Rapert.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1392 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 180 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 180 was withdrawn by the author.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 22, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 335, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259, BY SENATOR REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 473
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A STATE PARK RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUB PERMIT; TO AUTHORIZE A STATE PARK RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUB PERMIT HOLDER TO SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 473 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 474
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF FERTILITY TREATMENT ABUSE AND FERTILITY TREATMENT FRAUD; TO CREATE THE CIVIL ACTION OF CIVIL FERTILITY FRAUD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 474 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 475
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; TO ALTER THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY IN COMPOSITION, NUMBER, AND APPOINTMENT PROCESS; TO AMEND THE MANNER OF DISTRIBUTING THE FEDERAL LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT AND AFFORDABLE NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING TAX CREDIT; TO REQUIRE CONSENT OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BEFORE THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY MAY HIRE CERTAIN PROFESSIONALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 475 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 137 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 194 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY: SENATOR HICKEY


House Concurrent Resolution No. 1011 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE PRELICENSURE EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS EXEMPTION FOR AN INSURANCE ADJUSTER; TO REQUIRE A NONRESIDENT INSURANCE PRODUCER, ADJUSTER, OR CONSULTANT TO MAINTAIN A LICENSE IN GOOD STANDING IN THE LICENSEE’S HOME STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1239 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY BY POWER OF ATTORNEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1455 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING PERSONNEL AND SALARIES FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1527 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY OF THE USE OF CERTAIN ELECTION TECHNOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1568 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 67, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 476
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; TO ALLOW THE COURT TO SEAL CERTAIN COURT RECORDS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 476 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 477
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO STREAMLINE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION SIGN-UPS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO ENSURE ALL RESIDENTS OF ARKANSAS HAVE EQUAL, EFFICIENT, AND ADEQUATE ACCESS TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 477 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 478
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. MCELROY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO IMPLEMENT RAILROAD SAFETY MEASURES DURING A NATIONAL PANDEMIC; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 478 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 479
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO PROVIDE RELIEF FOR RESTAURANTS; TO ALLOW RESTAURANTS TO EXPAND OUTDOOR DINING WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION; TO DELAY THE PAYMENT OF RESTAURANT SALES TAXES; TO CAP THE FEES THAT A THIRD-PARTY DELIVERY SERVICE MAY CHARGE RELATED TO THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) PANDEMIC; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 479 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 410, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1255, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE-CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 61
SENATE BILL NO. 62
SENATE BILL NO. 64
SENATE BILL NO. 159
SENATE BILL NO. 249
SENATE BILL NO. 263
SENATE BILL NO. 264
SENATE BILL NO. 265
SENATE BILL NO. 312
SENATE BILL NO. 357
SENATE BILL NO. 378
SENATE BILL NO. 379
SENATE BILL NO. 383
SENATE BILL NO. 384
SENATE BILL NO. 386

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1049
HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
HOUSE BILL NO. 1084
HOUSE BILL NO. 1117
HOUSE BILL NO. 1261
HOUSE BILL NO. 1273
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
HOUSE BILL NO. 1377
HOUSE BILL NO. 1383
HOUSE BILL NO. 1392
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
    AS PASSED AS AMENDED

    HOUSE BILL NO. 1210 AS AMENDED NO. 1
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1358 AS AMENDED NO. 1
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1359 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
    AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

    SENATE BILL NO. 137
    SENATE BILL NO. 194

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
    AS PASSED

    HOUSE BILL NO. 1239
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1568

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
    TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

    HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 8, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Pitsch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 314 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 314

Amend Senate Bill No. 314 as originally introduced:

Add Representative F. Allen as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 314 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 388 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 388

Amend Senate Bill No. 388 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete lines 22 through 24, and substitute the following:

"(a)(1)(A) A clinic, health center, or other facility in which the pregnancies of ten (10) or more women a pregnancy of a woman known to be pregnant are is willfully terminated or aborted in any month, including nonsurgical abortions, shall"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 397 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 397

Amend Senate Bill No. 397 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 21, delete "81" and substitute "61"
AND
Page 1, line 23, delete "19" and substitute "17"
AND
Page 1, line 25, delete "6-81-1901" and substitute "6-61-1701"
AND
Page 1, line 29, delete "6-81-1902" and substitute "6-61-1702"
AND
Page 2, line 2, delete "6-81-1903" and substitute "6-61-1703"
AND
Page 2, line 19, delete "information" and substitute "information without limitation"
AND
Page 2, delete lines 22 through 32, and substitute the following:
   "(A) Retention and graduation rates;
       (B) The cost of tuition;
       (C) The average amount borrowed and loan default rate;"
AND
Page 2, line 33, delete "(i)" and substitute "(D)"
AND
Page 2, line 35, delete "education; and" and substitute "education that is not
determined to be an open admission institution;"
AND
Page 2, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
   "(E) Average composite test scores of students enrolled in"
AND
Page 3, delete lines 2 through 5
AND
Page 3, line 6, delete "(ii)" and substitute "(F)"
AND
Page 3, line 7, delete "graduation; and" and substitute "graduation;"
AND
Page 3, line 8, delete "(ii)" and substitute "(G)"
AND
Page 3, line 9, delete "credential; and" and substitute "credential;"
AND
Page 3, delete lines 10 and 11
AND
Page 3, line 12, delete "(i)" and substitute "(H)"
AND
Page 3, line 12, delete "admitted to" and substitute "enrolled at"
Page 3, line 15, delete "(iii)" and substitute "(I)"

Page 3, delete line 16, and substitute the following:
"an associate's or bachelor's credential at the institution.

(2) Information provided under subdivision (c)(1) of this section shall be compiled using data from the following sources without limitation:

(A) The Division of Higher Education;
(B) The Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System, published by the National Center for Education Statistics;
(C) The College Scorecard;
(D) The Arkansas Economic Security Report; and
(E) The Arkansas State Longitudinal Data System and interstate compacts for the sharing of employment data when reasonably available upon the establishment of the Arkansas State Longitudinal Data System."

Page 3, line 17, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

Page 3, delete line 29, and substitute the following:
"education.

(f) The division shall promulgate rules to implement this subchapter.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. Rules.
(a) When adopting the initial rules required under this act, the Division of Higher Education shall file the final rules with the Secretary of State for adoption under § 25-15-204(f):

(1) On or before January 1, 2022; or
(2) If approval under § 10-3-309 has not occurred by January 1, 2022, as soon as practicable after approval under § 10-3-309.

(b) The division shall file the proposed rules with the Legislative Council under § 10-3-309(c) sufficiently in advance of January 1, 2022, so that the Legislative Council may consider the rules for approval before January 1, 2022."
On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1315 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1315

Amend House Bill No. 1315 as engrossed, H2/2/21:

Page 23, delete line 11, and substitute the following:
"to carry out the provisions of this subchapter may be appropriated.

SECTION 4. DO NOT CODIFY. Legislative reevaluation of program. The General Assembly shall review and reevaluate the State Meat Inspection Program after four (4) years from the date of the approval by the United States Department of Agriculture."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1315 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 471 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 471 was withdrawn by the author.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 4, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 124 - ACT 251
- Senate Bill No. 129 - ACT 252
- Senate Bill No. 11 - ACT 253
- Senate Bill No. 138 - ACT 254
- Senate Bill No. 20 - ACT 255
- Senate Bill No. 169 - ACT 256

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 8, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 205 - ACT 288
- Senate Bill No. 206 - ACT 289
- Senate Bill No. 174 - ACT 290
- Senate Bill No. 316 - ACT 291
- Senate Bill No. 317 - ACT 292
- Senate Bill No. 318 - ACT 293
- Senate Bill No. 319 - ACT 294
- Senate Bill No. 320 - ACT 295
- Senate Bill No. 321 - ACT 296
- Senate Bill No. 322 - ACT 297
- Senate Bill No. 323 - ACT 298
- Senate Bill No. 324 - ACT 299
- Senate Bill No. 325 - ACT 300
- Senate Bill No. 326 - ACT 301
- Senate Bill No 327 - ACT 302
- Senate Bill No. 328 - ACT 303
- Senate Bill No. 329 - ACT 304
- Senate Bill No. 330 - ACT 305

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 137, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:08 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 137
SENATE BILL NO. 194

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this eight day of March at 9:08 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 314, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 397, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Joyce Elliott, Senate Bill No. 314 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Missy Irvin, Senate Bill No. 397 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
MR. PRESIDENT:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dan Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ricky Hill, House Bill No. 1315 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 480
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CALCULATION OF INCOME TAX DUE FOR NONRESIDENTS, PART-YEAR RESIDENTS, AND PASS-THROUGH ENTITIES; TO AMEND THE INCOME TAX LAWS TO ALLOW ALL TAXPAYERS TO RECEIVE A DOLLAR-FOR-DOLLAR INCOME TAX CREDIT FROM ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TAX CREDITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 480 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 481
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC ROADS IMPROVEMENTS CREDIT ACT; TO INCREASE THE USE OF THE PROGRAM CREATED UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC ROADS IMPROVEMENTS CREDIT ACT BY MAKING IT EASIER TO USE THE TAX CREDIT PROVIDED UNDER THE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 481 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 482
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR DESTINATION SOURCING OF SALES TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FOR PURPOSES OF ARKANSAS INCOME TAX APPORTIONMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 482 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 483
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE ECONOMIC COMPETITIVENESS BY REPEALING THE THROWBACK RULE; TO AMEND THE INCOME TAX PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE APPORTIONMENT OF BUSINESS INCOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 483 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 484
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TAXATION OF NONRESIDENT INCOME; TO CLARIFY THE ALLOCATION OF NONRESIDENT INCOME FOR ARKANSAS INCOME TAX PURPOSES; TO ADOPT THE MODEL MOBILE WORKFORCE STATE INCOME TAX SIMPLIFICATION ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 484 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

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SENATE BILL NO. 485
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EARLY VOTING; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 485 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 486
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES RELATED TO VOTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 486 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 487
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WING, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND ALTERATION OF PRECINCT BOUNDARIES, POLLING SITES, AND VOTE CENTERS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 487 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 488
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON, BECKHAM, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO,
IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, RICE, B. SAMPLE, G. STUBBLEFIELD,
J. STURCH, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, BROWN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION TO THE EXAMINATION AND COPYING OF PUBLIC RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967 AND VOTED BALLOTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 488 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 489
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FORMULA RATE REVIEW ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 489 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 490
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CODE OF ETHICS FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING HOLDING OFFICE IF CONVICTED OF A PUBLIC TRUST CRIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 490 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1011 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY:  SENATOR HICKEY


House Concurrent Resolution No. 1011 was read the third time and concurred in by the House.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Concurrent Resolution No. 1011 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 410 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 410

Amend Senate Bill No. 410 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 23 through 28, and substitute the following:

“(2) "Birthing hospital" means a hospital in this state or in a border state that:
(A) Is licensed as a general hospital;
(B) Provides obstetrics services; and
(C) Is enrolled as a provider with the Arkansas Medicaid Program;”

AND

Page 9, delete line 26, and substitute the following:

“(4)(A) If the Department of Human Services determines that the individual qualified health insurance plans have not met the quality and health performance targets for two (2) years, the Department of Human Services shall develop additional reforms to achieve the quality and health performance targets.
(B) If legislative action is required to implement the additional reforms described in subdivision (d)(4)(A) of this section, the Department of Human Services may take the action to the Legislative Council or the Executive Subcommittee of the Legislative Council for immediate action.”

AND

Page 17, delete lines 25 through 32, and substitute the following:

“(i) Community service organizations;
(ii) Local community outreach partners;
(iii) Email;
(iv) Radio;
(v) Religious organizations;
(vi) Social media;
(vii) Television;
(viii) Text message; and
(ix) Traditional methods such as newspaper or "

AND
Page 19, line 14, delete "qualified staff" and substitute "local qualified staff"

AND

Page 20, delete lines 23 and 24, and substitute the following:

"(G) An at-large member of the Senate appointed by the
President Pro Tempore of the Senate;

(H) An at-large member of the House of Representatives
appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

(I) An at-large member of the Senate appointed by the minority
leader of the Senate; and

(J) An at-large member of the House of Representatives
appointed by the minority leader of the House of Representatives;"

AND

Page 21, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"business, or education, who reflect the broad racial and geographic diversity in the
state, and who have demonstrated a commitment to improving the"

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 410 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 22 was called up for third reading
and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 22
As Engrossed:  S2/9/21 S3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR IRVIN
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MODIFY THE APPLICATION
PROCESS FOR CERTIFICATION TO PRACTICE AS AN ORTHOTIC ASSISTANT,
ORTHOTIC/PROSTHETIC ASSISTANT, OR PROSTHETIC ASSISTANT; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 22 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 22. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


    Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

    Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

    Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

    Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

    Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 22 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 85 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 85
As Engrossed: S2/1/21 S2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE RIGHT TO VIEW ULTRASOUND IMAGES BEFORE AN ABORTION; TO CREATE THE RIGHT-TO-KNOW-AND-SEE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 85 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 29

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 334 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 334
As Engrossed: S3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A STATE AGENCY; TO ADD NEW DEFINITIONS UNDER EMINENT DOMAIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 334 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 334. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................30
NEGATIVE: Elliott, Flowers, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................................3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Dismang.
Total ........................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 335 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 335
As Engrossed: S3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BALLINGER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A LOCAL GOVERNMENT; TO ADD NEW DEFINITIONS UNDER EMINENT DOMAIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 335 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 335. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Leding, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 335 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 416 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 416
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREAUX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE MUNICIPAL AID FUND TO DISTRIBUTE MUNICIPAL AID TO NEWLY INCORPORATED MUNICIPALITIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 416 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 416. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ..................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 416, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ............................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ............................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ............................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ............................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 291 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 291
As Engrossed: S3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SUPPORT ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A COMMUNITY SCHOOL APPROACH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 291 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 291. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 291, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 291 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 7, 2021.

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1036 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS COUNTY ACCOUNTING LAW OF 1973 TO REQUIRE COUNTIES TO PROVIDE PROOF OF PAYROLL TAX PAYMENT AND RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONTRIBUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1036 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1036. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...........................................................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1036 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1255 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1255
As Engrossed: H2/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVANS, BEATY, JR.
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE CROSS-COLLATERALIZATION CLAUSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1255 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1255. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................... 24

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Flowers, Leding, Stubblefield, Tucker.

Total ............................................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Chesterfield, Clark, Flippo, Garner, Rice.

Total ............................................................................................................... 6

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1255 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
As Engrossed: H2/24/21 S/3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, WATSON, MCKENZIE
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ATHLETIC TRAINERS TO PRACTICE UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF A PHYSICIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1259 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1259. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE: Hill.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1259 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1328 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1328
NINETEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TERMS OF OFFICE OF COUNTY ELECTED OFFICERS TO COINCIDE WITH THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1328 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1328.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:                                            Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:                               Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:                                             Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.                             Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1328 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1351 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1351
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF CERTAIN CHEMICALS IN FIREFIGHTING FOAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1351 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1351. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1351 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1406 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1406
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LIMITATIONS ON THE ISSUANCE OF MILITARY AND VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES; TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1406 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1406. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1406 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 51 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 108 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 108

Amend Senate Bill No. 108 as originally introduced:

Page 15, line 15, delete "25,000" and substitute "100,000"
AND
Page 15, line 20, delete " $1,983,665" and substitute " $2,058,665"
AND
Page 15, line 32, delete " $75,000" and substitute " $400,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 110

Amend Senate Bill No. 110 as engrossed, S3/4/21:

04/21
Page 11, immediately following SECTION 21, insert a new SECTION to read as follows:

" SECTION 22. APPROPRIATION. GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION RESIDENCY EXPANSION BOARD. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Division of Higher Education, to be payable from the Graduate Medical Education Fund, for planning grants to eligible entities for graduate medical education residency program expansion or new programs and for
board expenses and reimbursements, in a sum not to exceed $400,000.

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 164

Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as engrossed, S2/24/21:

Page 20, immediately following SECTION 34, insert the following:

" SECTION 35. APPROPRIATION - MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM - GENERAL REVENUE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Agriculture, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Agriculture - State Meat Inspection Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

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(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION
   (A) OPER. EXPENSE 340,000
   (B) CONF. & TRAVEL 0
   (C) PROF. FEES 0
   (D) CAP. OUTLAY 0
   (E) DATA PROC. 0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED $743,399

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 211

Amend Senate Bill No. 211 as originally introduced:

Page 19, line 5, delete "$10,000,000" and insert "$9,985,000"

AND

Delete line 13 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"(04) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS 1,000,000
(05) OVERTIME 15,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on all Joint Budget Bills. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 331 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 331
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, B. JOHNSON, J. STURCH, J. DISMANG
    BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING A LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY BARRACKS FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 27 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 331 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 331, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 331 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 392 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 392
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES GRANTS AND EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 392 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 392, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 392 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 396 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 396
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 139 OF 2020; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 396 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 396, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


  Total ........................................................................................................ 35

NEGATIVE:

  Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

  Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:

  Total ........................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:

  Total ........................................................................................................ 0

  Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
  Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 396 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 40 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 40  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 40 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................ 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ........................................................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 40, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 40 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 219 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 219
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - SYSTEM AND VARIOUS DIVISIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 219 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 219, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 219 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 410, by Senator Missy Irvin,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson, Chairman

Senate Bill No. 491
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
By: Senator J. English

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN LAWS REGARDING APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE CAREER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD AND OFFICE OF SKILLS DEVELOPMENT RELATED TO APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS AND APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM SPONSORS; TO AMEND THE NAME AND MAKEUP OF THE STATE APPRENTICESHIP COORDINATION STEERING COMMITTEE; TO AMEND THE NAME OF THE STATE APPRENTICESHIP COMMITTEE; TO ESTABLISH THE STATE ELECTRICAL APPRENTICESHIP COMMITTEE; TO AMEND THE USE OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY CRAFT TRAINING TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 491 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on Education.
SENATE BILL NO. 492
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS WORK PAYS PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICANTS OR PARTICIPANTS OF THE ARKANSAS WORK PAYS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 492 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 493
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ACTS 2019, NO. 1089, § 9-31-503; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 493 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 494
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING QUALIFIED IMMUNITY; TO AMEND § 21-9-301; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 494 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING PROVIDING TOBACCO PRODUCTS TO MINORS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "MINOR"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 495 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SPECIAL ELECTIONS; TO ESTABLISH UNIFORM DATES FOR HOLDING SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 496 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVE, A. COLLINS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MARCH 7-13, 2021, AS AMERICORPS WEEK IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MARCH 2021 WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO DESIGNATE “STARS OF LIFE DAY” AND TO RECOGNIZE THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF CERTAIN EMERGENCY MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS.

Senate Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 108, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 211, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
SENATE BILL NO. 497
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH CLEAR LANGUAGE AND RULES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC STIMULUS FOR THE WINEGROWERS IN THE STATE; TO PROMOTE THE GROWTH AND EXPANSION OF WINE TOURISM; TO ENCOURAGE NEW ENTRANTS TO THE WINE GROWING INDUSTRY IN ALL COUNTIES IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 497 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 498
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WING, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ELECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 498 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 499
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 499 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 31 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 60 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 63 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 101 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 226 was returned from the House as passed as amended and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 226 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
March 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAYBERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1137, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1176, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1215, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)   SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING ACT OF 1965 TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES REQUIRED TO MANDATE THE ELECTRONIC FILING OF ANNUAL WITHHOLDING STATEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1050 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
As Engrossed: H2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY; TO AUTHORIZE PHARMACISTS TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO AND ADMINISTRATION OF ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1069 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS WHO MEET CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS; TO CREATE THE FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND APPROVE APPLICATIONS FOR FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1258 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, HOLLOWELL, CAVENAUGH, VAUGHT, HAWKS
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE OATH OF OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1424 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE "CARMACK'S LAW"; CONCERNING THE ABILITY OF A DISTRIBUTEE OF A SMALL ESTATE TO MAKE BANK DEPOSITS ON BEHALF OF A DECEASED PERSON'S ESTATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1449 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1480
As Engrossed: H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, MCGREW, SLAPE, B. SMITH, WATSON
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT SECRETARIES; TO REQUIRE THE SECRETARY OF A CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1480 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF A HOAX BOMB; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1506 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE PETROLEUM STORAGE TANK TRUST FUND ACT; TO INCREASE THE BALANCE OF THE PETROLEUM STORAGE TANK TRUST FUND REQUIRING A REDUCTION IN THE PETROLEUM ENVIRONMENTAL ASSURANCE FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1519 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. GARNER, CLOWNEY, D. WHITAKER, C. FITE,
COLEMAN, BREAUX, PENZO, GODFREY
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, L. EADS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE
FAYETTEVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (150) YEARS OF
EXCELLENT PUBLIC EDUCATION.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was read the first time, rules
suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 161, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 354, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 397, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
March 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1113, by Representative Dotson,
House Bill No. 1175, by Representative Boyd,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Missy Irvin, Chairman

Senate Bill No. 500
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
By: Senator Irvin

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: An Act to Authorize the Issuance and Renewal of a Special License Plate to Promote the Buffalo River and Support Economic Development in Searcy County; and for Other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 500 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on Transportation, Technology & Legislative Affairs.
SENATE BILL NO. 501
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING CORPORAL PUNISHMENT; TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CORPORAL PUNISHMENT ON A CHILD WHO HAS AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 501 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 502
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS; TO AMEND THE TYPES OF STUDENTS FOR WHICH A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL NOT IMPOSE OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 502 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 22
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HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1328
HOUSE BILL NO. 1351
HOUSE BILL NO. 1406

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 31
SENATE BILL NO. 60
SENATE BILL NO. 63
SENATE BILL NO. 101

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 226 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
HOUSE BILL NO. 1480
HOUSE BILL NO. 1506
HOUSE BILL NO. 1519

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 9, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 p.m. o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Flippo requested leave for Senator Gilmore. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Pitsch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 231 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Richardson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 232 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 232

Amend Senate Bill No. 232 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATORY CONTRIBUTORY MEMBER DESIGNATION FOR EMPLOYEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER
CONCERNING MANDATORY CONTRIBUTORY MEMBER DESIGNATION FOR EMPLOYEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"CONCERNING MANDATORY CONTRIBUTORY MEMBER DESIGNATION FOR EMPLOYEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1.  Arkansas Code § 24-7-406(e)(1)(C), concerning retirement fund asset accounts, member deposit accounts, and contributions, is amended to read as follows:

(C)(i) Effective From July 1, 2005, to July 1, 2021, an active member whose status later changes from a nonteacher status to an administrator or teacher status under contract for one hundred eighty-one (181) days or more shall become a contributory member of the system otherwise provided for in this section regardless of an earlier election to be a noncontributory member of the system.

(ii)(a) From July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2007, an active member who has previously elected to be a noncontributory member of the system may make an irrevocable election to become a contributory member of the system.

(b) If the election is made before the preparation of the first salary payment to the member in the fiscal year, the election is effective immediately.

(c) If the election is made after the preparation of the first payroll containing the first salary payment to the member in the fiscal year, the election is effective July 1 of the next fiscal year.

(iii) Effective July 1, 2021, regardless of an earlier election to be a noncontributory member of the system, an active member whose status later changes from nonteacher status to administrator or teacher status under a contract for one hundred eighty-five (185) days or more shall become a contributory member of the system otherwise provided for in this section.

SECTION 2.  Arkansas Code § 24-7-406(e)(3), concerning retirement fund asset accounts, member deposit accounts, and contributions, is amended to read as follows:

(3)(A) Effective July 1, 1999, a new member shall be a contributory member of the system.

(B) From July 1, 1999, to June 30, 2007, a new member who is under contract with a covered employer for one hundred eighty (180) days or less shall have one (1) year to make an irrevocable election to become a contributory member of the system.

(C) From July 1, 1999, to June 30, 2007, a new member who is not under contract with a covered employer shall not become a contributory member of the system.

(D)(i) Effective From July 1, 2007, to July 1, 2021, a new member under contract with a covered employer for one hundred eighty-one (181) days or more shall be a contributory member of the system.

(ii) A new member under contract with a covered employer for one hundred eighty (180) days or less may make an irrevocable election to become a contributory member of the system.

(iii) A new member not under contract with a covered employer may make an irrevocable election to become a contributory member of the system under this section.

"
(E)(i) Effective July 1, 2021, a member under contract with a covered employer for one hundred eighty-five (185) days or more shall be a contributory member of the system.

(ii) A member under contract with a covered employer for one hundred eighty-four (184) days or less may make an irrevocable election to become a contributory member of the system.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the operations of a state public retirement system are complex; that the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System must be able to meet the needs of its members as anticipated by the General Assembly; that certain provisions of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System Act, § 24-7-201 et seq., are in need of immediate revision and updating to conform with sound public pension policy and actuarial requirements; that the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System operates on a fiscal year of July 1 to June 30; that a July 1, 2021 effective date is necessary to allow the provisions within this act to begin on the first day of the fiscal year to provide proper administration of the procedures referenced in this act; that such revision and updating is of great importance to members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and to other citizens of the State of Arkansas; and that this act is necessary in order to maintain an orderly system of benefits for the members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and reciprocal systems. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2021."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 232 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 339 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 339

Amend Senate Bill No. 339 as originally introduced:
Page 2, line 22, delete "food" and substitute "a meal as defined in § 3-9-202"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following:
  "(d) This section does not apply to a:
      (1) Private club; or
      (2) Restaurant located in a dry area.
  (e) A permit holder authorized to sell alcoholic beverages with the purchase of a meal under this section is limited to the following quantities per sale:
      (1) Seventy-two ounces (72 oz.) of beer, malt beverages, or hard cider, or the equivalent of one (1) standard six-pack;
      (2) Seven hundred fifty milliliters (750 ml) of wine, or the equivalent of one (1) bottle; and
      (3) Thirty-two ounces (32 oz.) of spirituous liquors as defined in subdivision (h)(3) of this section, or the equivalent of four (4) eight-ounce drinks.
  (f) Unless authorized by local ordinance under § 3-3-210, a permit holder shall not sell alcoholic beverages under this section on a Sunday.
  (g) The Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall adopt rules to implement and administer this section."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 5, and substitute the following:
  "(h) As used in this section:
      (1) "Alcoholic beverages" means beer, malt beverages, hard ciders, vinous liquors, or spirituous liquors;
      (2) "Restaurant" means a public or private place that:
          (A) Is kept, used, maintained, advertised, and held out to the public or to a private or restricted membership as a place where complete meals are actually and regularly served;
          (B) Provides adequate and sanitary kitchen and dining equipment;
          (C) Has a seating capacity of at least twenty-five (25) persons;
          (D) Employs a sufficient number and variety of employees to prepare, cook, and serve suitable food for its guests or members;
          (E) Serves at least one (1) meal per day; and
          (F) Is open a minimum of five (5) days per week, with the exception of holidays, vacations, and periods of redecorating; and
      (3)(A) "Spirituous liquors" includes mixed drinks or specialty drinks that are made by the permit holder at the premises.
      (B) "Spirituous liquors" does not include unmixed spirits or spirits in the manufacturer's original containers."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 339 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 340

Amend Senate Bill No. 340 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 21-14-302(6), concerning the definition of "electronic notary public" in the Arkansas Electronic Notary Public Act, is amended to read as follows:

(6) "Electronic notary public" means a notary public who has registered with the Secretary of State and possesses the capability of performing electronic notarial acts and online notarial acts;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 21-14-302(12), concerning the definition of "solution provider" in the Arkansas Electronic Notary Public Act, is amended to read as follows:

(12) "Solution provider" means a business entity that has submitted an application, meets standards, and has been approved by the Secretary of State to offer electronic notarization notarial acts or online notarial acts or solutions to duly commissioned electronic notaries public;

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 21-14-302, concerning definitions used in the Arkansas Electronic Notary Public Act, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(16) "Communication technology" means an electronic device or process that:

(A) Allows an online notary public and a remotely located individual to communicate with each other simultaneously by sight and sound; and
(B) If applicable, facilitates communication with a remotely located individual who has a vision, hearing, or speech impairment;

(17) "Credential analysis" means a process or service operating according to criteria approved by the Secretary of State through which a third person affirms the validity of a government-issued identification credential through review of public and proprietary data sources;

(18) "Credible witness" means an individual appearing before an online notary public by means of communication technology who identifies the principal and:

(A) Is personally known to the online notary public; or
(B) Can be identified by the online notary public on the basis of remote presentation by the individual of a government-issued identification credential, including without limitation a passport or state-issued driver's license, that contains the signature and a photograph of the individual;

(19) "Foreign state" means a jurisdiction other than the United States, a state, or a federally recognized Indian tribe;
"Identity proofing" means a process or service operating according to criteria approved by the Secretary of State through which a third person affirms the identity of an individual through review of personal information from public and proprietary data sources.

"Online notarial act" means a notarial act performed by means of communication technology.

(21) "Online notarial act" includes:
(i) Taking an acknowledgment;
(ii) Administering an oath or affirmation;
(iii) Taking a verification on oath or affirmation;
(iv) Witnessing or attesting a signature; and
(v) Certifying or attesting a copy;

"Online notary public" means an electronic notary public who has been authorized by the Secretary of State to perform online notarial acts;

"Outside the United States" means a location outside the geographic boundaries of the United States, Puerto Rico, the United States Virgin Islands, and any territory, insular possession, or other location subject to the jurisdiction of the United States;

"Principal" means an individual:
(A) Whose electronic signature is notarized through an online notarization; or
(B) Taking an oath or affirmation from the online notary public but not in the capacity of a witness for the online notarization;

"Remote presentation" means a transmission to the online notary public through communication technology of an image of a government-issued identification credential that is of sufficient quality to enable the online notary public to:
(A) Identify the individual seeking the online notary public's services; and
(B) Perform credential analysis; and

"Remotely located individual" means an individual who is not within physical proximity to a notary public.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 21-14-304 is amended to read as follows:
21-14-304. Registration and application.
(a)(1)(A) The Secretary of State shall require a notary public to register the capability to notarize electronically or online before performing an electronic notarial act.
(B) The Secretary of State shall promulgate rules to enforce the requirement under subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section.
(2) A person who seeks to become an electronic notary public or an online notary public shall submit to the Secretary of State:
(A) An application stating the intent to become an electronic notary public or an online notary public on a form provided by the Secretary of State;
(B) An attestation that he or she has not been convicted of a felony; and
(C) A filing fee of twenty dollars ($20.00).
(b) An applicant shall:
(1) Successfully complete an approved training course provided by the Secretary of State; and
(2)(A) Pass an examination approved by the Secretary of State.
(B) An applicant may attend the examination up to two (2) times in a twelve-month period.
(C) If the applicant does not pass the examination during the time period in subdivision (b)(2)(B) of this section, he or she shall repeat the application process under this section.
(c) The Secretary of State shall promulgate rules to enforce the requirements under subdivision (a)(1) of this section.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 21-14-305(c), concerning the renewal of a notary public commission, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3) Pay a renewal fee of twenty dollars ($20.00).

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 21-14-307, concerning the requirement of physical proximity in the Arkansas Electronic Notary Public Act, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c) This section does not apply to online notarial acts as described in § 21-14-309.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code Title 21, Chapter 14, Subchapter 3, is amended to add additional sections to read as follows:

21-14-309. Online notarization process.

(a) An electronic notary public may perform an online notarial act through a solution provider by means of communication technology under this subchapter if:

(1) The online notary public is physically located within this state but regardless of whether or not the principal is a remotely located individual at the time of the online notarial act;

(2) The online notary public:

(A) Is able to verify the principal's identity according to subsection (c) of this section;

(B) Is able to reasonably confirm that a record before the notary public is the same record on which the principal made a statement or on which the principal executed a signature; and

(C) Creates an audio-visual recording of the performance of the online notarial act or designates an individual to do this on behalf of the online notary public;

(3) For a remotely located individual located outside the United States, an online notary public confirms that the record:

(A) Is to be filed with or relates to a matter before a public official or court, governmental entity, or other entity subject to the jurisdiction of the United States; or

(B) Involves property located in the territorial jurisdiction of the United States or involves a transaction substantially connected with the United States; and

(4) The act of making the statement or signing the record is not prohibited by the foreign state in which the remotely located individual is located.

(b)(1) In performing an online notarial act, a notary public shall verify the identity of a person creating an electronic signature at the time that the electronic signature is taken by using communication technology that meets the requirements of this subchapter.

(2) Identity may be verified by:

(A) A notary public's personal knowledge of the person creating the electronic signature;

(B) Satisfactory evidence of the identity of the principal from a credible witness; or

(C) Each of the following:

(i) Remote presentation by the person creating the electronic signature of a government-issued identification credential, including without limitation a passport or a state-issued driver's license, that contains the signature and a photograph of the person;

(ii) Credential analysis; and

(iii) Identity proofing.
(c) A notary public shall take reasonable steps to ensure that the communication technology used in an online notarial act is secure from unauthorized interception.

(d) The electronic notarial certificate for an online notarial act shall include a notation that the notarization is an online notarization.

21-14-310. Electronic record of online notarial acts.
(a)(1) An electronic notary public performing an online notarial act shall keep a secure electronic record of electronic documents notarized.

(2) The electronic record shall contain for each online notarial act:
- The date and time of the online notarial act;
- The type of online notarial act;
- The type, the title, or a description of the electronic document or proceeding;
- The printed name and address of each principal involved in the transaction or proceeding;
- Evidence of identity of each principal involved in the transaction or proceeding in the form of:
  - A statement that the person is personally known to the online notary public;
  - A notation of the type of identification document provided to the online notary public;
  - A record of the identity verification made under § 21-14-309, if applicable; or
  - The following:
    - The printed name and address of each credible witness swearing to or affirming the person's identity; and
    - For each credible witness not personally known to the online notary public, a description of the type of identification documents provided to the online notary public;
  - A recording of any video and audio conference that is the basis for satisfactory evidence of identity and a notation of the type of identification presented as evidence;
  - An audio and video copy of the performance of the notarial act; and
- The fee, if any, charged for the notarization.

(b) A notary public shall take reasonable steps to:
- Ensure the integrity, security, and authenticity of online notarial acts;
- Maintain a backup for the electronic record required by subsection (a) of this section; and
- Protect the backup record from unauthorized use.

(c) The electronic record required by subsection (a) of this section shall be maintained for at least five (5) years after the date of the transaction or proceeding.

21-14-311. Termination of electronic notary public's commission.
(a)(1) Except as provided by subsection (b) of this section, an electronic notary public whose commission terminates shall destroy the coding, disk, certificate, card, software, or password that enables electronic affixation of the electronic notary public's official electronic signature or seal.

(2) An electronic notary public shall certify his or her compliance with subdivision (a)(1) of this section to the Secretary of State.

(b) A former electronic notary public whose commission terminated for a reason other than revocation or a denial of renewal is not required to destroy the items described in subsection (a) of this section if the former online notary public is recommissioned as an electronic notary public with the same electronic signature.
and seal within three (3) months after the former electronic notary public’s former commission terminated.

21-14-312. Wrongful possession, concealment, or destruction of software or hardware — Criminal offense.
(a) A person who, without authorization, knowingly obtains, conceals, damages, or destroys the certificate, disk, coding, card, program, software, or hardware enabling an online notary public to affix an official electronic signature or seal commits an offense.
(b) An offense under this section is a Class D felony.

21-14-313. Recording of electronic record.
(a) If a law requires as a condition for recording that a document be an original, be on paper or another tangible medium, or be in writing, the requirement is satisfied by use of a paper copy of an electronic document that complies with this subchapter.
(b) If a law requires, as a condition for recording, that a document be signed, then the requirement is satisfied by an electronic signature.
(c)(1) A requirement that a document or a signature associated with a document be notarized, acknowledged, verified, witnessed, or made under oath is satisfied if the electronic signature of the person authorized to perform that act, and all other information required to be included, is attached to or logically associated with the document or signature.
(2) A physical or electronic image of a stamp, impression, or seal is not required to accompany an electronic signature if the online notary public has attached a notarial certificate that meets the requirements of this chapter.

21-14-314. Rules.
The Secretary of State may promulgate rules to administer this subchapter.

SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the risk of exposure to coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) or to severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) or any of its mutations is causing delays in conducting business and satisfying requirements for notarization and signing of certain documents due to the inability to hold in-person meetings; that a need exists to allow for remote witnessing of certain documents; and that this act is immediately necessary because businesses in Arkansas will suffer, the question as to the legal effectiveness of signatures during a disaster emergency can result in confusion and uncertainty, and it is the intent of the General Assembly that this act be retroactive to prevent further harm to businesses and citizens. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:
(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 346

Amend Senate Bill No. 346 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 12, delete "AGENCIES; AND" and substitute "AGENCIES, DISPATCH CENTERS, PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS, JAILS, AND DETENTION CENTERS; AND"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"CONCERNING THE USE OF AUDIO MEDIA, VISUAL MEDIA, AND AUDIOVISUAL MEDIA BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, DISPATCH CENTERS, PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS, JAILS, AND DETENTION CENTERS."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 and 35, and substitute the following:
"(3)(A) In accordance with § 25-19-112, the county or electronic record provider may charge the requestor for the costs associated with retrieving, reviewing."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 7, and substitute the following:
"including:

(i) Medium of reproduction;
(ii) Supplies;
(iii) Equipment;
(iv) Maintenance; and
(v) Personnel time.

(B) An electronic record provider that charges for costs under subdivision (d)(3)(A) of this section shall provide a copy of the invoice to the county."


SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 25, Chapter 19, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:


(a) The General Assembly finds that:

(1) The allocation of time of trained law enforcement personnel, dispatchers, and detention personnel toward fulfilling requests for copies of audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media is substantial; and

(2) The uniform assessment of costs to defray and recover the allocation of time of trained law enforcement personnel, dispatchers, and detention personnel toward fulfilling requests for copies of audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media is necessary.

(b) It is the intent of the General Assembly to encourage the use of audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media by state and local law enforcement agencies and detention centers.

(c)(1) A state, county, municipal, school, college, or university law enforcement agency, dispatch center, public safety answering point, jail, detention center, or electronic record provider may charge for the costs associated with retrieving, reviewing, redacting, and copying audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media, including:

(A) Medium of reproduction;
(B) Supplies;
(C) Equipment;
(D) Maintenance; and
(E) Personnel time.

(2) A request for audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media that:

(A) Requires three (3) hours or less to fulfill the request shall be provided at no charge, unless the requestor or the requestor's entity has made a request under this section in the immediately preceding thirty-day period;

(B) Requires more than three (3) hours to fulfill the request shall be charged at a rate that does not exceed fifteen dollars ($15.00) per hour; and

(C) Is estimated to require more than three (3) hours to fulfill the request may be required to be prepaid.

(3) A request for audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media shall be sufficiently specific to enable the custodian to locate the requested audio media, visual media, and audiovisual media with reasonable effort.

(4) An electronic record provider that charges for costs under this section shall provide a copy of the invoice to the entity required to maintain the audio media, visual media, or audiovisual media.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 387 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 387

Amend Senate Bill No. 387 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 16, delete "(b)(1)" and substitute "(b)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 and 24

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 387 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 389 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 389

Amend Senate Bill No. 389 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 9, delete "DISTRICT BOARD"

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "OF DIRECTORS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

“TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO PROVIDE TO PARENTS AND LEGAL GUARDIANS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTIFICATION OF AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO INSPECT MATERIALS RELATED TO SEX EDUCATION, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, AND GENDER IDENTITY.”

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "district board of directors"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "district board of directors"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "district board of directors"

AND

Page 3, delete line 15, and substitute the following:

"required by law.

(e) The requirements under subdivision (c)(1) of this section shall not apply if the listed item under subdivision (c)(1) of this section is directly related to a requirement under the Arkansas academic standards."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 489 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 489

Amend Senate Bill No. 489 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 35, delete "under § 23-4-1207(d) and" and substitute "under § 23-4-1205(c)(3)(B), § 23-4-1207(d), and"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 12, and substitute the following:

"(2) For an electric utility whose class of customers with the highest level of consumption per customer that has rates that include a demand component, and any successors to such a class, as they existed on January 1, 2021, has an annual usage for the class as a whole in excess of seven million megawatt hours (7,000,000 MWh), and if the electric utility has a formula rate review approved and in effect under § 23-4-1208(a)(1) on or before March 15, 2021:

(A) The commission shall determine rates and charges for utility services in accord with § 23-4-422(b)(1) and (2) without regard to any findings described in § 23-4-422; and

(B) The commission shall not adjust the rates under subsection (e) or subsection (f) of this section, except as provided in § 23-4-1207(d) and § 23-4-1208(a)(2)(B) and (C)."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 29 through 34, and substitute the following: "mechanism approved and in effect on or before March 15, 2021, a public utility may choose to apply either"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 7 through 11, and substitute the following: "2021, that uses a test"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 16 through 20, and substitute the following: "the public utility shall"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 26 through 31, and substitute the following: "commences after January 1, 2021, the public utility shall follow subdivision (e)(4)(B)(ii) of this"
Page 10, line 11, delete "charges remain" and substitute "charges shall remain"

Page 11, line 15, delete "§ 23-4-422 and" and substitute "§ 23-4-422(b)(2) and § 23-4-422(d)(2) and"

Page 11, line 34, delete "five-year"

Page 12, delete lines 4 through 7, and substitute the following:

"MWh):

(a) An electric utility may request, and the commission shall approve, an extension of the term of the formula rate review mechanism by a period of five (5) years beyond the initial five-year term, provided the request is made on or before March 15, 2021; and

(b) Any requests for an extension of the initial term of a formula rate plan mechanism made after March 15, 2021, shall be subject to subdivision (a)(2)(A)(i) of this section.

(B) As part of any extension of the initial term of a"

Page 12, line 15, delete "§ 23-4-422 using" and substitute "§ 23-4-422(b)(2) and § 23-4-422(d)(2) using"

Page 12, line 20, delete "five-year"

Page 13, delete line 34, and substitute the following:

"with a demand component, the public utility may establish and the commission shall approve a maximum level"

Page 17, line 31, delete "during a five-year" and substitute "during an"

Page 17, line 35, delete "of a five-year" and substitute "of an"

Page 18, delete "five-year"

Page 18, delete lines 3 and 4, and substitute the following:
"filed during or at the conclusion of the initial term or any extension of the term of a formula rate review mechanism that uses a"

AND

Page 18, line 19, delete "under § 23-4-1208" and substitute "under the Formula Rate Review Act, § 23-4-1201 et seq."

AND

Page 18, line 23, delete "under § 23-4-1208" and substitute "under the Formula Rate Review Act, § 23-4-1201 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

Amend House Bill No. 1063 as engrossed, H2/10/21:

Page 1, line 11, delete "TELEPHONE;" and substitute "TELEPHONE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY;"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL REIMBURSEMENT FOR TELEMEDICINE
AND the following:

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AND

Page 2, delete line 14, and substitute the following:
"State Medical Board;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 19 and 20, and substitute the following:
"telephone; or

(H) Notwithstanding § 17-80-403(c), a healthcare professional
who is licensed in this state utilizes any telemedicine technology sufficient to
evaluate and appropriate to treat a patient in this state for the condition as presented
if the healthcare professional:

(i) Verifies the identity of the patient receiving healthcare
services through telemedicine;

(ii) Discloses to the patient the healthcare professional's
name, contact information, and type of healthcare professional license held by the
healthcare professional;

(iii) Obtains oral or written consent from the patient or
the parent or legal guardian of the patient if state law requires consent; and

(iv) Meets the same standards of care that are
applicable to in-person healthcare settings;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 17-80-403(c), concerning the establishment

AND

Page 3, line 29, delete "(i)" and substitute "(i)(a)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 32, and substitute the following:
"service that would otherwise be covered by the health benefit plan.

(b) As with other medical services covered by a
health benefit plan, documentation of the engagement between patient and provider
via audio-only communication shall be placed in the medical record addressing the
problem, content of conversation, medical decision-making, and plan of care after
the contact.

(c) The documentation described in subdivision
(7)(C)(i)(b) of this section is subject to the same audit and review process required
by payers and governmental agencies when requesting documentation of other care
delivery such as in-office or face-to-face visits;"

AND

Page 4, line 15, delete "or financial incentive of any kind"

AND

Page 4, delete line 18, and substitute the following:
"person's regular doctor or provider of choice.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the
General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that due to the coronavirus 2019
(COVED-19) pandemic, the Governor removed barriers to the use of telemedicine in an attempt to combat the coronavirus 2019 (COVED-19) pandemic; that these emergency actions will expire when the emergency proclamation expires, which could occur quickly; that on February 26, 2021, the Governor announced that the public health emergency was extended but that the Governor was going to lift some regulations related to the pandemic; that removing barriers to the use of telemedicine ensured that the citizens of Arkansas had the services that they needed, and removing these emergency proclamations regarding telemedicine would greatly disadvantage and harm the citizens of Arkansas who are utilizing telemedicine for healthcare services; that this bill maintains the policy changes allowed under the emergency proclamation, which would allow the citizens of Arkansas greater access to the use of telemedicine for healthcare services; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure that the citizens of Arkansas have access to healthcare services provided via telemedicine. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

1. The date of its approval by the Governor;
2. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
3. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1114 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1114

Amend House Bill No. 1114 as engrossed, H1/27/21:

Add Senator Gilmore as a cosponsor of the bill
Page 1, delete lines 26 through 32, and substitute the following:

"(B) However, by rule the Board of Corrections may increase or decrease the monthly supervision fee by not more than twenty percent (20%) of the amount of the monthly supervision fee assessed at the time of the increase or decrease, subject to the following:

(i) A rule under this subdivision (a)(2)(B) may provide for an individualized monthly supervision fee assessment process;
(ii) A rule under this subdivision (a)(2)(B) may provide for the decrease of a monthly supervision fee if an emergency is declared under the Arkansas Emergency Services Act of 1973, § 12-75-101 et seq.;
(iii) An increase in a monthly supervision fee may not result in the monthly supervision fee exceeding fifty dollars ($50.00);
(iv) A monthly supervision fee may not be increased more than one (1) time per two (2) calendar years; and
(v) An increase or decrease in a monthly supervision fee shall be approved by the Legislative Council as required under § 10-3-309."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1114 was ordered engrossed.
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 12:30 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 31
SENATE BILL NO. 60
SENATE BILL NO. 63
SENATE BILL NO. 101

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 9th day of March, at 12:30 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 232, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 232 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 339, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 339 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 340, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 387, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 389, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, SENATE Bill No. 346 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 387 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1114, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1114 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 313, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 419, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1353, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAAK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1471, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 156, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 454, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 456, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE-CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 503  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SCHOLARSHIP APPEALS COMMITTEE WITHIN THE DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 503 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 504  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE CODE CONCERNING STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING AID; TO CREATE THE TEACHER SALARY EQUALIZATION FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 504 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 505
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: SENATOR L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MANDATE THE COPRESCRIPTION OF AN OPIOID ANTAGONIST UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; TO AMEND THE NALOXONE ACCESS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 505 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 506
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MEMBERS OF A PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 506 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Resolution No. 11 was called up for third reading.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MARCH 2021 WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 11 was read and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator English, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was called up for third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES LOVE, A. COLLINS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM MARCH 7-13, 2021, AS AMERICORPS WEEK IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 65 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 65

Amend Senate Bill No. 65 as engrossed, S2/26/21:

Add Representative Beck as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete SECTION 1 through SECTION 4 in their entirety, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 8-3-201(b)(2), concerning the purpose of the subchapter related to the review of the state emission plans, is amended to read as follows:

(2) The state plan is reviewed through a transparent public process that assesses the full impact of the state plan on rates, reliability, and employment, and manufacturing greenhouse gas leakage.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 8-3-205 is amended to read as follows:

8-3-205. Assessing effects of state plan.

(a) Before completing seeking public comment on a proposed state plan for regulating carbon dioxide emissions from covered electric generating units or any permit amendment, rule amendment, or administrative order necessary to implement a state plan for regulating carbon dioxide emissions from covered electric generating units, the Division of Environmental Quality shall prepare a report that takes into account the factors specified in § 8-4-312 and the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq., as applicable.

(b)(1) In addition to the report specified in subsection (a) of this section, the division shall coordinate with the Arkansas Public Service Commission in the preparation of a report that assesses the effects of the state plan on the electric power sector, including without limitation:

(A) The ability of the state to provide affordable electricity through diversified sources of electricity generation;

(B) The type and amount of electric generating capacity within the state that is likely to withdraw from the state or switch to another fuel;

(C) Stranded investment in electric generating and transmission capacity and other assets and infrastructure;

(D) Potential risks to electric reliability within the state, including
without limitation resource adequacy risks, transmission constraints, and natural gas supply and transmission adequacy; and

(E)(i) The amount by which retail electricity and any replacement fuel prices within the state are forecast to increase.

(ii) A rate impact assessment shall consider nonfuel costs, including generation, transmission, distribution, surcharges for renewable energy and energy efficiency, capital investment, upgrades to meet environmental requirements, utility profits, financing costs for new investments, unappreciated capital assets retired prematurely, and other nonfuel costs and surcharges, and the amount of funds contributed from all in-state taxpayers to local, state, and federal subsidies, grants, and credits to fund in-state electric generation sources, electric storage, and energy efficiency.

(2) The division shall further coordinate with the Arkansas Economic Development Commission in the preparation of a report both initial and annual reports that assesses the effects of the state plan on the electricity consumers within the state, including without limitation:

(A) Disproportionate impacts of electricity and other replacement energy price increases on middle-income and lower-income households;

(B) Employment within the state, including without limitation direct and indirect employment effects and jobs potentially lost within affected sectors of the state’s economy;

(C) Economic development within the state, including without limitation effects on manufacturing, commercial, and other sectors of the state’s economy;

(D) The competitive position of the state in relation to neighboring states and other economic competitors; and

(E) State and local governments, including without limitation potential impacts resulting from changes in tax revenues and higher government outlays for electric service.

(c) The initial reports required by this section shall be included with any petition filed by the division to initiate rulemaking for rules that in the public record for any permit amendment, rule amendment, or administrative order proposed to implement a state plan for regulating carbon dioxide emissions from covered electric generating units.

(d) Beginning one (1) year after the initial compliance date specified in the state plan and each year thereafter, the division, in coordination with the Arkansas Public Service Commission and the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, shall submit the annual reports required under subsection (b) of this section to the Legislative Council.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 8-3-207(a), concerning procedures for approval of the state plan, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Before After the conclusion of the public comment period under § 8-4-317
and before transmitting a state plan to the Governor for submission of the state plan to the United States Environmental Protection Agency, the Division of Environmental Quality shall transmit to the cochairs of the Legislative Council a copy of the state plan and the accompanying report reports developed under § 8-3-205.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 8-3-207(d), concerning procedures for approval of the state plan, is amended to read as follows:

(d) Notwithstanding the provisions of this subchapter, in the absence of legislative approval under subsection (b) of this section, the Governor may direct the submission of a state plan to the United States Environmental Protection Agency if, in his or her judgment:

(1) Sufficient time has passed for the Legislative Council to consider a state plan submitted by the division for legislative approval;

(2) Further delay would result in the failure to submit a state plan by the relevant deadline for submission; and

(3) Failure to submit a state plan would likely result in the imposition of a federal implementation plan.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 8-3-208 is amended to read as follows:

8-3-208. Feasibility study Rate and reliability safety valve.

(a) If a state plan approved under this subchapter would result in a significant increase in the total electric or natural gas bill annually for any customer class as determined by the Arkansas Public Service Commission, the Division of Environmental Quality shall prepare a feasibility study to determine whether:

(1) An alternative approach is consistent with the Clean Air Act, 42 U.S.C. § 7401 et seq.; or

(2) The pursuit of implementing an alternative approach is likely to result in the imposition of a federal plan that reduces the financial impacts to any customer class as determined under § 8-3-205 in accordance with the procedures outlined in § 8-4-317.

(b) The state plan previously approved by the United States Environmental Protection Agency shall remain in effect while the revised state plan required under subsection (a) of this section is being developed, approved by the Legislative Council, and submitted by the Governor to the United States Environmental Protection Agency and until the revised state plan is approved by the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 161 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 161

Amend Senate Bill No. 161 as engrossed, S2/10/21:

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 354 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 354

Amend Senate Bill No. 354 as originally introduced:

Add Senators J. Dismang, Hill as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Penzo, Tosh, Wing as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 354 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 341 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 341
As Engrossed: S3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUBLIC EMPLOYEES; TO PROHIBIT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 341 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 24

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Hendren, Sample.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 341 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 397 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 397
As Engrossed: S3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SPEAKS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE HIGHER EDUCATION CONSUMER GUIDE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 397 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin move that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 397. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 397 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 410 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 410
As Engrossed: S3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO ENSURE THE STABILITY OF THE INSURANCE MARKET IN ARKANSAS; TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC AND PERSONAL HEALTH, PERSONAL INDEPENDENCE, AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ARKANSANS THROUGH PROGRAM PLANNING AND INITIATIVES; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME ACT OF 2021 AND THE ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 410 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke for the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.
Senator Hendren spoke for the Bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Garner, Hester, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sample.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Gilmore.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Clark, M. Johnson, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 410 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1061 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061
As Engrossed: H1/19/21  H2/1/21  H2/24/21  H3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES J. MAYBERRY, LUNDSTRUM, CRAWFORD, VAUGHT, BENTLEY, EVANS, FURMAN, MADDOX, M. McELROY, MILLER, RICHMOND, WATSON, BROWN, ET AL
BY:  SENATORS:  B. DAVIS, K. HAMMER, J. ENGLISH, IRVIN, A. CLARK, FLIPPO, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE NO PATIENT LEFT ALONE ACT; CONCERNING VISITATION RIGHTS OF PATIENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1061 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert spoke for the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator Clark spoke for the Bill.
Senator Hammer spoke for the Bill.
Senator Davis closed for her Bill.

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1061. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1061, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1061 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1113 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113
As Engrossed: H1/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS URBAN HOMESTEAD ACT TO PERMIT THE DEVELOPMENT OF SCHOOLS ON LAND DONATED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS WHEN THE LAND IS NOT BEING UTILIZED AS A HOMESTEAD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1113 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.
Senator English closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................. 24

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................................. 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Sample, Teague.

Total .............................................................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Gilmore.

Total .............................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1113, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 24
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Sample, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 31
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1113 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1175 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1175
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CANDIDATE FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR POSITIONS ON SCHOOL BOARDS AND LOCAL BOARDS OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES; TO AMEND THE CANDIDATE FILING PERIOD FOR SCHOOL BOARD POSITIONS; TO AMEND THE BALLOT FEE FOR CANDIDATES FOR LOCAL BOARDS OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1175 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1175. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total: ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total: ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total: ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Gilmore.

Total: ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total: ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast: ................................................................. 34

 Necessary to the passage of the bill: ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1175 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1176 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT REIMBURSEMENT IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR CERTAIN BEHAVIORAL AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED VIA TELEMEDICINE CONTINUES AFTER THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY CAUSED BY CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1176 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1176. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED: Gilmore.

Total ..............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ..............................................................1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1176, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total .................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1176 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1215 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1215
As Engrossed: H2/24/21 S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT FULL PRACTICE AUTHORITY TO CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1215 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer closed for the Bill.

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1215. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 29
NEGATIVE: Elliott, Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang.
Total ................................................................. 3

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1215 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1331 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1331
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS MUNICIPAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1331 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1331. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Gilmore.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1331 was returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 161, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 354, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE ARKANSAS FUND FOR ITS CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS SMALL BUSINESS COMMUNITY.

Senate Resolution No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 507
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS
OF INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO CLARIFY THE TREATMENT OF DURABLE
MEDICAL EQUIPMENT UNDER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 507 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 508
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE NUMBER OF
OFFICIAL HOLIDAYS OF THE STATE; TO MAKE ELECTION DAY AN OFFICIAL
HOLIDAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 508 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 509
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING WORK HOURS ON ELECTION DAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 509 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 510
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CONVERSION THERAPY FOR MINORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 510 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 511
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A BROKER OF A SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION; TO REMOVE THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS TO ACT AS A BROKER OF A SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING FOREIGN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 511 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 512
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR DENTAL APPLIANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 512 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 513
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF A PERSON'S DRIVER'S LICENSE FOR FAILURE TO PAY OR FAILURE TO APPEAR; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A RESTRICTED DRIVER'S PERMIT ISSUED UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 513 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 40 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 114 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 219 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 258 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 278 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 280 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 294 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 302 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 331 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 392 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 396 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 155 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
As Engrossed: H1/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ADDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS FOR CERTAIN UNDERFUNDED PLANS OF THE POLICEMEN’S PENSION AND RELIEF FUND AND FIREMEN’S RELIEF AND PENSION FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1008 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1134
As Engrossed: H2/25/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “PRACTICE OF PHARMACY” TO ALLOW PHARMACISTS TO PRESCRIBE, ADMINISTER, DELIVER, DISTRIBUTE, OR DISPENSE VACCINES, IMMUNIZATIONS, AND MEDICATIONS TO TREAT ADVERSE REACTIONS TO ADMINISTERED VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS TO A PERSON WHO IS THREE (3) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1134 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PHARMACY TECHNICIANS TO ADMINISTER VACCINES AND IMMUNIZATIONS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PRACTICE OF PHARMACY" TO ALLOW PHARMACY TECHNICIANS TO ADMINISTER VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS TO A PERSON WHO IS THREE (3) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1135 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PRACTICE OF CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHESIA" BY REMOVING SUPERVISION REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1198 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1205
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REEMPLOYMENT OF CERTAIN RETIRED MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1205 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1209
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ARKANSAS BUSINESSES TO REDUCE THEIR FEDERAL TAX BURDEN BY ELECTING ENTITY-LEVEL TAXATION; TO CREATE THE ELECTIVE PASS-THROUGH ENTITY TAX ACT; TO IMPOSE A TAX ON PASS-THROUGH ENTITIES; TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN INCOME FROM GROSS INCOME FOR PASS-THROUGH ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1209 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1321
As Engrossed: H2/25/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, BOYD, ET AL
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, HESTER, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1321 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1323
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS IN-LIFE PHOTOGRAPH ACT; PERMITTING THE IN-LIFE PHOTOGRAPH OF A CRIME VICTIM TO BE DISPLAYED AT THE TRIAL OF A PERSON ACCUSED OF COMMITTING THE HOMICIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1323 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an act to be entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING FINAL AVERAGE COMPENSATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1346 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE REDETERMINATION OF BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1347 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1348
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1348 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1429
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, C. COOPER
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN WAIT A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF TIME BEFORE WITHDRAWING HIS OR HER CHILD FROM A LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT; TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT WITHIN A NOTIFICATION TO HOME SCHOOL THAT A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN INCLUDE HIS OR HER CHILD’S INTENT TO SEEK A DRIVER’S LICENSE IN THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1429 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HUDSON, L. FITE, CHRISTIANSEN
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN VACANCY PROCEDURES FOR COMMISSIONERS OF SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1448 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1450
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAGIE, EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR EARLY REFILLS OF PRESCRIPTION EYE DROPS; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS COVERAGE FOR EARLY REFILLS OF PRESCRIPTION EYE DROPS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1450 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1458  
As Engrossed: H3/8/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE WITHDRAWAL OF CONSENT TO ADOPT BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1458 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1465  
As Engrossed: H3/8/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON  
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSING ENTITIES TO CONSIDER THE GOOD MORAL CHARACTER OF AN INDIVIDUAL BEFORE ISSUING A LICENSE TO AN INDIVIDUAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1465 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1501
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. FITE, EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF MULTIDISTRICT VOCATIONAL CENTERS; TO AMEND THE SOURCE OF FUNDING THAT MAY BE USED TO MANAGE, MAINTAIN, AND OPERATE A MULTIDISTRICT VOCATIONAL CENTER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1501 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1512
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE WORK AMONG ENROLLEES IN THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR ABLE-BODIED ADULTS ACT OF 2019; TO ELIMINATE NO-GOOD-CAUSE EXEMPTIONS TO THE WORK REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1512 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A DATA COMPANY FROM PREVENTING AUTHORIZED ACCESS BY A PUBLIC ENTITY TO THE PUBLIC ENTITY'S DATA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1514 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
As Engrossed:  H3/1/21 H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW CONCERNING MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES; TO CREATE A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE FOR FALSE STATEMENTS BY CANDIDATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1522 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1551
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR REAPPORTIONMENT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1551 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1552
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR REAPPORTIONMENT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1552 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING VOTING MACHINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1595 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE DISPLAY OF THE NATIONAL MOTTO OF THE UNITED STATES, "IN GOD WE TRUST"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1654 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1226, BY REPRESENTATIVE CRAWFORD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1238, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1241, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1242, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1239, By Representative Lowery,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Larry Teague, Chairman

Senate Bill No. 514
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
By: Senators B. Davis, Hester

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: An Act To Create A License To Authorize A Company To Provide Skilled Nursing Tasks; And For Other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 514 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 252, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 352, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 355, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 400, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 401, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 411, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 415, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKMAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 183, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8,**
**BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1214,** **BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1224, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 341
SENATE BILL NO. 397
SENATE BILL NO. 410
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061
HOUSE BILL NO. 1113
HOUSE BILL NO. 1175
HOUSE BILL NO. 1331

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
HOUSE BILL NO. 1215

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 40
SENATE BILL NO. 114
SENATE BILL NO. 219
SENATE BILL NO. 258
SENATE BILL NO. 278
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SENATE BILL NO. 294
SENATE BILL NO. 302
SENATE BILL NO. 331
SENATE BILL NO. 392
SENATE BILL NO. 396

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 155 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
HOUSE BILL NO. 1134
HOUSE BILL NO. 1135
HOUSE BILL NO. 1198
HOUSE BILL NO. 1205
HOUSE BILL NO. 1209
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1595
HOUSE BILL NO. 1654

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, March 10, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Teague.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 153 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 153

Amend Senate Bill No. 153 as originally introduced:


AND

Add Representatives Beaty Jr., M. Berry, Boyd, Brooks, Brown, Furman, Haak, McCollum, Underwood, Wardlaw as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "profession;" and substitute "profession; and"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "(2)" and substitute "(2)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 30, and substitute the following:

"individual to engage in a particular occupation or profession.

(B) "Licensing entity" does not include a political subdivision of the state or any other local or regional governmental entity, including without limitation a city of the first class, a city of the second class, an incorporated town, or a county."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(a) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, a licensing entity shall not require an initial fee for individuals who are seeking to receive a license in this state if the applicant:

(1) Is receiving assistance through the Arkansas Medicaid Program, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children, the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program, or the Lifeline Assistance Program;

(2) Was approved for unemployment within the last twelve (12) months; or

Page 2, delete line 36, and substitute the following:

"..."
(3) Has an income that does not exceed two hundred percent (200%) of the federal poverty income guidelines.

(b) The waiver of the initial fee does not include fees for:
   (1) A criminal background check;
   (2) An examination or a test; or
   (3) A medical or drug test.

(c) The Department of Human Services and the Division of Workforce Services shall collaborate with a licensing entity concerning verification of eligibility for public benefits for applicants, which may include obtaining a signed consent form from the applicant.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 153 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 40, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 114, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 219, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 258, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 278, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 280, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 294, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 302, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 331, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 392, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 396, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:16 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 40
SENATE BILL NO. 114
SENATE BILL NO. 219
SENATE BILL NO. 258
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SENATE BILL NO. 331
SENATE BILL NO. 392
SENATE BILL NO. 396

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 10th day of March, 2021 at 10:16 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 153, by Senator Ben Gilmore,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson, Chairman

On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 153 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor.

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 204, by Senator Jim Hendren,
Senate Bill No. 256, by Senator Missy Irvin,
Senate Bill No. 464, by Senator Terry Rice,
Mr. President:
   We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

   SENATE BILL NO. 166, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
   SENATE BILL NO. 306, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

   Respectfully submitted,

   (SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN, MEMBER

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2021
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 465, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1209, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 515
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR A TEACHER’S QUALIFIED CLASSROOM INVESTMENT EXPENSE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 515 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 516
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PAID CANVASSERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 516 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 517
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER OVERSIGHT OF CERTAIN DUTIES OF THE REGIONAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS FROM THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION; TO AMEND THE REQUIRED EXPERTISE OF MEMBERS OF ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 517 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 518
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RECYCLING FUND ACT; TO TRANSFER ADMINISTRATION OF CERTAIN FUNDS AND DUTIES FROM THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 518 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 519
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SEX DISCRIMINATION BY ABORTION PROHIBITION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 519 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Resolution No. 12 was called up for third reading.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO DESIGNATE “STARS OF LIFE DAY” AND TO RECOGNIZE THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF CERTAIN EMERGENCY MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS.

Senate Resolution No. 12 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was called up for third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR A RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND PRESIDENT BIDEN TO DIRECT THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF THE CENSUS TO PROVIDE TIMELY REDISTRICTING POPULATION DATA.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1239 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1239

Amend House Bill No. 1239 as originally introduced:

Delete Senator J. Hendren as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Senators M. Pitsch, J. Hendren as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1239 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 183 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 183

Amend Senate Bill No. 183 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 34, and substitute the following:

“(iii) If a candidate or officeholder is assessed a fine by the Arkansas Ethics Commission under § 7-6-218(b)(4)(B) for the use of campaign
funds or carryover funds as personal income, a candidate or office holder shall not use campaign funds or carryover funds to pay the fine."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 4 through 7, and substitute the following:

"(F) If a candidate or officeholder uses campaign funds or carryover funds to pay a fine imposed by the Arkansas Ethics Commission under § 7-6-218(b)(4)(B) for the use of campaign funds or carryover funds as personal income, the candidate or officeholder shall be deemed to have taken campaign funds as personal income."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 183, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ingram, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 183 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 183
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CAMPAIGN FINANCE LAW; TO CHANGE THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS AND CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS OR CARRYOVER FUNDS TO PAY FOR AN ETHICS VIOLATION; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 183 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 183. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 183 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 5 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 5
As Engrossed: S2/9/21 S3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT, BENEFIT RIGHTS, AND DEFERRED RETIREMENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 5 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 5. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 5, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: 
Total ..................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ............................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 161 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 161
As Engrossed:  S2/1/21  S2/10/21  S3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATORS T. GARNER, IRVIN
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL OR A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO OFFER A HUNTING SAFETY COURSE AS PART OF ITS CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 161 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke for the Bill.

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 161. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 163 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 163
As Engrossed: S2/24/21  S3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS MILITARY AFFAIRS COUNCIL ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE MILITARY AFFAIRS GRANT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 163 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 163. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
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Total number of votes cast: 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 163, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 252 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 252
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE LOCATION OF OFFICES ESTABLISHED OR MAINTAINED BY THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; TO PROHIBIT THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FROM ESTABLISHING OR MAINTAINING AN OFFICE IN CHINA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 252 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

**AFFIRMATIVE:** Ballinger, Beckham, Caldwell, Clark, Davis, Dismang, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Hill, Irvin, M. Johnson, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Teague.

Total ............................................................................................................. 19

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, English, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ............................................................................................................. 8

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Hickey, B. Johnson, Sample, Sturch.

Total ............................................................................................................. 4

**EXCUSED:**

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Bledsoe, Eads, Pitsch, Wallace.

Total ............................................................................................................. 4

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*Senate Bill No. 252* was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 65 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 65
As Engrossed: S1/26/21 S3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW REGARDING STATE EMISSION PLANS FOR FOSSIL-FUEL-FIRED ELECTRIC GENERATING UNITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 65 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 65. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 313 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 313
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE GREAT RIVER ROAD DIVISION INTO THE TOURISM DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 313 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 313. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 313 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 352 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 352
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION; CONCERNING THE APPEAL PROCESS OF A CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION ACTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 352 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke against the Bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE:  Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, M. Johnson, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Hickey, B. Johnson, Rice, Sample, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 352 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 354 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 354
As Engrossed: S3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION


BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARKER, BENTLEY, S. BERRY, BROWN, CAVENAUGH, CLOUD, C. COOPER, COZART, CRAWFORD, DALBY, C. FITE, FURMAN, GONZALES, M. GRAY, HAAK, LADYMAN, LUNDSTRUM, J. MAYBERRY, MCGREW, MCKENZIE, MILLIGAN, PAYTON, PILKINGTON, RAY, RICHMOND, B. SMITH, SPEAKS, VAUGHT, WATSON, WOMACK, PENZO, TOSH, WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FAIRNESS IN WOMEN’S SPORTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 354 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.
Senator Leding spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the Bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ingram spoke against the Bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 354 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 355 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 355
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A LOTTERY WINNER TO REMAIN CONFIDENTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 355 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram spoke against the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 355. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Rapert, Tucker.
Total ................................................................................................................. 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18  

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY  

Senate Bill No. 355 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 411 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 411  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE VETERANS' CEMETERY SYSTEM; TO CLARIFY THE ALLOWABLE FEE AND PROCEDURE FOR INTERMENT AND DISINTERMENT IN THE STATE VETERANS' CEMETERY SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 411 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 411. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 411 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 415 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 415
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 415 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 415. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 415 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 418 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 418
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE STATE PARKS, RECREATION, AND TRAVEL COMMISSION; TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE PARKS, RECREATION, AND TRAVEL COMMISSION RELATED TO FEES FOR SERVICES; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE PARKS DIVISION TO UTILIZE DYNAMIC PRICING FOR EVENTS, SERVICES, AND OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 418 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 418. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:  Flowers, Garner, Sullivan.

Total ......................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 419 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 419
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING THE COLLECTION, DEPOSIT, AND USE OF GAS ASSESSMENT FEES; TO DESIGNATE CERTAIN GAS ASSESSMENT FEES AS GENERAL REVENUE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 419 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 419. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 419, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total .......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 419 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 454 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 454
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL SEWER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 454 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 454. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 454 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 456 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 456
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPETITIVE BIDDING AND PURCHASING PROCEDURES FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 456 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 456. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total .................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Garner.
Total .................................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.
Total .................................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 456 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1008 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1008  
As Engrossed: H1/26/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ADDITIONAL ALLOCATIONS FOR CERTAIN UNDERFUNDED PLANS OF THE POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUND AND FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. 

House Bill No. 1008 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass? 

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1008. Motion carried. 

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted: 


Total ......................................................................................... 35 

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0 

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0 

EXCUSED: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0 

VOTING PRESENT: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0 

Total number of votes cast ..............................................................35 
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1008 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1137 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PERFORMANCE OF A PELVIC EXAMINATION ON AN UNCONSCIOUS OR ANESTHETIZED PATIENT WITHOUT THE PRIOR CONSENT OF THE PATIENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1137 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1137. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1137 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1205 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1205
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REEMPLOYMENT OF CERTAIN RETIRED MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1205 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1205. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1205 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1226 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1226
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CRAWFORD
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES; TO AMEND THE INSOLVENT CEMETERY GRANT FUND ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1226 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1226. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1226 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1238 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT’S GENERAL OMNIBUS; TO MODIFY THE SELF-INSURED FIDELITY BOND PROGRAM; TO REPEAL THE FEES PAYABLE BY AN INACTIVE AGENT; TO MODIFY THE ACCEPTABLE METHODS BY WHICH AN INSURER MAY MAKE A PAYMENT; TO MODIFY THE LICENSING AND REGULATION OF CAPTIVE INSURERS; TO MODIFY THE INTENT OF THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE ANNUAL DISCLOSURE ACT; TO MODIFY THE EXCEPTIONS TO THE SURPLUS LINES INSURANCE LAW; TO MODIFY THE FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR AN AGREEMENT OF MERGER OR CONSOLIDATION OR PLAN OF EXCHANGE OF SHARES OF A CORPORATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO A STIPULATED PREMIUM PLAN INSURER; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO A MUTUAL ASSESSMENT LIFE AND DISABILITY INSURER; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO A FARMERS' MUTUAL AID COMPANY OR ASSOCIATION; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO FRATERNAL BENEFIT SOCIETIES; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE TO HOSPITAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS AND MEDICAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS; TO REPEAL THE PROTECTION AGAINST INSOLVENCY OF A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION; TO MODIFY THE METHOD OF SETTLING CLAIMS UNDER THE MODEL ACT FOR THE REGULATION OF CREDIT LIFE INSURANCE AND CREDIT DISABILITY INSURANCE; TO MODIFY THE REGISTRATION OR LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS FOR A MULTIPLE EMPLOYER TRUST OR MULTIPLE EMPLOYER WELFARE ARRANGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1238 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Pitsch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1238.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1238 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1241 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATORS M. PITSCH, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "CLAIMANT AGENCY" AS USED IN THE STATUTES CONCERNING COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1241 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1241 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1242 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1242**  
*As Engrossed: S3/3/21*  
*NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY*  
*REGULAR SESSION*  
*BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY*  
*BY: SENATORS M. PITSC, J. HENDREN*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN LONG-TERM CARE INSURERS TO FILE MARKET CONDUCT ANNUAL STATEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1242 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Pitsch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1242. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .............................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .............................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total .............................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .............................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1242 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1347 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1347
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REDETERMINATION OF BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1347 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1347. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1347 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1348 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1348
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1348 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1348. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1348 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1353 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353
As Engrossed: H2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAAK, LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROHIBITIONS ON ADVERTISING AND USE OF CERTAIN SYMBOLS REGARDING MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1353 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1353. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:  Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1353 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1471 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1471
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ABANDONED AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE DISPOSAL ACT; TO CLARIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE STATE PLANT BOARD; TO AMEND THE AMOUNT OF THE ABANDONED PESTICIDE DISPOSAL FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1471 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1471. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 25

Total ........................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1471 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 520
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FAIR COMPENSATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 520 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 521
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, MCCOLLM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MANDATE THAT THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM COVER A CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITOR FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WITH DIABETES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 522  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE INCOME TAX RATES FOR RESIDENTS, INDIVIDUALS, TRUSTS, OR ESTATES TO ZERO PERCENT (0%); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 522 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 523  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES FOR RESIDENTS; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES ALLOWING A ONE-TIME FEE ADJUSTMENT BASED ON CERTAIN CRITERIA; TO REQUIRE REVIEW BY AND REPORTS TO THE GAME AND FISH/STATE POLICE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; TO REQUIRE QUARTERLY REPORTS ON ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 523 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 9, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 137 - ACT 307
- Senate Bill No. 6 - ACT 308
- Senate Bill No. 194 - ACT 309

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Senate Bill No. 207 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 246 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 254 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 311 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 406 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER BILL PHILLIPS AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 524
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING MINORITY TEACHER AND MINORITY ADMINISTRATOR RECRUITMENT PLANS; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE EQUITY ASSISTANCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 524 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 525
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. SAMPLE, CALDWELL, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CORPORATE FRANCHISE TAX ACT OF 1979; TO REVERSE CHANGES MADE UNDER ACT 819 OF 2019 AND RETURN THE ADMINISTRATION AND COLLECTION OF THE FRANCHISE TAX TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 525 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, F. ALLEN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EVERY ARKANSAN RETIREMENT PLAN OPPORTUNITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1349 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONSENT TO ADOPTION AND RELINQUISHMENT OF PARENtal RIGHTS DURING THE ADOPTION PROCESS; CONCERNING THE REPORT OF EXPENDITURES RELATED TO AN ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1379 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE GARLAND COUNTY DISTRICT COURT; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE STATUTORY LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1466 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT CLEAR FACE MASK COVERINGS BE WORN BY CERTAIN PERSONS IF INTERACTING WITH AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING DURING CERTAIN DISASTER EMERGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1502 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION ADOPT A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING GOVERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS AND CERTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES COMPLETE SPECIALIZED TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1510 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1515
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEDICAID PROVIDER-LED ORGANIZED CARE ACT; TO PROHIBIT OWNERSHIP INTEREST IN MORE THAN ONE (1) RISK-BASED PROVIDER ORGANIZATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1515 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1516
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, L. JOHNSON, ET AL
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER TO TRANSPORT A PERSON IN CRISIS TO A SOBERING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1516 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517
As Engrossed: H2/25/21 H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE VOTER INTEGRITY AND VOTER REGISTRATION MODERNIZATION ACT OF 2021; TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC VOTER REGISTRATION; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 51; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1517 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE 2015 SCHOOL SAFETY ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CENTER FOR SCHOOL SAFETY OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE ADVISORY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1549 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1570
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BARKER, BENTLEY, BROWN, BRYANT, CAVENAUGH, CLOUD, COLEMAN, C. COOPER, COZART, CRAWFORD, DALBY, DOTSON, C. FITE, FURMAN, GAZAWAY, GONZALES, M. GRAY, HAAK, HOLLOWELL, LADYMAN, LOWERY, LYNCH, J. MAYBERRY, MCGREW, MCNAIR, S. MEEKS, MILLER, PAYTON, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RAY, RICHMOND, SLAPE, B. SMITH, SPEAKS, TOLLETT, TOSH, UNDERWOOD, VAUGHT, WARREN, WATSON, WING, BRAGG, HILLMAN, WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SAVE ADOLESCENTS FROM EXPERIMENTATION (SAFE) ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1570 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1588
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE OFFENSES OF BATTERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE AND DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE SECOND DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1588 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1593
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RETIRED PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS CARRYING A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1593 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA IN REGARDS TO THE HABITUAL OFFENDER SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT; CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1604 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 451, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 250, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1445, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCLURE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1462, BY REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1472, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1496, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 387, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1140, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1407, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1408, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1409, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1434, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1450, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAGIE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-third General Assembly
Regular Session
March 10, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1521, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM,
1945

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
HOUSE BILL NO. 1205
HOUSE BILL NO. 1226
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
HOUSE BILL NO. 1347
HOUSE BILL NO. 1348
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HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1242 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 207
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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
HOUSE BILL NO. 1466
HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
HOUSE BILL NO. 1510
HOUSE BILL NO. 1515
HOUSE BILL NO. 1516
HOUSE BILL NO. 1517
HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
HOUSE BILL NO. 1570
HOUSE BILL NO. 1588
HOUSE BILL NO. 1593
HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 11, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Rice.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as engrossed S/3/3/21:

Page 2, line 3, delete "Police," and substitute "Police, an airport authority."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 305 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 305

Amend Senate Bill No. 305 as originally introduced:
Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 31 through 36, and substitute the following:
"(1) The state or any agency of the state shall have first published notice of its intention to receive bids one (1) time each week for not less than two (2) consecutive weeks for projects more than the amount of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) and published notice of its intention to receive bids one (1) time each week for not less than one (1) week for projects more than the quote bid limit, as provided under the minimum standards and criteria of the"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:
"Building Authority Division, but less than or equal to fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) in a newspaper of general circulation published in the county in"

AND

Page 3, delete line 7, and substitute the following:
"bids one (1) time each week for not less than two (2) consecutive weeks in a"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:
"receive bids for improvements one (1) time each week for not less than two (2) consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 305 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 308 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.
Amend Senate Bill No. 308 as engrossed S3/1/21:

Page 2, delete lines 8 through 14, and substitute the following:

"(B)(i)(a) Subject to constitutional limitations, the victim of an offense listed under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section may request that the person arrested and charged with the offense be tested for the presence of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or an antibody to human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), whether or not he or she is in custody, and the results of the tests provided to the victim.

(b) Upon the victim's request under subdivision (b)(1)(B)(i)(a) of this section, the court shall require that the person be tested within forty-eight (48) hours of the information's or indictment's being presented to the person if the court finds that there is a reasonable cause to believe that the person committed the offense and the charge against the person has an element of forcible compulsion or the threat of forcible compulsion.

(ii) Subsequent tests for the presence of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or an antibody to human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) shall be required as medically appropriate with results of the subsequent tests also provided to the victim as soon as practicable."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 349 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 349

Amend Senate Bill No. 349 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 14, delete "OF READING;" and substitute "OF READING; TO CREATE THE EDUCATION OMBUDSMAN WITHIN THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION;"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ADJUST FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT OFFER CERTAIN TYPES OF READING PRACTICES, INTERVENTIONS, AND CURRICULUM NOT ALIGNED WITH THE SCIENCE OF READING; AND TO CREATE THE EDUCATION OMBUDSMAN."

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "If the state board" and substitute "Beginning with the 2023-2024 school year, if the state board"

AND

Page 2, delete line 19, and substitute the following: "under subdivision (i)(3)(B)(ii)(a) of this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-17-429, concerning the Right to Read Act, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(l)(1) The Secretary of the Department of Education shall hire an Education Ombudsman to assist the division in the enforcement of this section, including without limitation enforcing the requirements for:

(A) Demonstrating proficiency;
(B) Providing professional development; and
(C) Using a permitted program of instruction.

(2) The secretary may designate additional requirements related to public education, including without limitation the enforcement of literacy requirements.

(3) The secretary shall supervise the Education Ombudsman and shall not delegate supervision to an employee of the division.
(4)(A) The minimum qualifications for the Education Ombudsman shall include a master’s degree in:
   (i) Education; or
   (ii) A related field.

(B) An individual who has served as a past public school district superintendent or who serves as a current public school district superintendent is not eligible to serve as the Education Ombudsman under this section.

(5) The Education Ombudsman may:
   (A) Communicate with:
       (i) A public school student, with permission from a parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis of the public school student;
       (ii) A parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis of a public school student; and
       (iii) Administration, faculty, and staff employed by a public school district or open-enrollment public charter school;
   (B) Review an issue or concern related to the education of a public school student enrolled in a public school or open-enrollment public charter school;
   (C) Recommend training and resources to a public school, public school district, or open-enrollment public charter school; and
   (D) Request support and assistance from the division to be provided to a public school, public school district, or open-enrollment public charter school.

(6)(A) The Education Ombudsman shall prepare and submit an annual report to the state board concerning the work of the Education Ombudsman and any recommendations related to the focus areas of the Education Ombudsman.

(B) The report required under subdivision (l)(6)(A) of this section shall be submitted every two (2) years to the:
   (i) House Committee on Education; and
   (ii) Senate Committee on Education.

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2

Amend Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 12, delete "20-51" and substitute "21-03"

AND

Page 1, line 20, delete "20-51" and substitute "21-03"

AND

Page 1, delete line 25, and substitute the following:
"an outbreak of coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19); and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 20-13 declared the entire state of Arkansas an emergency disaster area based upon the impact of coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19); and"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "emergency declared" and substitute "emergency and disaster area declarations"

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "emergency declared by" and substitute "emergency and disaster area declarations under"

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete "emergency" and substitute "emergency and disaster area declarations"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 and 7, and substitute the following:
“additional twenty (20) days until December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 20-53, issued on December 29, 2020, renewed the emergency and disaster area declarations under Executive Order 20-37 for sixty (60) additional days; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 21-03, issued on February 26, 2021, renewed the emergency and disaster area declarations under Executive Order 20-37 until March 31, 2021, unless renewed in whole or in part by a subsequent executive order; and"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "20-51" and substitute "21-03"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "20-51" and substitute "21-03"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "20-51" and substitute "21-03"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "20-34" and substitute "20-52"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 10, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 31 - ACT 319
- Senate Bill No. 60 - ACT 320
- Senate Bill No. 63 - ACT 321
- Senate Bill No. 101 - ACT 322

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5,
    BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO. 183, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 207, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 246, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 254, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER, ET AL
SENATE BILL NO. 311, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 406, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:47 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
SENATE BILL NO. 183
SENATE BILL NO. 207
SENATE BILL NO. 246
SENATE BILL NO. 254
SENATE BILL NO. 311
SENATE BILL NO. 406
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:
   We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

   SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 305 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:
   We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

   SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 349, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION BILL NO. 2,
BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 339, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL 1318, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL 1544, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  69, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 345, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 448, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 45, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 56, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 97, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1235, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, VICE CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 526
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DATA AND TRANSPARENCY PANEL; TO INCREASE DEPARTMENT PARTICIPATION ON THE DATA AND TRANSPARENCY PANEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 526 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Senator Chesterfield moved to place House Bill No. 1462 at the bottom of the House bills for final passage. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 295 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 2 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER BILL PHILLIPS AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 2 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MURDOCK, TOLLETT

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER SERGEANT TRAVIS WALLACE FOR HIS SERVICE AND COMMITMENT TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Resolution No. 13 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE ARKANSAS FUND FOR ITS CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS SMALL BUSINESS COMMUNITY.

Senate Resolution No. 13 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 166 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 166

Amend Senate Bill No. 166 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS TO ATTEND HEARINGS CONCERNING MATTERS HEARD UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO ALLOW CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS TO ATTEND HEARINGS CONCERNING MATTERS HEARD UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 9-27-325(i)(1)(A), concerning hearings under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to read as follows:
   (i)(1)(A) All Except as provided by this section, all hearings involving allegations and reports of child maltreatment and all hearings involving cases of children in foster care shall be closed.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-27-325(i)(1), concerning hearings under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:
   (D)(i) A relative, fictive kin, or individual with a connection to the family involved in a dependency-neglect proceeding may attend a hearing unless the court determines:
      (a) The best interest of the child requires the relative, fictive kin, or individual with a connection to the family involved in the dependency-neglect proceeding to be excluded from the hearing; or
      (b) It is within the authority of the court under the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure or the Arkansas Rules of Evidence to exclude the relative, fictive kin, or individual with a connection to the family involved in the dependency-neglect proceeding from the hearing.
   (ii) The court shall confirm the identity of each relative, fictive kin, or individual with a connection to the family involved in the dependency-neglect proceeding to determine if the relative, fictive kin, or individual with a connection to the family involved in the dependency-neglect proceeding should be excluded from the hearing.
   (iii) A relative, fictive kin, or individual with a connection to the family involved in the dependency-neglect proceeding who is permitted to attend a hearing shall not disclose any information obtained during the hearing.
(E)(i) The court may allow an individual with an interest in attending a closed hearing in a dependency-neglect proceeding to attend the hearing if:

(a) It is in the best interest of the child; and
(b) The individual demonstrates a sincere and legitimate need to attend the hearing as determined by the court.

(ii) An individual who attends a hearing in accordance with subdivision (i)(1)(E)(i) of this section shall not disclose any information obtained during the hearing.

(F) An individual who discloses information in violation of subdivisions (i)(1)(D)(iii) and (i)(1)(E)(ii) of this section is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 166 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 250 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 250

Amend Senate Bill No. 250 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 34, delete "75 85" and substitute "75 78"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 250 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 306 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 306

Amend Senate Bill No. 306 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 31 and 32, and substitute the following:
"time:

(ii) Municipally owned or maintained building; or
(iii) Leased area to be used for a special event."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 306 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 417 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 2 in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-73-103, concerning the offense of possession of a firearm by certain persons, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e) As used in this section, “felony” means any state or federal felony,
excluding a federal or state felony offense for which the person convicted has completed his or her sentence and pertaining to:

1. An antitrust violation;
2. An unfair trade practice;
3. Restraint of trade; or
4. Another offense relating to the regulation of business practices."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 256 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 256
As Engrossed: S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF AN ADMINISTRATIVE SUBPOENA BY THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE IN AN INVESTIGATION CONCERNING AN INTERNET CRIME AGAINST A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the bill.
Senator B. Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 24

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Chesterfield, Davis, Elliott, Garner, Gilmore, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................... 10

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 256 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 387 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OFF-LABEL USE OF DRUG TREATMENTS TO TREAT MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES DIAGNOSED WITH PEDIATRIC ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME AND PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 387 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke on the bill.

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 387. Motion passed.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 387 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 399 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 399
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW AS IT RELATES TO MANDATORY STATE CONTRACTS; TO EXEMPT STATE AGENCIES FROM MANDATORY STATE CONTRACTS IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 400 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE TIME FOR SUBMITTING A PROTEST UNDER THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 400 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 400. Motion passed.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 400 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 401 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 401
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CHANGE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF COOPERATIVE PURCHASING AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 401 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 401. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 401 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 451 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 451
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VISUAL ART, MUSIC, AND PERFORMING ARTS REQUIREMENTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENT THAT STUDENTS IN GRADES FIVE (5) AND SIX (6) ENROLLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS THAT ARE NOT CONFIGURED AS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PARTICIPATE IN VISUAL ART AND MUSIC CLASS; TO REQUIRE THAT STUDENTS IN GRADE SIX (6) ENROLLED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS THAT ARE NOT CONFIGURED AS ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS PARTICIPATE IN VISUAL ARTS OR PERFORMING ARTS INSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 451 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 451. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 451 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 464 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 464**  
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**REGULAR SESSION**  
**BY: SENATOR RICE**  
**BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "SEXUAL CONTACT" AS IT PERTAINS TO CERTAIN SEXUAL OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 464 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 464. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 464 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 465 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 465
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE FOR THE ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA SPECIAL PRIVILEGE TAX ACT OF 2017; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 465 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 465. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 465, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 465 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1100 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1100
As Engrossed:  S2/4/21 S3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INDIVIDUALS LISTED AS MANDATED REPORTERS UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1100 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1100. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1100 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1209 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1209
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ARKANSAS BUSINESSES TO REDUCE THEIR FEDERAL TAX BURDEN BY ELECTING ENTITY-LEVEL TAXATION; TO CREATE THE ELECTIVE PASS-THROUGH ENTITY TAX ACT; TO IMPOSE A TAX ON PASS-THROUGH ENTITIES; TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN INCOME FROM GROSS INCOME FOR PASS-THROUGH ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1209 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1209. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................0

EXCUSE:
Total ................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................0
House Bill No. 1214 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1214 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1214
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EMERGENCY SERVICES ACT OF 1973 CONCERNING FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1214 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1214. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE: Garner.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..............................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1214 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1224 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1224
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY STUDENT LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1224 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1224. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1224 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1239 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239
As Engrossed: S3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATORS M. PITSCH, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE PRELICENSURE EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS EXEMPTION FOR AN INSURANCE ADJUSTER; TO REQUIRE A NONRESIDENT INSURANCE PRODUCER, ADJUSTER, OR CONSULTANT TO MAINTAIN A LICENSE IN GOOD STANDING IN THE LICENSEE'S HOME STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1239 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Pitsch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1239. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1239 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

Senator Leding requested leave for Senator Flowers. Leave granted.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1256 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1256  
As Engrossed: H1/27/21 H2/24/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, MCCOLLUM, C. FITE, VAUGHT, LUNDSTRUM, HAWKS, CRAWFORD, M. MCELROY  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMPREHENSIVE CRIMINAL RECORD SEALING ACT OF 2013; TO PERMIT CERTAIN PERSONS WITH FELONY CONVICTIONS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR CRIMINAL RECORD SEALING; CONCERNING THE TIMELINE DURING WHICH A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY MAY OBJECT TO A PETITION TO SEAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1256. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.  
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1256 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1315 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315
As Engrossed: H2/2/21 S3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STATE MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS INSPECTION ACT; TO AMEND THE MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS CERTIFICATION ACT; TO CREATE THE STATE MEAT INSPECTION PROGRAM FUND; TO TRANSFER AUTHORITY OVER MEAT INSPECTION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1315 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1315. Motion carried.

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1315, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1315 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1317 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1317
As Engrossed: H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, RICHMOND, M. DAVIS, MADDOX,
VAUGHT, LUNDSTRUM, C. FITE, WARDLAW, BOYD,
CRAWFORD, RICHARDSON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE THEFT OF A
POSTAL PACKAGE DELIVERED TO A PERSON'S RESIDENCE AND LEFT
WITHIN THE CURTILAGE OF THE RESIDENCE; TO MAKE TECHNICAL
CORRECTIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1317 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1317.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1317, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Wallace.
Total .......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:  Tucker.
Total .......................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.
Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1317 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1346 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1346
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING FINAL AVERAGE COMPENSATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1346 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1346. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
  Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.
  Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

  Total number of votes cast ........................................ 33
  Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1346 was returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1349 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
As Engrossed H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, F. ALLEN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, CALDWELL, L. CHESTERFIELD,
L. EADS, K. INGRAM, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING, B. SAMPLE,
G. STUBBLEFIELD, J. STURCH, TEAGUE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EVERY ARKANSAN RETIREMENT PLAN OPPORTUNITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1349 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved to lay House Bill No. 1349 on the table. By voice vote, the motion failed.

Senator Rapert spoke against the bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the bill.
Senator Dismang spoke against the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke for the bill.
Senator Hill spoke against the bill.
Senator Clark spoke on the bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke against the bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 15


Total ........................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Caldwell, English, Rice, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Ballinger, Davis, Flippo, B. Johnson, Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senator Rapert moved to clinch the failure of House Bill No. 1349. By voice vote, motion failed.

Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1349 failed be expunged.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1349 failed was expunged on March 11, 2021.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1407 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1407
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, GONZALES, M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE METHOD OF CALCULATION OF THE STABILIZATION TAX IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1407 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1407. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1407 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1408 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1408
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ADVANCING WOMEN’S HEALTH ACT OF 2015; TO REQUIRE THE ACT TO APPLY TO FUNDING THROUGH THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1408 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1408. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast

.................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1408 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1409 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1409
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, GONZALES, M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF "WAGES" IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1409 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1409. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1409 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1445 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1445
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCLURE, BRAGG
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOARD OF VISITORS FOR A TECHNICAL COLLEGE; TO AMEND THE APPOINTMENT REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING A BOARD OF VISITORS FOR A TECHNICAL COLLEGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1445 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch spoke in favor of the Bill.
Senator Clark closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Clark, Dismang, Elliott, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 4

Total ................................................................. 16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Eads, English, Hickey, Ingram, Irvin, Leding, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 12

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 22
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill failed.

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Senator Clark moved to expunge the vote by which House Bill No. 1445 failed. Motion failed.

House Bill No. 1445 was returned to House as having failed to pass.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1450 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1450
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAGIE, EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR EARLY REFILLS OF PRESCRIPTION EYE DROPS; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS COVERAGE FOR EARLY REFILLS OF PRESCRIPTION EYE DROPS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1450 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1450. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ..............................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast..................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1450 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1455 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY BY POWER OF ATTORNEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1455 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1455. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast: .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1455 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1472 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1472
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COZART, MCGREW, WARREN
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES, AND THE ARTS; TO AMEND THE COMPOSITION OF THE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS SERVING ON THE BOARD OF VISITORS FOR THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES, AND THE ARTS; TO AMEND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR INSTRUCTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1472 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1472. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1472 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1488 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO CLARIFY THE INTENTIONAL TORT EXCEPTION TO THE EXCLUSIVE REMEDY DOCTRINE UNDER THE WORKERS’ COMPENSATION LAW WITH REGARD TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1488 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1488. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers. Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1488, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1488 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1496 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A CONTRACT FOR EMPLOYMENT FOR A PRESIDENT AND CHANCELLOR OF A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO SPECIFY TERMS REGARDING TERMINATION AND BUYOUT AGREEMENTS THAT A CONTRACT FOR EMPLOYMENT FOR A PRESIDENT AND CHANCELLOR OF A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION SHALL INCLUDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1496 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1496. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1496 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1506 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1506
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY:  SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF A HOAX BOMB; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1506 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1506. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ............................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1506 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1521 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1521
As Engrossed: S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM, GONZALES
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CODIFY EXECUTIVE ORDERS 20-18 AND 20-34 TO ENSURE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS ARE EQUIPPED WITH THE TOOLS NECESSARY TO COMBAT COVID-19 AND HAVE ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE RESOURCES TO TREAT COVID-19; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1521 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1521. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1521, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1521 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1462 at this time.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, House Bill No. 1462 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, MURDOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A STATE-SUPPORTED TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO DESIGNATE FROM AMONGST CURRENT STAFF MEMBERS OF THE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION A HOMELESS AND FOSTER STUDENT LIAISON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1462 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1462. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1462 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 166, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 250, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 306, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 500, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, VICE-CHAIRMAN
SENATOR RICKY HILL
SENATOR TRENT GARNER
SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER
SENATOR LANCE EADS
SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD

Senate Bill No. 119 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 119 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 118 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 127 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 168 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 179 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 239 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 338 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 383 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 384 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
SENATE BILL NO. 527
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING ABORTION FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE ABORTION FACILITIES TO POST INFORMATION REGARDING HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND TO PROVIDE LAURA’S CARD TO PATIENTS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "ABORTION" WITHIN THE CHERISH ACT; TO REQUIRE WRITTEN AGREEMENTS BETWEEN AN ABORTION FACILITY AND A HOSPITAL; TO REQUIRE WRITTEN AGREEMENTS BETWEEN AN ABORTION FACILITY AND AN AMBULANCE SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 527 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 528
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF LIMITED INFORMATION ON CERTAIN CREDITS AND REBATES OF SALES AND USE TAX TO IMPACTED LOCAL GOVERNMENTS; TO AMEND THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN TAX RECORDS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 528 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 529
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RETURN OF STOLEN PROPERTY IN THE POSSESSION OF A PAWNBROKER TO THE RIGHTFUL OWNER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 529 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364
As Engrossed: H3/4/21 H3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS UNDERGROUND FACILITIES DAMAGE PREVENTION ACT; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS UNDERGROUND FACILITIES DAMAGE PREVENTION ENFORCEMENT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1364 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE HOME-BASED ENTREPRENEURSHIP; TO REMOVE UNNECESSARY BARRIERS TO WORKING FROM HOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1416 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAKING OF MINERALS, TIMBER, OR OTHER RESOURCES ON STATE-OWNED PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1442 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1571
As Engrossed: H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY: SENATOR RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ATTORNEY AD LITEM PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GUARDIANS AD LITEM AND ATTORNEYS AD LITEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1571 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633
As Engrossed: H3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES UNDERWOOD, BEATY JR., BRYANT, CARR, FORTNER, HAAK, MCCOLLUM, TOLLETT, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES OF CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS, CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS, AND INCORPORATED TOWNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING FERAL HOGS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "FERAL HOG"; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE CAPTURING AND KILLING OF FERAL HOGS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING TRANSPORTING AND RELEASING FERAL HOGS; TO CLARIFY THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION RELATED TO FERAL HOGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1636 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1638
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT RECOGNITION PAYMENTS FOR COUNTY ASSESSORS AND THEIR EMPLOYEES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1638 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1639
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE AUTHORITY AND DUTY OF COUNTY ASSESSORS TO ENTER UPON AND INSPECT PROPERTY; TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYEES AND INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS OF A COUNTY ASSESSOR’S OFFICE TO ENTER UPON AND INSPECT PROPERTY TO DETERMINE PROPERTY VALUES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1639 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE NATIVE BRANDY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1656 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1658 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FORMULA RATE REVIEW ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1662 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
SENATE BILL NO. 421, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 422, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 423, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 424, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 425, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 426, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 427, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 428, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
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SENATE BILL NO. 441, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 442, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 490, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 469, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1332, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1480, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1527, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2021
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 256
SENATE BILL NO. 387
SENATE BILL NO. 400
SENATE BILL NO. 401
SENATE BILL NO. 451
SENATE BILL NO. 464
SENATE BILL NO. 465
SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1209
HOUSE BILL NO. 1214
HOUSE BILL NO. 1224
HOUSE BILL NO. 1256
HOUSE BILL NO. 1317
HOUSE BILL NO. 1346
HOUSE BILL NO. 1407
HOUSE BILL NO. 1408
HOUSE BILL NO. 1409
HOUSE BILL NO. 1450
HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
HOUSE BILL NO. 1462
HOUSE BILL NO. 1472
HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
HOUSE BILL NO. 1506

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1100 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1239 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1315 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1521 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1445

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 118
SENATE BILL NO. 127
SENATE BILL NO. 168
SENATE BILL NO. 179
SENATE BILL NO. 239
SENATE BILL NO. 338
SENATE BILL NO. 383
SENATE BILL NO. 384

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 119 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364
HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
HOUSE BILL NO. 1571
HOUSE BILL NO. 1633
HOUSE BILL NO. 1636
HOUSE BILL NO. 1638
HOUSE BILL NO. 1639
HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
HOUSE BILL NO. 1658
HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 15, 2021.
Little Rock, Arkansas
March 15, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:10 p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers, Senator Garner.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wallace.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 182 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 182

Amend Senate Bill No. 182 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 1 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "(b) If" and substitute "(b)(1) If"

AND

Page 2, delete line 10, and substitute the following:
"requirement of instituting a civil action for foreclosure.

(2) The board of a municipal recreation improvement district is authorized to forego the collection of delinquent taxes upon a majority vote of the board if the taxes have been delinquent for three (3) years or longer.

(3)(A)(i) A board of a municipal recreation improvement district that acts under subdivision (b)(2) of this section shall adopt a uniform policy for action on delinquencies.

(ii) A uniform policy under subdivision (b)(3)(A)(i) of this section shall include without limitation a requirement that all paid taxes shall be credited and only unpaid taxes are considered delinquent.

(B) A decision under subdivision (b)(2) of this section may be appealed to the governing body of the municipality in which the municipal recreation improvement district is located.*

(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 292

Amend Senate Bill No. 292 as engrossed, S3/3/21:

Delete Representatives M. Berry, Hollowell, McClure, Bentley, Beck, Rye, Watson, Crawford as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Watson, M. Berry, Hollowell, McClure, Bentley, Beck, Rye, Crawford, C. Cooper, Slape as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 295 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 295

Amend Senate Bill No. 295 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 36, delete "(a) The" and substitute "(a) Except when prohibited by federal law, the"

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete "redetermination" and substitute "recertification"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "(b)(1)" and substitute "(b)(1)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 18, and substitute the following:
"(B) Data received under a data matching agreement described in subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section shall be treated as verified upon receipt."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 22 through 25, and substitute the following:
"verification of any substantial winnings exceeding the resource limits for that household or the threshold set under 7 C.F.R. 272.17, as existing on January 1, 2021."

(B) If the Department of Human Services discovers, including through a database match, that a household fails to disclose substantial winnings that would result in being ineligible for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, the household shall be referred to the Office of Appeals and Hearings of the Department of Human Services to determine whether an intentional program violation has occurred through a due process hearing."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 31 and 32, and substitute the following:
"(2) From the Division of Workforce Services, the Department of Finance and Administration, the United States Department of Health and Human Services, the Office of Child Support Enforcement, and the National Directory of New Hires concerning individuals enrolled in assistance"

AND

Page 2, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"(3) From the Division of Workforce Services concerning individuals enrolled in assistance that indicates a change in circumstances that may affect eligibility, including without limitation a change in employment or wages;"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "(4)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "a quarterly" and substitute "an annual"
Page 3, delete lines 14 and 15, and substitute the following:

"(2) The total number of assistance cases referred for prosecution;"

AND

Page 3, line 29, delete "(g)" and substitute "(g)(1)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 33, and substitute the following:
"the household unless the household is designated as a simplified reporting household.

(2)(A) A household that is designated as a simplified reporting household shall be assigned a certification period of six (6) months or less.

(B) The Department of Human Services shall begin phasing in the reduction in certification periods for simplified reporting households no later than September 1, 2022."

AND

Page 4, line 26, delete "(a) The" and substitute "(a) Except when prohibited by federal law, the"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "redetermination" and substitute "reevaluation"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 4 through 13, and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) The Department of Human Services shall enter into a data matching agreement with the Office of the Arkansas Lottery and the Arkansas Racing Commission to identify individuals with substantial winnings.

(2) On at least a quarterly basis, the Department of Human Services shall review this information and act on any changes that may affect eligibility consistent with 42 U.S.C. 1396, as existing on January 1, 2021."

AND

Page 5, line 31, delete "On at least a quarterly basis," and substitute "Annually,"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 2 and 3, and substitute the following:

"(2) The total number of assistance cases referred for prosecution;"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 25 through 30, and substitute the following:

"(3) Request authority to waive or decline to periodically check any available income-related data sources to verify eligibility."

AND

Page 6, line 36, delete "sixty (60) days" and substitute "one hundred eighty (180) days"
AND
Page 7, line 2, delete "redeterminations" and substitute "reevaluations"
AND
Page 7, line 3, delete "redetermination" and substitute "reevaluation"
AND
Page 7, delete lines 5 through 10, and substitute the following:
"(B) Carry out an additional check of all verification"
AND
Page 7, line 13, delete "(D)" and substitute "(C)"
AND
Page 7, line 15, delete "redeterminations" and substitute "reevaluations"
AND
Page 7, line 16, delete "redeterminations" and substitute "reevaluations"
AND
Page 7, delete lines 17 through 36, and substitute the following:
"permissible under the law.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code Title 23, Chapter 115, Subchapter 1, is
amended to add an additional section to read as follows:
23-115-105. Data sharing with Department of Human Services,
The Office of the Arkansas Lottery and the Arkansas Racing Commission
shall enter into a data matching agreement with the Department of Human Services
for purposes under §§ 20-76-215 and 20-77-2104."
AND
Page 8, delete lines 1 through 36
AND
Page 9, delete lines 1 through 24

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 295 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 300

Amend Senate Bill No. 300 as engrossed, S3/3/21:

Add Representative C. Cooper as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as engrossed, S3/11/21:
Add Representative C. Cooper as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 346

Amend Senate Bill No. 346 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Add Representative Watson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 351 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 351

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 35, delete "(B) The" and substitute "(B)(i) The"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following: "driver as communicated through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program agreement, (ii) The alternatively agreed upon location under subdivision (a)(5)(B)(i) of this section shall be incorporated into the peer-to-peer car-sharing program agreement; or"

AND

Page 6, delete line 6, and substitute the following: "property damage; (ii) Personal injury protection coverage as described in § 23-89-202;"

AND

Page 6, line 7, delete "(iii)" and substitute "(iii)"

AND

Page 6, line 8, delete "(iii)" and substitute "(iv)"

AND

Page 6, line 9, delete "(iv)" and substitute "(v)"

AND

Page 6, line 10, delete "(v)" and substitute "(vi)"

AND

Page 6, line 24, and substitute the following: "that is engaged in a commercial use. (3) This section does not invalidate, limit, or restrict an insurer's ability under existing law to: (A) Underwrite an insurance policy; or"
(B) Cancel and not renew an insurance policy."

AND

Page 6, delete lines 30 through 36

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 through 5, and substitute the following:

"(e)(1) Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, a peer-to-peer"

AND

Page 7, line 16, delete "(g)" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Page 9, line 20, delete "(B) The" and substitute "(B)(i) The"

AND

Page 9, delete line 22, and substitute the following:

"program agreement.

(ii) The alternatively agreed upon location under subdivision (a)(5)(B)(i) of this section shall be incorporated into the peer-to-peer car-sharing program agreement; or"

AND

Page 11, line 22, delete "section: and substitute "section, the"

AND

Page 11, line 23, delete "(1) The"

AND

Page 11, delete lines 26 through 36, and substitute the following:

"period and in the event that a claim occurs in another state with minimum financial responsibility limits that are higher than the limits in this state, during the car-sharing period, then the coverage maintained under subsection (c) of this section shall satisfy the difference in minimum coverage amounts, up to the applicable policy limits."

AND

Page 12, delete lines 1 through 19, and substitute the following:

"(g) The insurer or peer-to-peer car-sharing program providing coverage under subsections (d) and (e) of this section shall assume primary liability for a claim when:

(1) A dispute exists as to who was in control of the shared vehicle at the time of the loss and the peer-to-peer car-sharing program does not have available, did not retain, or fails to provide the information required in § 27-25-106; or

(2) A dispute exists as to whether or not a shared vehicle was returned to the alternatively agreed-upon location as required under § 27-25-102(a)(5)(B)(i)."
Page 13, line 3, delete "program;" and substitute "program; or"

Page 13, line 8, delete "agreement; or" and substitute "agreement;"

Page 13, delete lines 9 and 10

Page 13, delete lines 30 through 36, and substitute the following:

"27-25-106. Record keeping.
   (a)(1) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall collect and verify records pertaining to the use of a shared vehicle, including without limitation times used, car-sharing period pick-up and drop-off locations, fees paid by the shared-vehicle driver, and revenues received by the shared-vehicle owner.
   (2) The information compiled under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be provided upon request to the shared-vehicle owner, the shared-vehicle owner's insurer, or the shared-vehicle driver's insurer to facilitate a claim coverage investigation, settlement, negotiation, or litigation.
   (b) The peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall retain the records for a time period not less than the applicable personal injury statute of limitations."

Page 14, delete lines 1 through 12

Page 15, line 32, delete "vehicle;" and substitute "vehicle; and"

Page 15, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following: "vehicle driver;"

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 389 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 389

Amend Senate Bill No. 389 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Add Senator Beckham as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Page 1, delete lines 32 and 33, and substitute the following:
"(1) "Gender identity" means the same as is used in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, Fifth Edition, which defines it as a category of social identity and refers to an individual's identification as male, female, or, occasionally, some category other than male or female; and"
AND
Page 3, line 16, delete "academic standards" and substitute "academic standards for the particular item in question"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 467 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 467 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following: "deputy prosecuting attorney designated by the prosecuting attorney, or"

AND

Page 1, delete line 31, and substitute the following: "prosecuting attorney designated by the prosecuting attorney, or emergency"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 9 and 10, and substitute the following: "attorney, or deputy prosecuting attorney designated by the prosecuting attorney, or emergency medical technician."

AND

Page 2, delete line 17, and substitute the following: "prosecuting attorney designated by the prosecuting attorney, or emergency"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 467 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 502 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 502 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 31, and substitute the following:

“(3) "Foster care" means the care of a child by a group home, group
facility, or single-family foster home on a twenty-four-hour-a-day basis away from the
home of the child's parent or parents;”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 14 and 15, and substitute the following:

“1400 et seq.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 502 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 513 was withdrawn from the
Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of
Amendment No. 1.
Add Representative McCollum as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 513 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1360 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1360

Amend House Bill No. 1360 as originally introduced:

Add Representative C. Cooper as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1360 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 15, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 207 - ACT 323
Senate Bill No. 183 - ACT 324
Senate Bill No. 302 - ACT 325
Senate Bill No. 406 - ACT 326
Senate Bill No. 311 - ACT 327
Senate Bill No. 246 - ACT 328
Senate Bill No. 294 - ACT 329
Senate Bill No. 258 - ACT 330
Senate Bill No. 114 - ACT 331
Senate Bill No. 280 - ACT 332
Senate Bill No. 278 - ACT 333
Senate Bill No. 219 - ACT 334
Senate Bill No. 40 - ACT 335
Senate Bill No. 331 - ACT 336
Senate Bill No. 396 - ACT 337
Senate Bill No. 392 - ACT 338

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 15, 2021, I reviewed and approved as to form the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 118, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 127, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 168, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 239, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 338, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO. 383, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 384, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:56 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 118
SENATE BILL NO. 127
SENATE BILL NO. 168
SENATE BILL NO. 179
SENATE BILL NO. 239
SENATE BILL NO. 338
SENATE BILL NO. 383
SENATE BILL NO. 384
RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this fifteenth day of March, 2021 at 9:56 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 182, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 467, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 467 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 295 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR JASON RAPER,
SENATE BILL NO. 513, SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 513 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 351, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 502 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1360, BY REPRESENTATIVE BERRY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1360 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 232, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 525, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1229, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 530
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, B. BALLINGER, L. EADS,
T. GARNER, HESTER, IRVIN, RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE WORKERS’ COMPENSATION LAW THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT NO. 4 OF 1948; TO REVISE THIRD-PARTY LIABILITY IN THE WORKERS’ COMPENSATION LAW; TO MODIFY THE PROCESS FOR REQUESTING A HEARING ON A CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 530 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 531
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL,
L. CHESTERFIELD, B. DAVIS, J. DISMANG, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO,
J. HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, K. INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON,
M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING, M. PITSCH, RAPERT, B. SAMPLE, J. STURCH,
D. SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS
LEGISLATIVE ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY BOOT CAMP; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 531 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY &
LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 532
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING WATER BOTTLE
FILLING STATIONS; TO REQUIRE ALL NEWLY CONSTRUCTED PUBLIC
SCHOOLS AND EXISTING PUBLIC SCHOOLS UNDERGOING ADDITIONS OR
TOTAL RENOVATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR WATER BOTTLE FILLING STATIONS;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 532 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 196 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 196

Amend Senate Bill No. 196 as engrossed, S2/1/21:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 31 and substitute the following:
“SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. This act shall not be construed to have any effect either way on a claim filed before the effective date of this act.”

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "by clearly established law"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 309

Amend Senate Bill No. 309 as engrossed, S3/2/21:

Page 3, delete lines 10 through 28, and substitute the following:
“(A) The following examinations or laboratory tests, or both All

All
examinations, lab tests, or preventive screening tests assigned either a grade of "A" or a grade of "B" by the United States Preventive Services Task Force;

(i) An annual fecal occult blood test utilizing the take-home multiple sample method, or an annual fecal immunochemical test in conjunction with a flexible sigmoidoscopy every five (5) years;

(ii) A double-contrast barium enema every five (5) years; or

(iii) A colonoscopy every ten (10) years; and

(B) Any additional medically recognized screening tests determined by the United States Preventive Services Task Force for colorectal cancer required by the Secretary of the Department of Health, determined in consultation with appropriate healthcare organizations.

AND

Page 5, line 10, delete "policy, as" and substitute "policy following an abnormal noncolonoscopy screening test, as"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 402 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 402

Amend Senate Bill No. 402 as originally introduced:

Add Senators T. Garner, C. Tucker as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representative L. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 204 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 204
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY OF THE BEST PRACTICES FOR REDUCING THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 204 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 204. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 204 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 166 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 166
As Engrossed: S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS TO ATTEND HEARINGS CONCERNING MATTERS HEARD UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 166 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 166. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 166 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 469 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 469

Amend Senate Bill No. 469 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Rapert, Hill as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representative Underwood as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 469 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 250 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 250
As Engrossed: S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 19 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING MOTOR VEHICLE RESTRICTIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 250 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 250. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.

Total ...........................................................................................................1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 250, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.
Total .................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 250 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 305 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 305
As Engrossed: S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS CALDWELL, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE AWARD PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 305 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 305. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Clark, Garner, Hill.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis, Dismang, Gilmore.

Total ........................................................................................... 3
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 305 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 306 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 306
As Engrossed: S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN A MUNICIPALLY OWNED OR MAINTAINED PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 306 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 306. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Flowers.
Total .................................................................2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 306 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 339 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 339
As Engrossed: S3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS TO BE CONSUMED OFF-PREMISES OR DELIVERED TO THE CONSUMER AT A LOCATION OFF-PREMISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 339 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 339. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 19

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Bledsoe, Dismang, Flippo, Flowers, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Rapert, Stubblefield, Teague.

Total .......................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, B. Johnson, Rice, Sturch, Wallace.

Total .......................................................... 5

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 339 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 417 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 417
As Engrossed: S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A PERSON CONVICTED OF AN ANTITRUST VIOLATION OR OTHER UNLAWFUL BUSINESS PRACTICE TO LAWFULLY POSSESS A FIREARM UNDER STATE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 417 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 417. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................33

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Flowers.

Total ..........................................................2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..........................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..........................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Ballinger moved that the following bills be voted in a batch. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 421
SENATE BILL NO. 422
SENATE BILL NO. 423
SENATE BILL NO. 424
SENATE BILL NO. 425
SENATE BILL NO. 426
SENATE BILL NO. 427
SENATE BILL NO. 428
SENATE BILL NO. 429
SENATE BILL NO. 430
SENATE BILL NO. 431
SENATE BILL NO. 432
SENATE BILL NO. 433
SENATE BILL NO. 434
SENATE BILL NO. 435
SENATE BILL NO. 436
SENATE BILL NO. 437
SENATE BILL NO. 438
SENATE BILL NO. 439
SENATE BILL NO. 440
SENATE BILL NO. 441
SENATE BILL NO. 442
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 500 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 500
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE AND RENEWAL OF A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE TO PROMOTE THE BUFFALO RIVER AND SUPPORT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN SEARCY COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 500 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 500. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 500 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, the following bills were voted in a batch. All bills were rolled: Senate Bill No. 421 through Senate Bill No. 442.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 421 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 421
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 1 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING GENERAL PROVISIONS; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 2 OF 1914; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 421 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 421 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 422 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 422
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 2 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 422 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 422 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 423 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 423
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 4 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING BUSINESS AND COMMERCIAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 423 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 423 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 424 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 424
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 5 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE CRIMINAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 424 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...............................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...............................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...............................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...............................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 424 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 425 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 425
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 425 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 425 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 426 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 426
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 426 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 426 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 427 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 427
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 8 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENVIRONMENTAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 427 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 427 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 428 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 9 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING FAMILY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 428 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 428 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 429 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 429
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 10 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 429 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 429 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 430 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 430
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 12 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 430 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 430 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 431 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 431
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 14 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING LOCAL GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 431 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 431 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 432 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 432
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 15 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING NATURAL RESOURCES AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 432 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 432 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 433 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 433
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 16 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PRACTICE, PROCEDURES, AND THE COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 433 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 433 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 434 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 434
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 17 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PROFESSIONS, OCCUPATIONS, AND BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 434 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 434 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 435 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 435
NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 18 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PROPERTY RIGHTS AND INTERESTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 435 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 435 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 436 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 436
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 436 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 436 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 437 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 437
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 21 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 437 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 437 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 438 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 438
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 22 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 438 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 439 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 439
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC UTILITIES AND REGULATED INDUSTRIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 439 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 439 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 440 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 440
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 25 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING STATE GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 440 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 440 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 441 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 441
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 26 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TAXATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 441 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 441 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 442 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 442
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 27 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TRANSPORTATION AND MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 442 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 442 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1140 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1140
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1140 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1140. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ...........................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1140 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1268 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, PAYTON, CHRISTIANSEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE EXEMPTION TO LICENSURE BY THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD FOR CHIROPRACTORS PERFORMING CHIROPRACTIC UPON ANIMALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1268 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1268. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total...............................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total...............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total...............................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total...............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total...............................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1268 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1235 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1235
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TRAFFIC ACCIDENT REPORTS FILED WITH THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1235 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1235. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast..............................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1235 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1318 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE OFFICES OF SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR IN YELL COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1318 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1318. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total .......................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1318 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1332 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1332**  
*As Engrossed: H2/4/21 S2/22/21*  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS; TO AMEND SCHOOL ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND ELECTION NOTICE REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1434 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1434**  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, S. BERRY, ET AL  
BY: SENATORS HILL, B. BALLINGER, B. DAVIS, K. HAMMER, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND DEMENTIA ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO PROVIDE FOR THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE AND DEMENTIA ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A STATE ALZHEIMER'S PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1434 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1434. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1434 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1480 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1480
As Engrossed: H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, MCGREW ET AL
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT SECRETARIES; TO REQUIRE THE SECRETARY OF A CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1480 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1480. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1480 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1527 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PERSONNEL AND SALARIES FOR EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 1527 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1527. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1527 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1544 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1544  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES UNDERWOOD, LUNDSTRUM, ET AL  
BY: SENATOR G. STUBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AFFIRM THE RIGHT OF A MUNICIPALITY TO DECLARE THE MUNICIPALITY A PRO-LIFE CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1544 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................ 29

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Leding, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 1

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Flowers.

Total ......................................................................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ..................................................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1544 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 38 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 38

Amend Senate Bill No. 38 as engrossed, S1/1/21:

On page 4, line 25, delete “38” and substitute “37”
AND
On page 4, line 36, delete “9” and substitute “8”
AND
On page 5, line 1, delete “76” and substitute “75”
AND
On page 5, line 2, delete “157” and substitute “156”
AND
On page 5, line 3, delete “9” and substitute “8”
AND
On page 5, line 4, delete “2” and substitute “1”
AND
On page 5, line 7, delete “62” and substitute “59”
AND
On page 5, line 9, delete “5” and substitute “4”
AND
On page 5, line 12, delete “27” and substitute “25”
AND
On page 5, line 16, delete “34” and substitute “31”
AND
On page 5, line 17, delete “52” and substitute “49” AND
On page 5, line 20, delete “1,185” and substitute “1,167”.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 41 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 41

Amend Senate Bill No. 41 as originally introduced:

On page 2, delete line 30 in its entirety and insert the following:

“(36) M084C BEHAV HLTH AIDE 1 GRADE GS03”

AND

On page 2, line 31, delete “9” and substitute “7”

AND
On page 2, line 32, delete "7" and substitute "6"

AND

On page 2, line 33, delete "107" and substitute "103".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 41 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 45 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 45

Amend Senate Bill No. 45 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 4 through 5 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(8) B103C AGS SPECIALIST 1 GRADE GS04
(9) C087C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST I GRADE GS02"

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "16" and insert "14"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "$910,600" and insert "$858,219"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "$296,264" and insert "$273,432"
Page 3, line 2, delete "$1,559,466" and insert "$1,484,253".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 45 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 56 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 56

Amend Senate Bill No. 56 as originally introduced:

On page 2, line 23, delete "6" and substitute "4"

AND

On page 2, line 24, delete "3" and substitute "2"

AND

On page 2, delete line 25 in its entirety and substitute the following:

“(29) A098C      FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST      1       GRADE-GS04”

AND

On page 2, line 26, delete "7" and substitute "6"

AND

On page 2, delete line 27 in its entirety and substitute the following:
On page 2, line 28, delete "188" and substitute "182".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 56 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 57 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 57

Amend Senate Bill No. 57 as originally introduced:

On page 4, line 26, delete "2" and substitute "29"

AND

On page 5, line 20, delete "2,559" and substitute "2,586".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 57 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 68 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 68
JBC 3-11-2021 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 68 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 5, delete "2" and substitute "1"
AND

Page 3, delete line 15 in its entirety and insert the following:

“(23) A098C FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST 1 GRADE GS04"
AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "25" and substitute "23"
AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "$1,646,510" and substitute "$1,521,448"
AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "$514,475" and substitute "$474,948"
AND

Page 3, line 34, delete "$3,160,985" and substitute "$2,996,396"
AND

Page 4, delete line 21 in its entirety and insert the following:

“(13) G047C ATTORNEY SPECIALIST 1 GRADE GS11"
AND

Page 4, line 28, delete "3" and substitute "2"
AND

Page 4, line 29, delete "18" and substitute "17"
AND
Page 4, line 33, delete "2" and substitute "1"

AND

Page 4, delete line 36 in its entirety and insert the following:

"(28) M066C PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST 1 GRADE GS06"

AND

Page 5, line 1, delete "9" and substitute "7"

AND

Page 5, line 3, delete "14" and substitute "13"

AND

Page 5, line 5, delete "15" and substitute "14"

AND

Page 5, line 8, delete "6" and substitute "4"

AND

Page 5, line 11, delete "8" and substitute "6"

AND

Page 5, line 12, delete "146" and substitute "133"

AND

Page 5, line 34, delete "$4,176,992" and substitute "$3,904,160"

AND

Page 5, line 36, delete "$1,354,534" and substitute "$1,254,064"

AND

Page 6, line 7, delete "$5,995,638" and substitute "$5,622,336"

AND

Page 6, line 19, delete "$1,483,702" and substitute "$1,375,237"

AND

Page 6, line 20, delete "$503,956" and substitute "$462,842"

AND

Page 6, line 28, delete "$3,180,919" and substitute "$3,031,340"
AND
Page 7, line 4, delete "$892,790" and substitute "$824,230"
AND
Page 7, line 6, delete "344,675" and substitute "318,127"
AND
Page 7, line 15, delete " $4,500,187" and substitute " $4,405,079"
AND
Page 7, line 26, delete "$677,529" and substitute "$651,495"
AND
Page 7, line 28, delete "258,612" and substitute "247,232"
AND
Page 7, line 35, delete " $1,444,746" and substitute " $1,407,332".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 68 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 97 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 97 as originally introduced:

On page 2, delete line 8 in its entirety and insert the following:

"(16) C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II ___________1________ GRADE GS03"

AND

On page 2, line 9, delete "18" and substitute "17"

AND

On page 2, line 20, delete "$1,208,142" and substitute "$1,182,108"

AND

On page 2, line 21, delete "375,739" and substitute "364,359"

AND

On page 2, line 28, delete "$1,823,392" and substitute "$1,785,978"

AND

On page 3, delete line 13 in its entirety and insert the following:

"(11) A101C ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN ___________1________ GRADE GS04"

AND

On page 3, line 14, delete "26" and substitute "25"

AND

On page 3, line 34, delete "$536,332" and substitute "$521,809"

AND

On page 3, line 36, delete "185,578" and substitute "176,842"

AND

On page 4, line 7, delete "$843,571" and substitute "$820,312"

AND
On page 4, line 19, delete "$981,223" and substitute "$966,700"

AND

On page 4, line 21, delete "318,624" and substitute "309,888"

AND

On page 4, line 28, delete "$1,443,437" and substitute "$1,420,178".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

 Senate Bill No. 97 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 132 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 132
JBC 03/11/2021 (12)

Amend Senate Bill No. 132 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete SECTION 4 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, line 6, delete "$471,871" and substitute "$522,665"

AND

Page 4, delete line 7 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete "146,117" and substitute "160,339"
AND
Page 4, line 16, delete "\$2,389,367" and substitute "\$2,447,460"
AND
Appropriately renumber the ITEM NO.s in SECTION 5
AND
Page 5, line 13, delete "$48,487" and substitute "$53,335"
AND
Page 5, line 14, delete "16,537" and substitute "19,537"
AND
Page 5, line 23, delete "\$884,524" and substitute "\$892,372"
AND
Appropriately renumber the SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 132 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was withdrawn from the
Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of
Amendment No. 4.
Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as engrossed S3/8/21:

Page 1, line 30, delete "SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE" and substitute "DEPUTY SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE"

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE" and substitute "AGRI LABORATORY DIRECTOR"

AND

Page 4, line 2, delete "5" and substitute "6"

AND

Page 4, line 6, delete "5" and substitute "6"

AND

Page 4, line 28, delete "10" and substitute "11"

AND

Page 5, line 2, delete "96" and substitute "101"

AND

Page 5, line 16, delete "533" and substitute "541"

AND

Page 21, immediately following SECTION 35, insert the following:

"SECTION 36. APPROPRIATION - FERAL HOG ERADICATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Agriculture, to be payable from the Feral Hog Eradication Fund, for expenses associated with the eradication efforts to eliminate feral hogs by the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

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AND
Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the following JOINT BUDGET bills were voted in a batch:

SENATE BILL NO. 345
SENATE BILL NO. 448
SENATE BILL NO. 69
SENATE BILL NO. 156

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 345 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 345
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HIGHER EDUCATION UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 345 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 345, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 345 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 448 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 448
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 448 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 448, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.............................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 448 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 69 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 69
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 69 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 69, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 69 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 156 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 156
As Engrossed: S1/26/21 S2/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATE PARKS AND TOURISM DIVISIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 156 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 156, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 156 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the following bills were voted in a batch.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1551 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1551
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR REAPPORTIONMENT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1551 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1551, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1551 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1552 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1552
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR REAPPORTIONMENT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1552 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1552, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1552 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 469, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 533
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CERTAIN STATE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY SMALL BUSINESS ACT OF 1989; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY BOND GUARANTY ACT OF 1985; TO REPEAL THE VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENT ACT OF 2001; TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 533 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 534
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE QUARTERLY REPORTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REGARDING THE ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 534 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 535  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PERSONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION ACT; TO REGULATE PUBLIC AGENCY INTERACTION WITH A NONPROFIT ENTITY; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION MAINTAINED BY NONPROFIT ENTITIES; TO CREATE A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF PRIVATE INFORMATION OF A NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 535 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 536  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE BUFFALO RIVER CONSERVATION COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 436 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 537
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION OF THE MANDATORY SEAT BELT USE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 537 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 5 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 170 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 225 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 263 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 301 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 379 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 289 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 212 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 289 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 212 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 41, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 57, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 68, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 132, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 41 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 57 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 68 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 132 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 45, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 56, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 97, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1162
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING BENEFICIARY DEEDS; TO PROHIBIT THE RECOVERY OF BENEFITS AGAINST AN INTEREST ACQUIRED FROM A DECEASED RECIPIENT BY A GRANTEE OF A BENEFICIARY DEED IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1162 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 1291 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1310 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING SOLITARY CONFINEMENT OR RESTRICTIVE HOUSING FOR PREGNANT OR RECENTLY PREGNANT INMATES OR DETAINES IN THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION, IN A LOCAL OR REGIONAL DETENTION FACILITY, OR IN A JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1470 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BUSINESS LIABILITY FOR A PERSON EXPOSED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1487 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VICTIM IMPACT PANEL ATTENDANCE REQUIRED FOR PERSONS WHO COMMIT ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1511 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1540
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS; TO AMEND TIMING REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING THE ELECTION OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS THAT HAVE TEN PERCENT OR GREATER MINORITY POPULATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1540 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1541
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE LOCAL CONTRIBUTION RATE OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES’ HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A LOCAL CONTRIBUTION RATE TO A PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE’S HEALTH INSURANCE SHALL INCREASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1541 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1548
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PERSONAL CARE MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT ACT; TO ENSURE AN APPROPRIATE REIMBURSEMENT RATE FOR PERSONAL CARE SERVICES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1548 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1550
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF DISTRICT COURT JUDGES AND PERSONNEL FOR CERTAIN DISTRICT COURTS; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1550 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1561
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "TARGET GROUP" AS IT APPLIES TO COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1561 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF VIDEO VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1586 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1587
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING HABITUAL OFFENDERS; REQUIRING A PERSON CONVICTED AS A HABITUAL OFFENDER TO SERVE A PERIOD OF TIME IN PRISON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1587 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1622 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL NOTICE AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE IN ALL QUI TAM LAWSUITS INVOLVING STATE FUNDS BROUGHT UNDER THE FEDERAL FALSE CLAIMS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1623 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT THE UNIFORM CIVIL REMEDIES FOR UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF INTIMATE IMAGES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1645 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE OFFICIAL STEAM LOCOMOTIVE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1657 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A SPECIAL PERMIT BY THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO TRANSPORT FORESTRY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1674 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

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March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 235, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 349, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 389, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
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March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Education, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 394, by Senator Missy Irvin,
Senate Bill No. 407, by Senator Missy Irvin,
Senate Bill No. 502, by Senator Missy Irvin,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Joyce Elliott, Vice-Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
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March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Education, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1389, by Representative Bragg,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Missy Irvin, Chairman
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO.  69
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HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1140
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1551
HOUSE BILL NO. 1552
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 5
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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 212 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 289 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1162
HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
HOUSE BILL NO. 1310
HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
HOUSE BILL NO. 1487
HOUSE BILL NO. 1511
HOUSE BILL NO. 1540
HOUSE BILL NO. 1541
HOUSE BILL NO. 1548
HOUSE BILL NO. 1550
HOUSE BILL NO. 1561
HOUSE BILL NO. 1586
HOUSE BILL NO. 1587
HOUSE BILL NO. 1622
HOUSE BILL NO. 1623
HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
HOUSE BILL NO. 1657
HOUSE BILL NO. 1674
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 16, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
March 16, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:05 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Gilmore.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 140 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2. Withdraw Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 140

Amend Senate Bill No. 140 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Scott, L. Johnson as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 28 and 29, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-18-516(a), concerning the definition of "exclusionary disciplinary actions", is amended to read as follows:
(a) As used in this section, "exclusionary disciplinary actions" means out-of-school suspension and expulsion of a student who attends public school on-site, through virtual means, or any combination of both.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 18, Subchapter 5, is amended to add additional sections to read as follows:

AND

Page 2, delete lines 12 through 32, and substitute the following:
"requirement that a public school administrator or his or her designee request and review information related to any adverse childhood experiences that may have manifested in the behavior exhibited by the public school student before the placement of the public school student in an alternative learning environment or the implementation of an exclusionary disciplinary action, as defined in § 6-18-516, that would exceed ten (10) consecutive days or ten (10) cumulative days out of school within one (1) school year.
(2) Information requested and reviewed under subdivision (b)(1) of this section may be obtained from:
(A) The parent, guardian, or person standing in loco parentis of the public school student;
(B) The public school student, if appropriate;
(C) Records maintained by or available to the public school;
(D) Public school district employees, including without limitation the public school district:
(i) Liaison for students who are in foster care;
(ii) Liaison for students who are homeless;
(iii) A counselor;
(iv) A nurse; or
(v) A social worker; and
(E)(i) An employee of the Department of Human Services if the public school student is or has been the subject of a current or former case overseen by the department.

(ii) An employee of the department shall provide, upon request of a public school, information relevant to the public school's review of adverse childhood experiences related to behavior that violates the public school's code of conduct.

(c)(1) If an adverse childhood experience is determined to have a direct and substantial relationship to the behavior of the public school student, appropriate behavioral supports shall be implemented.

(2) A determination that a public school student has experienced an adverse childhood experience does not prohibit a public school from imposing disciplinary action.

(B) However, an adverse childhood experience shall be considered in determining whether disciplinary action is appropriate and what disciplinary action would be implemented.

(3) Placement in an alternative learning environment as described in § 6-48-101 et seq. and other alternative restorative practices shall be considered before expelling a public school student who has experienced an adverse childhood experience that may have manifested into significant behaviors exhibited by the public school student.

(d) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit implementing disciplinary action consistent with § 6-18-507.

(e) The State Board of Education may promulgate rules necessary for the implementation of this section.


(a) Each public school district shall implement positive behavioral supports that shall be used at the:

(1) Prevention level for each public school student in the public school;

(2) Strategic intervention level for a public school student who is not responding, from a social, emotional, or behavioral perspective, to the prevention level; and

(3) Intensive service or crisis-management level for a public school student who needs multifaceted or comprehensive behavioral or mental health services.

(b) Positive behavioral supports implemented by a public school district shall include the following:

(1) The teaching and reinforcing of interpersonal, social, problem-solving, conflict resolution, and coping skills to a public school student;

(2) Holding a public school student positively accountable for meeting an established behavioral expectation;

(3) Maintaining a high level of consistency through the implementation process; and

(4) The following interrelated activities:

(A) Providing a school-wide approach to the discipline and safety of each public school student rather than an approach to only the behavior problem of a public school student;

(B) Focusing on preventing the development and occurrence of problem behavior;

(C) Regularly reviewing behavior data to adapt the procedures of a public school to meet the needs of every public school student; and

(D) Providing a multitierecl approach to academic and behavioral services and support to meet the academic and behavioral achievement needs of each public school student.
(c) A positive behavioral support system and conflict resolution or de-
escalation approach implemented by a public school district shall be based on the
following principles:
(1) A public school should promote the right of a public school student
to be treated with dignity;
(2) A public school student should receive necessary academic,
social, emotional, and behavioral support that is provided in a safe and least-
restrictive environment possible;
(3) Positive and appropriate academic, social, emotional, or behavioral
intervention, as well as mental health support, should be provided routinely to each
public school student who needs the intervention or support;
(4) Public school personnel should be trained to provide routinely
positive and appropriate academic, social, emotional, or behavioral intervention, as
well as mental health support, to each public school student who needs intervention
or support;
(5) Behavioral intervention should emphasize prevention and should
be part of a public school's system of positive behavioral supports;
(6) A public school should have the public school personnel necessary
to effectively provide positive support to each public school student;
(7) A public school should appropriately train its public school
personnel to be able to address the needs of each public school student;
(8) All public school personnel should receive mandatory training in:
   (A) The use of positive behavioral support for public school
student behavior;
   (B) Preventative techniques for teaching and motivating pro-
social public school student behavior; and
   (C) Conflict de-escalation and resolution techniques, which
should be employed by all public school personnel to prevent, defuse, evaluate, and
debrief a crisis and conflict situation; and
(9) Each public school student who exhibits an ongoing behavior that
interferes with his or her learning or the learning of others, and who is nonresponsive
to effectively implemented classroom or administrative intervention, should receive
additional intensive behavioral intervention that is based on a functional behavior
assessment and data-based problem solving.
(d)(1) A public school shall establish a problem-solving and intervention team
for each public school student who exhibits social, emotional, or behavioral difficulty
that may, if not addressed, escalate to potentially dangerous behavior.
(2) A problem-solving and intervention team established under
subdivision (d)(1) of this section shall include without limitation a team member who
is an academic and behavioral assessment and intervention professional.
(3) A problem-solving and intervention team shall:
   (A) Work with the public school teachers of a public school
student to complete:
      (i) A functional behavior assessment of the public school
student; and
      (ii) An assessment of any problematic situations
involving the public school student; and
   (B) Consider the need for a behavior intervention plan with the
goal of:
      (i) Preventing or resolving the social, emotional, or
behavioral difficulty of the public school student; and
      (ii) Developing a response that will de-escalate and
stabilize a potential emergency situation that approaches a dangerous level.
(4) If a public school student is suspected of having a disability that
relates to behavioral concerns, the public school shall follow public school district,
state, and federal special education procedures.
(e) The State Board of Education may promulgate rules necessary for the implementation of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 234 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 234

Amend Senate Bill No. 234 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Cooper, Crawford, Watson, and Wing as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 234 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 346

Amend Senate Bill No. 346 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Add Representatives Wooten, Vaught as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 4, line 6, delete "charge, unless the requestor or the" and substitute "charge;
(i) Except for the cost of reproduction of the media; or
(ii) Unless the requestor or the"

AND

Page 4, line 9, delete "hours to" and substitute "hours of personnel or equipment time to"

AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "hours to" and substitute "hours of personnel or equipment time to"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 474 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 474

Amend Senate Bill No. 474 as originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Ballinger, Bledsoe, L. Chesterfield, Elliott, Flippo, Gilmore, B. Johnson, M. Johnson as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Beaty Jr., S. Berry, Brown, Cloud, Furman, Jean, McCollum, Richmond, Scott, Wardlaw as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 474 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 521 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 521

Amend Senate Bill No. 521 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 26, and substitute the following:
"20-7-141. Continuous glucose monitor — Definition.
(a) As used in this section, "continuous glucose monitor" means an instrument or device."

AND

Page 1, line 28, delete "(A)" and substitute "(1)"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "(B)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "(C)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 35, and substitute the following: "been diagnosed with diabetes."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 and 6, and substitute the following:
"(A) The use of insulin more than two (2) times daily; (B) Evidence of Level 2 or Level 3 hypoglycemia; or (C) Diagnosis of glycogen storage disease type 1a; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 521 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1021 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1021

Amend House Bill No. 1021 as engrossed, S3/4/21:

Page 1, line 32, delete "thirty-six (36)" and substitute "twenty-four (24)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 4, and substitute the following:
"($30,000) if the applicant completed his or her undergraduate education within twenty-four (24) months or fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) if the applicant completed his or her undergraduate education within thirty-six (36) months to be applied towards the completion of his or her studies leading"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "thirty-six (36)" and substitute "twenty-four (24)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1021 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1177 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE, & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1177

Amend House Bill No. 1177 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 30, delete "services by healthcare professional teams" and substitute "services in nonemergency situations or in situations that do not require immediate action by healthcare professional teams"

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "regional" and substitute "local"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "entity, including" and substitute "entity, which may include or be"

AND

Page 3, delete line 13, and substitute the following:

"(2) Local emergency medical services entities, which may include or be"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WALLACE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1177 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1321 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1321

Amend House Bill No. 1321 as engrossed, H3/8/21:

Delete SECTION 1 in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-38-101, concerning definitions used with respect to damage or property destruction offenses, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(6) "Critical infrastructure" means any of the following facilities that are either completely enclosed by a fence or other physical barrier that is designed to exclude persons without permission to be in the facility or otherwise is clearly marked with signs that are reasonably likely to be seen by another person that indicate entry or unauthorized access is forbidden without facility authorization:

(A) A chemical or rubber manufacturing facility;
(B) A water intake structure, water treatment facility, wastewater facility, drainage facility, water management facility, or any similar water or sewage treatment system and the water or sewage treatment system's piping;
(C) A food processing or manufacturing facility;
(D) A natural gas company facility or interstate natural gas pipeline, including without limitation:
   (i) A pipeline interconnection;
   (ii) A natural gas compressor station and associated facility;
   (iii) A city gate or town border station;
   (iv) A metering station;
   (v) Aboveground piping;
   (vi) A regulator station;
   (vii) A valve site;
   (viii) A delivery station; and
   (ix) Fabricated assembly and any part of a natural gas storage facility involved in the gathering, storage, transmission, or distribution of gas;
(E) A port, trucking terminal, or other freight transportation facility;
(F) A gas processing plant, including a gas processing plant used in the processing, treatment, or fractionation of natural gas or natural gas liquids;
(H) A crude oil or refined products storage and distribution facility, including without limitation:
   (i) A valve site;
   (ii) A pipeline interconnection;
   (iii) A pump station;"
(iv) A metering station;
(v) A belowground or aboveground pipeline or piping;
(vi) A truck loading or off-loading facility; and
(vii) An aboveground portion of a well, well pad, or production operation;
(I) A laydown area or construction site for pipe and other equipment intended for use on an interstate or intrastate natural gas or crude oil pipeline;
(J) A portion of an oil, gas, hazardous liquid, or chemical pipeline, tank, or other storage facility that is aboveground;
(K) A video service network and broadband infrastructure, including without limitation:
    (i) Associated buildings and facilities;
    (ii) Video service headends, towers, utility poles, and utility lines; and
    (iii) Fiber optic lines;
(L) A mining operation, including any processing equipment, batching operation, or support facility for that mining operation;
(M) A facility installed in a public right-of-way on a utility pole or in a conduit that is aboveground and concerns a video service network or broadband or wireless telecommunications infrastructure;
(N) Railroad property; and
(O) Property owned by and considered an electronic asset of any of the following:
    (i) An electric utility;
    (ii) An electric cooperative;
    (iii) A municipal electric utility;
    (iv) A natural gas company that is a public utility;
    (v) A telephone company that is a public utility; or
    (vi) A video service provider, including a cable operator;
and
(7) "Electronic asset" means:
(A) The hardware, software, and data of a programmable electronic device;
(B) All communications, operations, and customer data networks; and
(C) The contents of customer data networks."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1321 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1548 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1548

Amend House Bill No. 1548 as engrossed, H3/11/21:

Add Senator K. Hammer as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1548 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO.  5, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 170, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 301, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we
find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:45 a.m. delivered them to the
Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO.  5
SENATE BILL NO. 170
SENATE BILL NO. 225
SENATE BILL NO. 263
SENATE BILL NO. 301
SENATE BILL NO. 379
SENATE BILL NO. 380

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this sixteenth day of
March, 2021 at 9:45 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 234, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 234 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 474, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 474 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 521, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 521 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:
HOUSE BILL NO. 1021, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1021 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1177 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1321, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1321 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1548, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAM

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1548 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 473, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1448, BY REPRESENTATIVE HUDSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1638, BY REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1656, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1593, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1134, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1135, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1198, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1258, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass an amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1355, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 538
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PUBLIC HOUSE PERMIT FOR THE ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 538 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 539
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF WAGES; TO ESTABLISH PARAMETERS REGARDING THE RECOUPMENT OF OVERPAYMENTS BY EMPLOYERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 539 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 540
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT; TO SPECIFY TERMS REGARDING TERMINATION AND BUYOUT AGREEMENTS THAT A CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT SHALL INCLUDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 540 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 541
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING SIGNS DESIGNATING THE BIRTHPLACE OF THE BOWIE KNIFE,
ARKANSAS HERITAGE SITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 541 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 542
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 542 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY &
LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 543
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, M. HODGES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR WASTE REDUCTION, REUSE, OR RECYCLING EQUIPMENT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “QUALIFIED SPECIALTY STEEL PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING FACILITY”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 543 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 544
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RICE, G. STUBBLEFIELD, FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING A PERSON IN THE CUSTODY OF A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY TO USE FUNDS FROM FEDERAL RELIEF OR STIMULUS PROGRAMS TO FIRST PAY OUTSTANDING FINES, FEES, COSTS, OR RESTITUTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 544 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 196 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 196
As Engrossed: S2/1/21 S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO AMEND THE AWARDING OF ATTORNEYS FEES UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 196 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 196. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 232 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 232
As Engrossed: S3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATORY CONTRIBUTORY MEMBER DESIGNATION FOR EMPLOYEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 232 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 232. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 232, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast..............................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 232 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 235 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 235
As Engrossed: S2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ALTERNATE RETIREMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 235 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 235. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 235 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 309
As Engrossed: S3/2/21 S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, L. EADS,
ELLIOTT, J. ENGLISH, TEAGUE, C. TUCKER, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, F. ALLEN, ET AL

A bill for an Act to be entitled: AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR COVERAGE FOR COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 309. Motion carried.

Senator Eads spoke for the bill.
Senator Stubblefield spoke for the bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Chesterfield requested leave for Senator Flowers. Leave granted.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 349 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 349
As Engrossed: S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRACTICES, INTERVENTIONS, AND CURRICULUM THAT ARE BASED ON THE SCIENCE OF READING; TO ADJUST FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT OFFER CERTAIN TYPES OF READING PRACTICES, INTERVENTIONS, AND CURRICULUM THAT ARE NOT ALIGNED WITH THE SCIENCE OF READING; TO CREATE THE EDUCATION OMBUDSMAN WITHIN THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 349 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 349. Motion carried.

Senator M. Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 86 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 86 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 389 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 389
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, GONZALES, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A PUBLIC SCHOOL PROVIDE TO PARENTS AND LEGAL GUARDIANS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS PRIOR WRITTEN NOTIFICATION OF AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO INSPECT MATERIALS RELATED TO SEX EDUCATION, SEXUAL ORIENTATION, AND GENDER IDENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 389 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 389. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 29

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 5

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 394 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 394
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE 2015 SCHOOL SAFETY ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CENTER FOR SCHOOL SAFETY OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE ADVISORY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 394 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 394. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ....................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ..............................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ....................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 394 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 402 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 402
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, K. INGRAM, T. GARNER, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS TRUST FUND ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 402 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 402. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 407 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 407
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, COZART, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION ADOPT A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING GOVERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS AND CERTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES COMPLETE SPECIALIZED TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 407 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott spoke on the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke on the bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 29

NEGATIVE: Davis.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Ballinger, Beckham, Garner, B. Johnson.
Total ................................................................. 4
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 407 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 469 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 469
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, FLIPPO, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN, RAPERT, HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, BARKER, BEATY JR., BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CARR, CAVENAUGH, C. COOPER, COZART, DOTSON, EVANS, GONZALES, M. GRAY, HAAK, HOLLOWELL, LOWERY, LUNDSTRUM, MCCOLLUM, MCNAIR, MILLER, MILLIGAN, PAYTON, RAY, RICHMOND, B. SMITH, SPEAKS, WARDLAW, WING, WOMACK, UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS TO REVIEW PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ALLOW THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO REVIEW PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ADDRESS IMPLEMENTATION OF A PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER UNDER REVIEW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 469 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Teague.

Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 469 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 490 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 490
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CODE OF ETHICS FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING HOLDING OFFICE IF CONVICTED OF A PUBLIC TRUST CRIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 490 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 490. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 490 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 502 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 502
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS; TO AMEND THE TYPES OF STUDENTS FOR WHICH A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL NOT IMPOSE OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSIONS AND EXPULSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 502 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 502. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 502 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 525 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 525
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. SAMPLE, CALDWELL, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CORPORATE FRANCHISE TAX ACT OF 1979; TO REVERSE CHANGES MADE UNDER ACT 819 OF 2019 AND RETURN THE ADMINISTRATION AND COLLECTION OF THE FRANCHISE TAX TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 525 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 525. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 525, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................................34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 525 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this letter as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of Ethics and to comply with full disclosure. Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06-3 (a,b,c) the following disclosure is provided:

House Bill 1229 of 2021
I work for Rylwell, LLC, a company that has historically bought and sold tax delinquent property from the Commissioner of State Lands. This bill alters the purchasing methods for tax delinquent property. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Jonathan Dismang
State Senator
District 28
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1229 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1229
As Engrossed: H1/26/21  S3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURE BY WHICH THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS SELLS TAX-DELINQUENT LAND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1229 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1229. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.
Total ........................................................................................... 1
There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1229, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast................................................................34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1229 was ordered returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1332 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1332
As Engrossed: H2/4/21 S2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS; TO AMEND SCHOOL ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND ELECTION NOTICE REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1332 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1332. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1332 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1389 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1389
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRAGG
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS FORESTERS FOR THE FUTURE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1389 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1389. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1389 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1433 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ENHANCED TRANSPORTATION FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1433 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1433. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1433, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


  Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

  Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

  Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.

  Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

  Total ......................................................................................... 0

  Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
  Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1433 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sturch, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 72 for further consideration.

March 16, 2021

The Honorable Sheri Stacks
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Stacks:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 72.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, Director
Secretary of the Senate
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A GRANT PROGRAM FOR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES DESIGNED TO ENCOURAGE TRAINING IN AND AWARENESS OF FEDERAL IMMIGRATION ASSISTANCE AND ENFORCEMENT; TO CREATE THE IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT TRAINING GRANT PROGRAM FUND; TO CREATE A TAX ON CERTAIN ELECTRONIC MONEY TRANSFERS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FUNDS GENERATED BY THE TAX ON CERTAIN MONEY TRANSFERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 545 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIRECT SHIPMENT OF VINOUS LIQUOR ACT; TO ESTABLISH A WINE DIRECT SHIPPER PERMIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 546 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 547
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO REGULATE A DIRECT SELLER AS AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 547 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 548
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW FOR CONSISTENCY IN OPERATIONS OF A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT IN AN INCORPORATED TOWN OR A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 548 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 549
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROVISIONAL BALLOTS AND REJECTED BALLOTS; TO REQUIRE PROVISIONAL BALLOT AND REJECTED BALLOT REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 549 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 550
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEE CHARGED FOR A PHONE CALL BY AN INMATE IN A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 550 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 551
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNFAIR CIGARETTE SALES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 551 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREAUX, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT TAXPAYER RESOURCE TRANSACTIONS FOR ABORTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1589 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Senate Bill No. 382 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 411 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 290 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

SENATE BILL NO. 552
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCULLOUGH, SCOTT, C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 552 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE F. ALLEN
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE MONTH OF MARCH AS NATIONAL COLORECTAL CANCER AWARENESS MONTH.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1136
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CLOUD, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE HEPATITIS C SCREENING DURING PREGNANCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1136 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1275
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT AS IT RELATES TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF MONTHLY BENEFITS; CONCERNING THE DEFINITIONS OF "ALTERNATE RETIREMENT PLAN" AND "ALTERNATIVE RETIREMENT PLAN"; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1275 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, ET AL
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONTINUE CARE FOR THE PROTECTION OF CANCER SURVIVORS; CONCERNING COVERAGE FOR POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY UNDER A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN TO SCREEN FOR OR DIAGNOSIS CANCER IN CERTAIN PATIENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1357 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ABORTION-INDUCING DRUGS SAFETY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1402 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE BASIC LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ADOPT AN APPROVED BILINGUAL PROGRAM OR DUAL-IMMERSION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1451 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WORKFORCE FREEDOM ACT OF 2021; TO ELIMINATE DUPLICATIVE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS AT THE LOCAL LEVEL; TO INCREASE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORKERS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1460 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1497
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT EXPANDING THE PERMITTED USE OF A CERTIFIED FACILITY DOG FOR VULNERABLE WITNESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1497 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1594
As Engrossed: H3/3/21  H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, GODFREY, HAAK, HAWKS, L. JOHNSON, MADDOX
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, HESTER, J. STURCH, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING TEACHING LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1594 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1601
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE MINIMUM REQUIRED NONFORFEITURE RATE FOR INDIVIDUAL DEFERRED ANNUITIES UNDER THE STANDARD NONFORFEITURE LAW FOR INDIVIDUAL DEFERRED ANNUITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1601 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
House Bill No. 1627 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

House Bill No. 1634 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1660
As Engrossed: H3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO CLARIFY THAT DECISIONS OF A MUNICIPAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT ARE APPEALED TO CIRCUIT COURT UNLESS THE GOVERNING BODY OF A MUNICIPALITY PROVIDES BY ORDINANCE THAT THE GOVERNING BODY SHALL HEAR APPEALS FIRST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1660 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1666
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN LAWS PERTAINING TO ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1666 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1690
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF HIGHWAY TURNBACK FUNDS BY A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1690 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1691
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SEX OFFENDER ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1691 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, A. CLARK, BECKHAM

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER DOUG HARLAN AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 553
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, K. HAMMER, HILL, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, BECK, COZART, LOWERY, RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS STATE CAPITOL AND HISTORICAL MONUMENT PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 553 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 554  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; TO AUTHORIZE BEER WHOLESALERS TO DISTRIBUTE CERTAIN READY-TO-DRINK PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 554 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 555  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OR STORAGE OF A PERSON'S FIREARM WHEN A PERSON LEAVES HIS OR HER FIREARM INSIDE OF HIS OR HER CAR IN HIS OR HER EMPLOYER'S PARKING LOT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 556
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ELECTION INTEGRITY ACT OF 2021; AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO CREATE A PROCESS FOR THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TO CONDUCT AN ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 556 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 557
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF MEMBERS OF A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF COUNTY EMPLOYEES DESIGNATED AS ELECTION OFFICIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 557 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 381, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 446, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 470, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 511, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1662, BY REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 30, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 493, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 496, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1522, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1568, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
93rd General Assembly
2021

SENATE DISCLOSURE REPORT

Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06, we, your Committee on State Agencies & Governmental Affairs hereby report receipt of the attached disclosure form from Senator Jason Rapert on March 16, 2021 regarding House Bill No. 1654.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Jason Rapert, Chairman

March 16, 2021
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 16, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on State Agencies & Governmental Affairs, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1654, by Representative Dotson

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Jason Rapert, Chairman

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Senate Bills Transmitted to the House
As Passed

Senate Bill No. 196
Senate Bill No. 232
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AS PASSED

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SENATE BILL NO. 382
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AS PASSED AS AMENDED

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1691

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 17, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Ballinger.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 298 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 298

Amend Senate Bill No. 298 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete lines 16 through 25, and substitute the following:
"(2) The penalty for violating this subsection is a fine of five hundred dollars ($500) for each offense."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 30 through 36

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:
"(2) The penalty for violating this subsection is a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) nor more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) for each offense."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 28 through 36

AND

Page 8, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"(2) The penalty for violating this subsection is a fine of five hundred dollars ($500) for each offense."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 6 through 14, and substitute the following:
"(2) The penalty for violating the rights described under subsection (a) of this section is a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500) nor more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) for each offense."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 376 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 376

Amend Senate Bill No. 376 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 10, and substitute the following:

"(a)(1)(A) If a person has reasonable cause to believe that he or she has been unlawfully denied medical care while he or she is being or has been held in custody, the person may bring a civil action in the circuit court with jurisdiction or, subject to the laws governing the federal judiciary, in a United States District Court to obtain appropriate equitable and declaratory relief.

(B) If authorized by the Arkansas Constitution, sovereign immunity is not a bar to an action under this section.

(2) The Prosecutor Coordinator shall establish a method that permits a person with knowledge about the denial of medical care to a person in custody to submit an anonymous and confidential complaint or report of that knowledge."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 376 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 409 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 409

Amend Senate Bill No. 409 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 23, immediately following "statewide" insert the following:
"in-school, summer, and".

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 409 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 532 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 532

Amend Senate Bill No. 532 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Deffenbaugh, Evans as cosponsors of the bill

AND
Page 2, delete lines 13 and 14, and substitute the following:
"(c)(1) The Division of Public School Academic Facilities and"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "Transportation." and substitute "Transportation"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 35, and substitute the following:
"(2) Be regularly cleaned to maintain sanitary conditions;
(3) Be maintained on a regular basis to ensure proper functioning; and
(4) Meet Arkansas Plumbing Code standards, which incorporate National Sanitation Foundation Standard 61 as established by the Safe Drinking Water Act, 42 U.S.C. § 300f, as existing on January 1, 2021."

AND

Page 3, delete line 22, and substitute the following: "systems that are determined by the division"

AND

Page 3, line 23, delete "Education"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 532 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 547 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 547 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Ray as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 547 was ordered engrossed.

March 17, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 382, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 411, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8, BY
SENATOR JASON RAPERT
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:06 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 382
SENATE BILL NO. 411
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this seventeenth day of March, 2021 at 10:06 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 298, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 376, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 376 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 409, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 409 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 532, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 532 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 547, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 547 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 218, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 474, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 494, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Senator Alan Clark, Chairman

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004, BY REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1114, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW
HOUSE BILL NO. 1204, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH
HOUSE BILL NO. 1276, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1424, BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1449, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1470, BY REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1550, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1604, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1645, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
HOUSE BILL NO. 1437, BY REPRESENTATIVE COLLINS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 28 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 28 was withdrawn by the author.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was called up for third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE F. ALLEN
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE MONTH OF MARCH AS NATIONAL COLORECTAL CANCER AWARENESS MONTH.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was read third reading and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was returned to the House as concurred in.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Resolution No. 7 was called up for third reading.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE RESOLUTION TO URGE THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, PUBLICLY FUNDED AGENCIES, ORGANIZATIONS, AND THEIR EMPLOYEES TO PROTECT THE WELFARE OF CHILDREN BY KEEPING THIS PROMISE TO ARKANSAS’S CHILDREN.

Senate Resolution No. 7 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 152 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 152

Amend Senate Bill No. 152 as engrossed, S2/23/21:

Page 6, delete lines 3 through 6, and substitute the following:

“(b)(1) Physician assistants shall be considered the agents of their supervising physicians in the performance of all practice-related activities, including, but not limited to, the ordering of diagnostic, therapeutic, and other medical services.

(2) A physician assistant may provide medical services”

AND

Delete SECTION 12 in its entirety, and substitute the following:

“SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 17-105-111 is amended to read as follows:
17-105-111. Notification of intent to practice.
(a) Before initiating practice, a physician assistant licensed in this state must
submit on forms approved by the Arkansas State Medical Board notification of such an intent. The notification shall include:

(1) The name, business address, email address, and telephone number of the supervising physician; and

(2) The name, business address, and telephone number of the physician assistant.

(b) A physician assistant shall notify the board Arkansas State Medical Board of any changes or additions in supervising physicians within ten (10) calendar days.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 152 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 295 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 295

Amend Senate Bill No. 295 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Page 7, delete line 31, and substitute the following:

"Services for purposes under §§ 20-76-215 and 20-77-2104.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 26-18-303(b), concerning confidential and privileged records and exceptions, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(26) Disclosure to the Department of Human Services as required by § 20-76-215(c) or § 20-77-2104(c) to determine whether a change in circumstances has occurred that would affect the eligibility of an applicant for benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program or the Arkansas Medicaid Program."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 295 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 473 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 473

Amend Senate Bill No. 473 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 21 through 28, and substitute the following:

“(a)(1) Application for a permit to operate as a state park restaurant private club may be made to the:
(A) Governing body of the county in which the state park is located; and
(B) Secretary of the Department of Parks, Heritage, and Tourism.

(2) If the application for a permit to operate as a state park restaurant private club under subdivision (a)(1) of this section is approved by both the governing body of the county by ordinance and by the secretary, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division may issue a permit to operate as a state park restaurant private club to the applicant for the proposed location.”

AND

Immediately following SECTION 4, add an additional section to read as follows:

“SECTION 5. DO NOT CODIFY.
An existing private club permit holder located on property classified as a state park that holds a private club permit as of the effective date of this act:
(1) Is not required to separately apply for a state park restaurant private club permit; and
(2) May be transferred to a state park restaurant private club permit by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 473 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 496 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 496

Amend Senate Bill No. 496 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 24, and substitute the following:
"county board of election commissioners held not later than seventy-two (72) days before the annual school election:

(1) The deadline to conduct the ballot draw for the preferential primary or general election for an annual school election held in even-numbered years;
(2) The seventh day of March for an annual school election held on the second Tuesday in May of an odd-numbered year; and
(3) Seventy-two (72) days before an annual school election held on the second Tuesday of November of an odd-numbered year."

AND

Page 6, line 5, delete "general primary election" and substitute "preferential primary election"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 10 through 27, and substitute the following:

"(D) An emergency special election may be held on the second Tuesday of any month, other than the month following a preferential primary election or general election, when two-thirds (2/3) of all the members elected to the governing entity have determined that:

(i) An event has occurred that constitutes a substantial change in circumstances; and

(ii) A delay of the emergency special election until the next date under this section, would cause a substantial and undue hardship to the governing entity or a threat to the public peace, health, and safety.

(E)(i) A qualified elector for an emergency special election may file an action in the circuit court of the county in which the document calling for the emergency special election is filed to ask the court to determine if circumstances exist that permit the governing entity to call an emergency special election under subdivision (a)(1)(D) of this section."
(ii) If the court determines circumstances do not exist that permit the governing entity to call an emergency special election:

(a) The emergency special election shall not occur; or

(b) If the emergency special election has already occurred, any measure approved in the emergency special election shall be void.

(iii) A challenge filed under subdivision (a)(1)(E)(i) of this section may not be filed more than thirty (30) days from the date the document calling for the special election being challenged is filed with the county clerk."

AND

Page 15, delete line 20, and substitute the following:
"the order be on the next special election date under § 7-11-205.

SECTION 41. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 496 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

Amend House Bill No. 1063 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Delete Representative Pilkington as a cosponsor of the bill

AND
Add Representatives Dotson, Pilkington as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1254 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1254

Amend House Bill No. 1254 as engrossed, H2/24/21:

Add Senator K. Hammer as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete “manager.” and substitute “manager, except as provided under subdivision (a)(3) of this section.”

AND

Page 2, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
“licensure of an advanced practice registered nurse.
(3) Purposes under subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not include owning a patient-centered medical home.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1254 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1355 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1355

Amend House Bill No. 1355 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 1, delete “Division of Career and Technical Education” and substitute "commission"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "division" and substitute "commission"

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete "division" and substitute "commission"

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "division" and substitute "commission"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "§ 23-112-103(b)(23)" and substitute "§ 23-112-103(23)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 18, and substitute the following:
"motor vehicle under this chapter;

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 23, Chapter 112, Subchapter 2, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:
23–112–205. Automotive Technologist Education Grant Program.
(a) The Automotive Technologist Education Grant Program is established within the Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission.
(b)(1) The commission shall use the Automotive Technologist Education Grant Program to provide discretionary grants to career education programs with a focus on training in the automotive technology field.
(2) A discretionary grant provided under subdivision (b) (1) of this section shall be known as an "Automotive Technologist Education Grant".
(c) An educational program is eligible for an Automotive Technologist Education Grant if:
(1) The educational program is an approved technical program that provides training in the field of automotive repair and technology and operates at a public school, a secondary technical center, or an institution of higher education;
(2) The educational program submits an application for an Automotive Technologist Education Grant;
(3) The use and purpose of the Automotive Technologist Education Grant;
Grant is detailed in the application; and

(4) The amount of funding needed is provided in the application.

(d) Grants provided under this section are contingent on the availability of funding.

(e) The Office of Skills Development, the Division of Career and Technical Education, and the Division of Higher Education shall jointly create an application form for an Automotive Technologist Education Grant.

(f) The Office of Skills Development, the Division of Career and Technical Education, and the Division of Higher Education shall jointly review and make recommendations on applications for an Automotive Technologist Education Grant to the commission for approval.

(g) The amount of an Automotive Technologist Education Grant may vary among applicants based on available funding and grant priorities.

(h) The commission shall disburse an Automotive Technologist Education Grant directly to the approved applicant within thirty (30) days of approval.

(i) The commission shall award Automotive Technologist Education Grants under this subchapter.

(j) An educational program that receives an Automotive Technologist Education Grant shall provide the commission an accounting report of how an Automotive Technologist Education Grant is spent within one (1) year of receipt of the Automotive Technologist Education Grant.

(k)(1) Annually, the commission shall file a written report with the Legislative Council based on information provided to the commission from the Office of Skills Development, the Division of Career and Technical Education, and the Division of Higher Education.

(2) The report under subdivision (k)(1) of this section shall include:

(A) The number of applications received;
(B) The amount of funding that was received;
(C) The amount of funding that was awarded; and
(D) Any other information requested by the Legislative Council.”

AND

Page 12, delete lines 21 through 36

AND

Page 13, delete lines 1 through 25

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1355 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1593 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1593

Amend House Bill No. 1593 as originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Ballinger, Hester as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete line 13, and substitute the following:
"good cause shown and not for an arbitrary or capricious reason.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-15-202(d), concerning a person's eligibility to carry a concealed handgun, is amended to read as follows:
(d) Any certified law enforcement officer, or retired law enforcement officer, prosecuting attorney, deputy prosecuting attorney designated by the prosecuting attorney, retired prosecuting attorney, or retired deputy prosecuting attorney designated by the prosecuting attorney carrying a concealed handgun under this section is not subject to the prohibitions and limitations of § 5-73-306."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1593 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 376 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 376 was referred to the Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 30 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 30
As Engrossed: S2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS AND OUTSIDE VENDORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 30 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 30. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 30 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 292
As Engrossed: S2/10/21  S3/3/21  S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WATSON, M. BERRY, HOLLOWELL, MCCLURE, BENTLEY, BECK, RYE, CRAWFORD, C. COOPER, SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 292 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 292. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 292, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 381 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 381
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CREATING A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A COMMERCIAL WEBSITE OPERATOR THAT POSTS INCORRECT OR INACCURATE BACKGROUND INFORMATION ABOUT A PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 381 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the Bill.
Senator Elliott closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 28

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Rice.
Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Ballinger, Beckham, English, Flippo, Garner.
Total ................................................................. 5

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 381 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 470 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 470
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ONLINE MARKETPLACE CONSUMER INFORM ACT; TO REQUIRE THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION BY ONLINE MARKETPLACES TO BETTER INFORM CONSUMERS; TO REGULATE ONLINE MARKETPLACES TO STOP ORGANIZED RETAIL CRIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 470 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 470. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Davis.

Total ........................................................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 470 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 446 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 446
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE APPLICABILITY OF STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN" TO INCLUDE INDIVIDUAL QUALIFIED HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 446 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 446. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 446 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 493 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 493
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ACTS 2019, NO. 1089, § 9-31-503; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 493 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 493. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 493 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 511 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 511
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A BROKER OF A SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION; TO REMOVE THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS TO ACT AS A BROKER OF A SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING FOREIGN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 511 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 511. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 511 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1069 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
As Engrossed: H2/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE PRACTICE OF PHARMACY; TO AUTHORIZE PHARMACISTS TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO AND ADMINISTRATION OF ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1069 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke against the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.
Senator Davis closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Irvin, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Rapert.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1069 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1134 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1134
As Engrossed: H2/25/21  H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PRACTICE OF PHARMACY" TO ALLOW PHARMACISTS TO PRESCRIBE, ADMINISTER, DELIVER, DISTRIBUTE, OR DISPENSE VACCINES, IMMUNIZATIONS, AND MEDICATIONS TO TREAT ADVERSE REACTIONS TO ADMINISTERED VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS TO A PERSON WHO IS THREE (3) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1134 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 29

NEGATIVE: Hickey, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Sample, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................ 3

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1134 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1135 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1135
As Engrossed: H1/19/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PHARMACY TECHNICIANS TO ADMINISTER VACCINES AND IMMUNIZATIONS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PRACTICE OF PHARMACY" TO ALLOW PHARMACY TECHNICIANS TO ADMINISTER VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS TO A PERSON WHO IS THREE (3) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1135 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 23
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Flowers, Hickey, Hill, Irvin, Sample.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Dismang, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 5

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1135 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1198 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1198
As Engrossed: H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENZO, BROWN, BRAGG, EVANS, LOWERY, MILLER, EUBANKS
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PRACTICE OF CERTIFIED REGISTERED NURSE ANESTHESIA" BY REMOVING SUPERVISION REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1198 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke against the Bill.
Senator Stubblefield spoke for the Bill.
Senator Wallace closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 18


Total ......................................................................................... 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Eads, Flowers, Rapert, Sample.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1198 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1228 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DESIGNATED ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT; TO AUTHORIZE A DESIGNATED ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT IN AN AREA WITH ESTABLISHED ENTITIES AUTHORIZED TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1228 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.
Senator Rapert spoke against the Bill.
Senator Davis closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 12

Total ........................................................................................... 19

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Flowers, Irvin, Sample.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Davis moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1228 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1228 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 17, 2021.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1258 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS WHO MEET CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS; TO CREATE THE FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE TO REVIEW AND APPROVE APPLICATIONS FOR FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE AUTHORITY FOR CERTIFIED NURSE PRACTITIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1258 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke for the Bill.
Senator Elliott spoke on the Bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................27
NEGATIVE: Elliott, Hickey, Hill, Sample.
Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Dismang, Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1258 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1448 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HUDSON, L. FITE, CHRISTIANSEN
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN VACANCY PROCEDURES FOR COMMISSIONERS OF SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1448 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1448. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1448 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1522 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
As Engrossed: H3/1/21 H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW CONCERNING MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES; TO CREATE A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE FOR FALSE STATEMENTS BY CANDIDATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1522 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1522. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Ballinger.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1522 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1638 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1638
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT RECOGNITION PAYMENTS FOR COUNTY ASSESSORS AND THEIR EMPLOYEES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1638 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1638.

Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1638, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1638 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
TO: Ann Cornwell  
Secretary of the Senate

FROM: Senator Jason Rapert

DATE: March 16, 2021

RE: Disclosure in accordance with Senate Rule 24.06

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this letter as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of Ethics and to comply with full disclosure. Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06-3 (a, b, c), the following disclosure is provided:

**House Bill 1654 of 2021**

I am the founder and president of the American History & Heritage Foundation, Inc. (AHHF), which is a non-profit entity that is engaged in educating the public on the history and heritage of America. This bill addresses national motto posters being posted in the state of Arkansas. AHHF has been a part of producing, distributing, and gifting of approximately 20,100 U.S. National Motto Posters to public schools, government buildings, and other entities in the state of Arkansas and other states. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT  
STATE SENATOR  
DISTRICT 35
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1654 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1654
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON, PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE DISPLAY OF THE NATIONAL MOTTO OF THE UNITED STATES, "IN GOD WE TRUST"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1654 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1654. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House bill No. 1654 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1656 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTENSEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE NATIVE BRANDY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1656 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1656. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................25
NEGATIVE:  Hester, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total ........................................................................................... 8

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1656 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1657 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, HOLCOMB, V. FLOWERS, K. FERGUSON, BRAGG, F. ALLEN, BARKER, BEATY JR., BECK, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BOYD, BREAUX, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CARR, CAVENAUGH, COZART, DALBY, M. DAVIS, DOTSON, EAVES, ENNETT, EUBANKS, FORTNER, D. GARNER, HAAK, HAWKS, HILLMAN, HUDSON, JEAN, JETT, L. JOHNSON, LOVE, MCCLURE, MILLIGAN, NICKS, PAYTON, RYE, B. SMITH, S. SMITH, SPRINGER, TOLLETT, TOSH, VAUGHT, WARDLAW, WARREN, WATSON, D. WHITAKER, WING, WOOTEN, PENZO

BY: SENATORS L. EADS, HILL, J. ENGLISH, C. TUCKER, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE OFFICIAL STEAM LOCOMOTIVE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1657 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1657. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:  Dismang.
   Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
   Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
   Total ........................................................................................... 0

   Total number of votes cast .........................................................35
   Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

   (SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1657 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1662 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

   HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
   NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
   REGULAR SESSION
   BY:  REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX
   BY:  SENATOR B. DAVIS

   A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FORMULA RATE REVIEW ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

   House Bill No. 1662 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1662. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total ........................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1662, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................32

NEGATIVE:  Teague.

Total .............................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:  Beckham, Gilmore.

Total .............................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1662 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 23 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 72 was returned from the House as requested.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 473, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 496, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1254, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1355, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1593, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 558
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALES TAX TREATMENT OF ADVERTISING REVENUE ON CERTAIN SOCIAL-MEDIA PLATFORMS; TO DIRECT A PORTION OF THE TAX REVENUE TO FUND THE DETECTION AND PROSECUTION OF CYBERCRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN; TO DIRECT A PORTION OF THE TAX REVENUE TO FUND INVESTMENTS IN RURAL BROADBAND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 558 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 559
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REAL ESTATE LICENSE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 559 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 560
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS CIVIL ASSET FORFEITURE REFORM ACT OF 2021"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 560 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 561
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REMOVAL OF AN ADULT OFFENDER'S NAME FROM THE CHILD MALTREATMENT CENTRAL REGISTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 561 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 562
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MANDATORY ELECTRONIC REPORT FILING BY CANDIDATES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 562 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOOTEN, EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH A SEX OFFENDER MAY BE PERMITTED ON OR NEAR THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO CERTAIN PERSONS WHEN A SEX OFFENDER IS ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1098 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS CONCERNING CONTRACTS, REPORTS, AND RECORDS OF PEST CONTROL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1199 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW PHARMACISTS TO TREAT CERTAIN HEALTH CONDITIONS; TO MODIFY PHYSICIAN DISPENSING; TO ALLOW DELEGATION OF PHYSICIAN DISPENSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1246 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1299
As Engrossed H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1299 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR RAPERT


House Bill No. 1343 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE ACT; TO INCLUDE THERAPISTS, ADDICTION SPECIALISTS, AND COUNSELORS IN THE VOLUNTEER HEALTHCARE PROGRAM; TO INCREASE CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS UNDER THE VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1439 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A SEX OFFENDER'S ABILITY TO RESIDE WITH A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1507 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION TO ISSUE CERTAIN ANNUAL REPORTS REGARDING TAXABLE PROPERTY; TO REQUIRE THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION TO PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORTS OF ANY NEW OR UPDATED ASSESSMENT GUIDELINES; TO PROVIDE THAT A NEW OR UPDATED GUIDELINE ISSUED BY THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION SHALL NOT BE EFFECTIVE UNTIL IT HAS BEEN PROPERLY REPORTED TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1543 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION AND USE OF PEPPER SPRAY OR TEAR GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1572 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
As Engrossed: H3/8/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION AND USE OF PEPPER SPRAY OR TEAR GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1597 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PAYMENT FOR A COURT TRANSCRIPT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1605 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1606
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COURT REPORTERS AND TRANSCRIPT FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1606 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1614
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE CODE CONCERNING STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING AID; TO CREATE THE TEACHER SALARY EQUALIZATION FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1614 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1616
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RETIRED DISTRICT COURT JUDGES; CONCERNING APPOINTED SPECIAL JUDGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1616 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SCHEDULING OF A SCHEDULE VI CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE DELETION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE FROM SCHEDULE VI; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1677 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE CONVERSION OF PLASTICS AND OTHER RECOVERED MATERIALS THROUGH ADVANCED RECYCLING PROCESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 563 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 564
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS TUTORING CORPS ACT; TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A SUSTAINABLE TUTORING PROGRAM IN RESPONSE TO LEARNING LOSS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 564 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 565
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE SENTENCING OF A PERSON WHO HAS BEEN CHARGED AND IS BEING SENTENCED AS AN ADULT FOR AN OFFENSE HE OR SHE COMMITTED AS A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 565 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 566
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “PROJECT COSTS” UNDER THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO EXTEND THE TIME PERIOD DURING WHICH PROJECT COSTS MAY BE INCURRED FOR CERTAIN RETENTION TAX CREDIT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 566 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 567
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE, K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, CARR, TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CORONERS’ REPORTS AND OTHER RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 567 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 17, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 5 - ACT 374
- Senate Bill No. 170 - ACT 375
- Senate Bill No. 225 - ACT 376
- Senate Bill No. 263 - ACT 377
- Senate Bill No. 380 - ACT 378
- Senate Bill No. 118 - ACT 379
- Senate Bill No. 127 - ACT 380
- Senate Bill No. 168 - ACT 381
- Senate Bill No. 179 - ACT 382
- Senate Bill No. 239 - ACT 383
- Senate Bill No. 383 - ACT 384
- Senate Bill No. 384 - ACT 385
- Senate Bill No. 338 - ACT 386
- Senate Bill No. 411 - ACT 387
- Senate Bill No. 382 - ACT 388

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
STATE OF ARKANSAS
Asa Hutchinson
Governor

March 17, 2021

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 17, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 17, 2021, I allowed the following item from the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly to become law without my signature. I did not sign this bill into law because the emergency clause of this bill inaccurately portrays the enforcement of COVID-19 directives by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division and the Arkansas Department of Health.

Senate Bill No. 254   ACT 401

Please accept this letter in the spirit of respect and comity.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 153, BY SENATOR BEN GILMORE,
SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 463, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 514, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 505, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 521, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 212, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass concur in House amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1512, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1516, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1519, BY REPRESENTATIVE EAVES,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 30
SENATE BILL NO. 292
SENATE BILL NO. 381
SENATE BILL NO. 446
SENATE BILL NO. 470
SENATE BILL NO. 493
SENATE BILL NO. 511

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
HOUSE BILL NO. 1134
HOUSE BILL NO. 1135
HOUSE BILL NO. 1198
HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
HOUSE BILL NO. 1638
HOUSE BILL NO. 1654
HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
HOUSE BILL NO. 1657
HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 72

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
HOUSE BILL NO. 1199
HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
HOUSE BILL NO. 1299
HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
HOUSE BILL NO. 1439
HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
HOUSE BILL NO. 1543
HOUSE BILL NO. 1572
HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
HOUSE BILL NO. 1605
HOUSE BILL NO. 1606
HOUSE BILL NO. 1614
HOUSE BILL NO. 1616
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
HOUSE BILL NO. 1677
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, March 18, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Flippo requested leave for Senator Dismang and Senator Irvin. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sturch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 160

Amend Senate Bill No. 160 as engrossed, S2/4/21:

Add Representative Penzo as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "kindergarten through grade twelve (K-12)" and substitute "grades five through twelve (5-12)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 217 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 217

Amend Senate Bill No. 217 as engrossed, S2/3/21:

Add Senator B. Davis as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Add Representative M. Gray as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Page 1, delete Section 2 in its entirety
AND
Page 2, delete line 33, and substitute the following:
"for the election and no later than ten (10) days before the corresponding runoff election, if any, for which the voter"
AND
Page 6, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:
"(2) The voter statement, instructions, and any other"
AND
Page 12, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following:
"(a) By the close of business the Monday following the election;"
AND
Page 13, delete line 22, and substitute the following:
"(B) To "cure" a ballot means to remove or repair the issue causing a ballot not to be counted through the process set forth in this section, such that the ballot shall then be counted.
(C) If an absentee ballot that was previously designated"
AND
Page 14, line 17, delete "(C)(i)" and substitute "(C)"
Page 14, line 19, delete "; or" and substitute ";"

Page 14, delete lines 20 through 22

Page 16, line 22, delete "and"

Page 16, delete line 24 and substitute the following:
"generated and maintained under § 7-5-416;

(5) Set the procedure for the handling of absentee ballots and voter materials; and

(6) Set the procedures for timely compliance with the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq. that ensure the secrecy and integrity of the voter materials."

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 251 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 251

Amend Senate Bill No. 251 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 11 in its entirety

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 300

Amend Senate Bill No. 300 as engrossed, S3/15/21:
Add Senators K. Hammer, B. Johnson, D. Sullivan, Hill as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Bentley, Christiansen, Hollowell, Clowney, Cavenaugh, McNair, Fortner, Nicks, Jean, Shepherd, Lynch, Evans, B. Smith, D. Garner, Dalby, Milligan, Cloud, Underwood as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 160, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 251, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1627, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1634, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 41, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 57, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 409, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 526, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 531, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 537, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1674, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 568
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO EXPAND THE REVIEW OF LICENSE APPLICATIONS FOR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; TO ELIMINATE ANNUAL RENEWAL FOR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY LICENSES; TO REQUIRE NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 568 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 569
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 569 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 212 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 212

Amend Senate Bill No. 212 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 10 and 11, and substitute the following:

"(h)(1) The council shall receive staff support from the Bureau of Legislative Research.
(2) The council shall receive assistance from the Children’s Postinfectious Autoimmune Encephalopathy Center of Excellence at the University of Arizona Steele Children’s Research Center with the preparation of any reports required by this subchapter."
AND

Page 3, line 31, delete "(j)" and substitute "(j)(1)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 34, and substitute the following:

"Health, Welfare, and Labor, as requested.

(2) The report described in subdivision (j)(1) of this section shall be submitted to the Legislative Council for final review."

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "March 1, 2021" and substitute "May 1, 2021"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 212, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 212 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 212  
As Engrossed: H3/11/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, IRVIN  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PANS/PANDAS ADVISORY COUNCIL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 212 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 212. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...........................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 212, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total .........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total .........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 212 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 289 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 289

Amend Senate Bill No. 289 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 20, delete "moral, ethical, or" and substitute "moral, or ethical"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "philosophical"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 28 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(B) A physician assistant;
(C) An advanced practice registered nurse or other nurse practitioner;
(D) A pharmacist;
(E) A medical researcher or laboratory technician to the extent that he or she is requested to actively and materially participate in medical research or testing that violates his or her conscience;
(F) A counselor, social worker, psychologist, or other mental health professional to the extent that he or she is requested to actively and materially provide or participate in a type of counseling or referral for a healthcare service that violates his or her conscience;
(G) A student of counseling, psychology, social work, or other mental health studies to the extent that he or she is asked to actively and materially participate in a type of counseling or referral for a healthcare service that violates his or her conscience; or
(H) A nurse, pharmacy technician, surgical technician, allied health professional, student, faculty member, contractor, or employee who is requested to actively and materially participate in a surgery, procedure, or medication administration or dispensing that violates his or her conscience; and"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 10

AND

Page 5, delete lines 32 and 33, and substitute the following:
(b) Exercise of the right of conscience is limited to conscience-based objections to a particular healthcare service.

(c) A medical practitioner, healthcare institution, or healthcare

AND

Page 6, line 4, delete "(c)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 6, delete line 7, and substitute the following:

"federal law governing emergency medical treatment, as existing on January 1, 2021.

(e)(1) When a medical practitioner declines to participate in a healthcare service for reasons of conscience, the medical practitioner shall alert the employing healthcare institution at the earliest reasonable time and comply with any applicable protocol developed under this section.

(2)(A) A healthcare institution may develop a protocol for situations in which a medical practitioner declines to participate in a healthcare service.

(B) The protocol shall provide for prompt patient access to medical records to facilitate transfer, if needed.

(3) This section does not require a healthcare institution or medical practitioner to perform a healthcare service, counsel, or refer a patient regarding a healthcare service that is contrary to the conscience of the medical practitioner or healthcare institution.

(f)(1) This section does not prohibit an employer or contracting healthcare institution from disclosing the specific healthcare services that an applicant would be required to participate in if he or she is hired for the position or contract.

(2) Upon being informed of the specific healthcare services required of the position or contract, the applicant shall disclose whether he, she, or it has a conscience objection to any of those required duties.

(3) However, a medical practitioner or healthcare institution shall be able to decline to participate in a healthcare service that violates his, her, or its conscience if the employer or contracting healthcare institution, after employment, adds healthcare services to a medical practitioner’s or healthcare institution’s duties that would require the medical practitioner or healthcare institution to provide services that violate his, her, or its conscience."

AND

Page 6, line 8, delete "(d)(1)" and substitute "(g)(1)"

AND

Page 6, line 12, delete "(d)(1)" and substitute "(g)(1)"

AND

Page 6, line 18, delete "(e)" and substitute "(h)"

AND

Page 6, line 21, delete "(d)(1)" and substitute "(g)(1)"

AND
Page 6, line 22, delete "(f)" and substitute "(i)"
AND
Page 6, line 26, delete "(g)" and substitute "(j)"
AND
Page 6, line 27, delete "(d)-(f)" and substitute "(g)-(i)"
AND
Page 7, line 7, delete "seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500)" and substitute "five thousand dollars ($5,000)"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE B. SMITH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 289, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * * * *

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 289  
As Engrossed: H3/9/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, BECK, ET AL  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE MEDICAL ETHICS AND DIVERSITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?  

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 289. Motion carried.  

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:  

Total ......................................................................................... 32  

NEGATIVE: Flowers.  
Total ........................................................................................... 1  

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0  

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.  
Total ........................................................................................... 2  

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0  

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 289 was ordered enrolled.

** ** ** ** ** ** EXPUNGED** ** ** ** ** **

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 289 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 18, 2021.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 307 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 307

Amend Senate Bill No. 307 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-54-125(d), concerning the penalties for the offense of fleeing, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1)(A) Fleeing by means of any vehicle or conveyance is considered a Class A misdemeanor.

(B) A person convicted under subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section shall serve a minimum of two (2) days in jail.

(C) A person convicted under subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section who operated the vehicle or conveyance in excess of the posted speed limit shall serve a minimum of thirty (30) days in jail.

(2) Fleeing by means of any vehicle or conveyance is considered a Class D felony if, under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, a person purposely operates the vehicle or conveyance in such a manner that creates a substantial danger of death or serious physical injury to another person.

(3) If serious physical injury to any person occurs as a direct result of fleeing by means of any vehicle or conveyance, the fleeing by means of any vehicle or conveyance offense is a Class C felony."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. HENDREN
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 521 was placed back on second
reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 521

Amend Senate Bill No. 521 as engrossed, S3/16/21:

Page 1, delete line 36, and substitute the following:

"(1) Either:
   (A) A presence of type 1 diabetes or any other type of diabetes
with:
      (i) The use of insulin more than two (2) times daily; or
      (ii) Evidence of Level 2 or Level 3 hypoglycemia; or
   (B) Diagnosis of glycogen storage disease type 1a; and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 4

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 521 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1437 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1437

Amend House Bill No. 1437 as originally introduced:
Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1437 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 152 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 152
As Engrossed: S2/23/21 S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPRINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; TO AMEND THE SUPERVISION AND PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 152 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 152. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .............................................................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .................................................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**  Dismang, Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................................................. 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .................................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 152 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 153 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 153
As Engrossed: S3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS GILMORE, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, K. HAMMER, HESTER, B. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN, C. TUCKER, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, BEATY JR., M. BERRY, BOYD, BROOKS, BROWN, FURMAN, HAAK, MCCOLLUM, UNDERWOOD, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WORKFORCE EXPANSION ACT OF 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 153 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 153.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ..............................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 153 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 218 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 218
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING NONCRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK REQUESTS SUBMITTED TO THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 218 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 218. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 218 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 262 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 262
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EAVES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LICENSING OF OPERATORS OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES; TO CLARIFY THE NUMBER, QUALIFICATIONS, AND TERMS OF LICENSING COMMITTEE MEMBERS; TO ALLOW FOR BIENNIAL LICENSE RENEWAL; TO ADDRESS RECIPROCITY FOR LICENSED OUT-OF-STATE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY OPERATORS WHO MOVE TO ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 262 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 262. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 262 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 295 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 295
As Engrossed: S3/15/21 S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE INTEGRITY IN WELFARE PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 295 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................. 24
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Hendren, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 295 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 308 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 308
As Engrossed: S3/1/21 S3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING THE STATE TO OFFER A VICTIM OF SEXUAL ASSAULT THE CHOICE TO REQUIRE THE PERSON ACCUSED OF COMMITTING A SEXUAL ASSAULT ON THE VICTIM TO TAKE AN HIV TEST WITHIN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS AFTER THE DATE ON WHICH THE INFORMATION OR INDICTMENT IS PRESENTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 308 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 308. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast...................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 463 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 463
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FURMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING ABORTION REPORTING AND INSPECTIONS OF ABORTION FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE CERTAIN DOCUMENTATION BE PRESENTED BEFORE PERFORMING AN ABORTION WHEN THE PREGNANCY IS A RESULT OF RAPE OR INCEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 463 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator B. Johnson closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 463 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 474 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 474
As Engrossed: S3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BECKHAM, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, L. CHESTERFIELD, ELLIOTT, FLIPPO, GILMORE, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, BEATY JR., BERRY, BROWN, CLOUD, FURMAN, JEAN, MCCOLLUM, RICHMOND, SCOTT, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF FERTILITY TREATMENT ABUSE AND FERTILITY TREATMENT FRAUD; TO CREATE THE CIVIL ACTION OF CIVIL FERTILITY FRAUD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 474 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 474. Motion carried.

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 474 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 494 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 494
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING QUALIFIED IMMUNITY; TO AMEND § 21-9-301; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 494 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger spoke for the bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the bill.

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 494. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 494 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 18, 2021.

Senator Flowers moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 494 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 494 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 494
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING QUALIFIED IMMUNITY; TO AMEND § 21-9-301; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 494 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 494. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total .................................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 494 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 496 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 496
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SPECIAL ELECTIONS; TO ESTABLISH UNIFORM DATES FOR HOLDING SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 496 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hickey, Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................... 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 496 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 505 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 505
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MANDATE THE COPRESCRIPTION OF AN OPIOID ANTAGONIST UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; TO AMEND THE NALOXONE ACCESS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 505 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 505. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 505 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 514 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 514
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A LICENSE TO AUTHORIZE A COMPANY TO PROVIDE SKILLED NURSING TASKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 514 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 514. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................28
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Dismang, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:  Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Rapert.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 514 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 555 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 555
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OR STORAGE OF A PERSON'S FIREARM WHEN A PERSON LEAVES HIS OR HER FIREARM INSIDE OF HIS OR HER CAR IN HIS OR HER EMPLOYER'S PARKING LOT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 555 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 555. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 555 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
Senator Elliott moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 289 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 289
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, BECK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE MEDICAL ETHICS AND DIVERSITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total ................................................................. 25

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
  Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
  Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
  Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.
  Total ................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 289 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
As Engrossed: H1/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING A PERSON REQUIRED TO REGISTER AS A SEX OFFENDER FROM ENTERING CERTAIN LOCATIONS DESIGNED FOR PUBLIC AQUATIC ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 1004 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1004. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total .......................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1004 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL REIMBURSEMENT FOR TELEMEDICINE VIA TELEPHONE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1063 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe spoke against the bill.
Senator Clark spoke on the bill.
Senator Sullivan spoke for the bill.
Senator Hester closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Sturch, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. Johnson, Rapert, Rice.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1063 passed was expunged, on April 1, 2021.

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There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1063, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Sturch, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. Johnson, Rapert, Rice.

Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast...............................................................30
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was failed of adoption.

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* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Hester moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which emergency clause on House Bill No. 1063 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on House Bill No. 1063 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 18, 2021.

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1063, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................18

Total ................................................................. 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Rice, Teague.

Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 30

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause was failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

** * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED * * * * * * * * * * *

Senator Ballinger moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which emergency clause failed be expunged. By voice vote, the motion failed.

House Bill No. 1063 was returned to the House as passed as amended. Emergency Clause having failed of adoption.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1114 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SUPERVISION FEE FOR PROBATION AND PAROLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1114 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.  
Senator Ballinger spoke for the bill.  
Senator Clark spoke on the bill.

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1114.  
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 20

Total ......................................................................................... 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.  
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1114 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1188 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188
As Engrossed: H1/28/21 S3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EXEMPTIONS TO THE PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCY, PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR, AND SCHOOL SECURITY LICENSING AND CREDENTIALING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1188 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1188. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:  Dismang, Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast............................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1188 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1204 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN A CERTIFIED PEER SUPPORT MEMBER AND AN EMERGENCY RESPONDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1204 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1204. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1204 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1254 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1254
As Engrossed: H2/24/21 S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, M. GRAY, DOTSON
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM TO RECOGNIZE AN ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSE AS A PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1254 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram spoke on the bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 20
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Elliott, Flippo, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Pitsch, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, B. Johnson, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1254 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1275 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT AS IT RELATES TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF MONTHLY BENEFITS; CONCERNING THE DEFINITIONS OF "ALTERNATE RETIREMENT PLAN" AND "ALTERNATIVE RETIREMENT PLAN"; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1275 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill no. 1275. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1275, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

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House Bill No. 1275 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1276 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1276
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VOLUNTARY PRESUMPTIVE SENTENCING STANDARDS OF A PERSON'S CRIMINAL HISTORY SCORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1276 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1276. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1276 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1299 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1299
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1299 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1299. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1299 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1343 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
As Engrossed:  H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

AN ACT CONCERNING VOLUNTARY RETIREMENT, DEFERRED RETIREMENT, EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS, THE BENEFIT MULTIPLIER, THE ELECTION TO PARTICIPATE, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AND SYSTEM COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1343 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1343.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Dismang, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1343 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1355 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1355
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT; TO AMEND THE RECREATIONAL VEHICLE FRANCHISE ACT; TO REMOVE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE SALESPERSON AND A RECREATIONAL VEHICLE SALESPERSON; TO CREATE THE AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGIST EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM AND THE AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGIST EDUCATION GRANT FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1355 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1355. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ...............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ...............................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1355 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1424 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES B. SMITH, HOLLOWELL, CAVANAUGH, VAUGHT, HAWKS
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE OATH OF OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1424 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sullivan moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1424. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1424 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1449 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1449**
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE “CARMACK’S LAW”; CONCERNING THE ABILITY OF A DISTRIBUTEE OF A SMALL ESTATE TO MAKE BANK DEPOSITS ON BEHALF OF A DECEASED PERSON’S ESTATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1449 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1449. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...............................................................................................................32

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ..............................................................................................................0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ..............................................................................................................0

**EXCUSED:** Dismang, Irvin.

Total ...............................................................................................................2

**VOTING PRESENT:** Flowers.

Total ...............................................................................................................1
Total number of votes cast: 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1449 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1470 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, PILKINGTON, GAZAWAY
BY: SENATOR CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SOLITARY CONFINEMENT OR RESTRICTIVE HOUSING FOR PREGNANT OR RECENTLY PREGNANT INMATES OR DETAINNEES IN THE DIVISION OF CORRECTION, IN A LOCAL OR REGIONAL DETENTION FACILITY, OR IN A JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1470 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1470. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1470 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1512 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE WORK AMONG ENROLLEES IN THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR ABLE-BODIED ADULTS ACT OF 2019; TO ELIMINATE NO-GOOD-CAUSE EXEMPTIONS TO THE WORK REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1512 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 23

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, English, Hendren, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 4

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1512 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1550 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1550
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF DISTRICT COURT JUDGES AND PERSONNEL FOR CERTAIN DISTRICT COURTS; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1550 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1568 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY OF THE USE OF CERTAIN ELECTION TECHNOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1568 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1568. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total .............................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin. Total .............................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1568 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1593 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1593  
As Engrossed: S3/17/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY  
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RETIRED PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS CARRYING A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1593 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1593. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.

Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1593 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1604 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA IN REGARDS TO THE HABITUAL OFFENDER SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT; CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1604 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator Tucker spoke on the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.

House Bill No. 1604 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1645 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

AN ACT TO ADOPT THE UNIFORM CIVIL REMEDIES FOR UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF INTIMATE IMAGES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1645 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1645. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Dismang, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................ 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................ 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1645 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 521, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437, BY REPRESENTATIVE COLLINS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No.  22 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No.  62 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 107 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 147 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 156 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 184 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 185 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 189 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 232 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 240 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 249 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 264 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 281 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 305 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 313 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 344 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 345 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 400 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 401 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 416 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 419 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 448 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 456 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 465 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 61 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 159 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 333 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 386 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, PERRY
BY: SENATOR M. PITSCH

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO EMPHASIZE THE VALUE OF WATERFOWL AND WATERFOWL HABITAT IN ARKANSAS TO THE ECONOMY, RECREATION, HERITAGE, AND QUALITY OF LIFE IN THE STATE; AND TO SUPPORT EFFORTS THAT BOOST THIS CRITICAL PART OF THE STATE’S ECONOMY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION DISABILITY DETERMINATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1083 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES · SECRETARY'S OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1086 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS AND FOR DISTRIBUTING PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OR REDEMPTION OF TAX DELINQUENT LAND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1182 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327
As Engrossed: H2/22/21 H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A CURRENT OR FORMER JUDGE’S ABILITY TO LAWFULLY CARRY A HANDGUN WHERE CARRYING A HANDGUN WOULD OTHERWISE BE PROHIBITED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1327 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMPREHENSIVE CRIMINAL RECORD SEALING ACT OF 2013; CONCERNING SEALING A FELONY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE CONVICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1329 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO REQUIRE THAT PERSONNEL OF PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS OR DISPATCH CENTERS THAT OFFER PRE-ARRIVAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL CONDITIONS BE TRAINED IN TELEPHONE CPR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Received from the House
House Bill No. 1373 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE IN-HOME CAREGIVERS FOR MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES TO PASS REGISTRY RECORDS CHECKS IN ORDER TO BE PAID WITH MEDICAID FUNDS; TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRY RECORDS CHECKS AND CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR IN-HOME CAREGIVERS OF MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1427 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1443
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW RELATED TO THE MANAGEMENT AND SALE OF TAX-DELINQUENT LANDS BY THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1443 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ADOPT A DOCUMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1444 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS LIFELINE INDIVIDUAL VERIFICATION EFFORT CORPORATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1467 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF STATE TAXES; TO AMEND THE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING PROCEDURES FOR STATE TAXES; TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR TAXPAYER JUDICIAL RELIEF; TO CREATE THE INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1468 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1562 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
As Engrossed: H3/4/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BARKER, BOYD, BRAGG, BROWN, C. COOPER, EVANS, FURMAN, D. GARNER, GAZAWAY, HAAK, HAWKS, LOWERY, MADDOX, MURDOCK, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RAY, SCOTT, S. SMITH, WATSON, D. WHITAKER, WING, WOOTEN, C. FITE, V. FLOWERS, MCCULLOUGH, RYE
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, L. CHESTERFIELD, GILMORE, M. JOHNSON, TEAGUE, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FAIRNESS IN COST SHARING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1569 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, PERRY
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTES CONCERNING PROCURERS; TO REGULATE THE USE OF A PROCURER BY A LICENSED CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1573 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENNETT
BY: SENATOR CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WAREHOUSE FACILITIES AND MUNICIPAL PORT AUTHORITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1629 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1630
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND A MUNICIPAL WASTEWATER UTILITY STATUTORY REQUIREMENT TO BE CONSISTENT WITH MUNICIPAL WATER UTILITY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1630 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ALLOW REVIEW OF PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ALLOW THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO REVIEW PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ADDRESS IMPLEMENTATION OF A PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER UNDER REVIEW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1637 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF INCAPACITATED PERSONS; CONCERNING TEMPORARY GUARDIANSHIPS, INCAPACITY HEARINGS, AND INCAPACITY DETERMINATIONS; TO REPEAL THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF RELATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1648 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HIGHWAY REVENUE DISTRIBUTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF HIGHWAY REVENUE TO COUNTY AND CITY FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CASINOS TO REPORT GAMBLING WINNINGS TO THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO REQUIRE THAT CASINOS WITHHOLD ARKANSAS INCOME TAX ON GAMBLING WINNINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1703 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF STATE TAXES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEARING AND APPEAL OF STATE TAX DISPUTES; TO PROVIDE CONFORMING CHANGES RELATED TO THE CREATION OF THE INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1705 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES IN RURAL AREAS OF ARKANSAS; TO EXPAND THE OPTIONS FOR CONSTRUCTING AND OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACING FACILITIES IN CERTAIN RURAL AREAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1716 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE REVIEW OF NEWLY ENACTED LAWS AND THE ADOPTION OF REQUIRED RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1720 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MILK STABILIZATION BOARD ACT; TO AMEND POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS MILK STABILIZATION BOARD; TO SET THE PRICE TO BE PAID FOR MILK PRODUCED AND SOLD IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1729 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1730
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CAPITOL ARTS AND GROUNDS COMMISSION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE CAPITOL ARTS AND GROUNDS COMMISSION; TO ALLOW THE CAPITOL ARTS AND GROUNDS COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1730 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 570
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPIRE THE TERMS OF THE CURRENT MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 570 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 571  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENT ACT OF 2001; TO PROHIBIT THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY FROM COMMITTING TO NEW INVESTMENTS UNDER THE VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENT ACT OF 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 571 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 572  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEDICAL CORPORATION ACT; TO ALLOW A NONLICENSED PERSON TO BE AN OFFICER, DIRECTOR, OR SHAREHOLDER OF A MEDICAL CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 572 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 573  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PLACES WHERE A PERSON MAY POSSESS AND CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN WITH A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 573 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 574  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RECOGNIZE A LIABILITY SHARING ORGANIZATION AS AN INSURER FOR MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 574 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 575
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS TEAGUE, CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PRIVATE SOURCE FUNDING FOR DESIGNATED ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIAL ACTIVITIES; TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO DESIGNATE A LIST OF ELIGIBLE ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDIAL SITES; TO ESTABLISH THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY DESIGNATED ENVIRONMENTAL SITE REMEDIATION TRUST FUND; TO ESTABLISH AN ENVIRONMENTAL TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 575 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 576
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO ADOPT ATTENDANCE POLICY REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENDING SCHOOL VIRTUALLY OR REMOTELY; TO ALLOW COURTS TO INTERVENE IF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT HAS VIOLATED ATTENDANCE POLICY REQUIREMENTS FOR VIRTUAL OR REMOTE ATTENDANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 576 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 577
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1993; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 577 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 578
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HUDSON, SCOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ELIMINATING THE COURT AUTOMATION FEE REQUIRED TO BE PAID WHEN A PERSON IS PAYING HIS OR HER COURT FINES ON AN INSTALLMENT BASIS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 578 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 579
NINETEEN AND FIFTY-SEVENTH SESSION
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PROCESS BY WHICH THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION MAY SELL OR DISPOSE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 579 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 580
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE VIRTUAL INSTRUCTION FOR BARBER SCHOOLS AND COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 580 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 581
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MAYORS AS PERSONS WHO MAY SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 582
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND HOW COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TAKE THE OATH; AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPLAINTS FOR ELECTION LAW VIOLATIONS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLL WORKERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 582 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 583
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE VOTER FRAUD HOTLINE; TO ALLOW THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO INVESTIGATE VOTER FRAUD; TO REQUIRE REPORTS OF ALLEGATIONS OF VOTER FRAUD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 583 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 475, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

March 18, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 549, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 152
SENATE BILL NO. 153
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SENATE BILL NO. 262
SENATE BILL NO. 295
SENATE BILL NO. 308
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SENATE BILL NO. 494
SENATE BILL NO. 496
SENATE BILL NO. 505
SENATE BILL NO. 514
SENATE BILL NO. 555

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
HOUSE BILL NO. 1204
HOUSE BILL NO. 1275
HOUSE BILL NO. 1276
HOUSE BILL NO. 1299
HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
HOUSE BILL NO. 1512
HOUSE BILL NO. 1568
HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1188 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1254 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1355 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1593 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING FAILED OF ADOPTION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 22
SENATE BILL NO. 62
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SENATE BILL NO. 147
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SENATE BILL NO. 400
SENATE BILL NO. 401
SENATE BILL NO. 416
SENATE BILL NO. 419
SENATE BILL NO. 448
SENATE BILL NO. 456
SENATE BILL NO. 465

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 61 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 159 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 333 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 386, AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1083
HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
HOUSE BILL NO. 1327
HOUSE BILL NO. 1329
HOUSE BILL NO. 1373
HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443
HOUSE BILL NO. 1444
HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
HOUSE BILL NO. 1468
HOUSE BILL NO. 1562
HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
HOUSE BILL NO. 1573
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1630
HOUSE BILL NO. 1637
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1705
HOUSE BILL NO. 1716
HOUSE BILL NO. 1720
HOUSE BILL NO. 1729
HOUSE BILL NO. 1730

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014

On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 22, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Gilmore.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 19 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 19

Amend Senate Bill No. 19 as engrossed, S1/21/21:

Page 2, delete line 4, and substitute the following:
"physician's office unless:

  (i) The minor is:
    (a) In the custody of the Department of Human Services; or
    (b) A suspected victim in a pending child maltreatment investigation; and
  (ii) The Department of Human Services determines that the presence of the parent, guardian, or person standing in loco parentis is a danger to the child or contrary to the welfare of the child;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 21, and substitute the following:
"(2) A person in the custody of:
   (A) The Department of Corrections;
   (B) The Division of Youth Services; or
   (C) The Arkansas Adult Protective Services Unit of the Department of Human Services."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 19 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 19 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 19

Amend Senate Bill No. 19 as engrossed, S1/21/21:

Page 2, delete lines 20 and 21, and substitute the following:

“(1) A patient at the Arkansas State Hospital;
(2) A person in the custody of the Department of Human Services; or
(3) An individual who is attending a preventive healthcare office visit during which evidence-based guidelines for preventive care recommend a confidential visit component for youth, as mutually agreed to by the patient and his or her physician.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 19 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 351 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 351

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 as engrossed, S3/15/21:
Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO REGULATE PEER-TO-PEER CAR-SHARING PROGRAMS; AND TO CREATE THE PEER-TO-PEER CAR-SHARING PROGRAM ACT."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO REGULATE PEER-TO-PEER CAR-SHARING PROGRAMS; AND TO CREATE THE PEER-TO-PEER CAR-SHARING PROGRAM ACT."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 23, Chapter 13, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

Subchapter 8 — Peer-to-peer Car-Sharing Program Act

23-13-801. Title.
This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Peer-to-peer Car-Sharing Program Act".

As used in this subchapter:
(1) "Car-sharing delivery period" means the period of time during which a shared vehicle is being delivered to the location of a car-sharing start time, if applicable, as documented by the governing car-sharing program agreement;
(2) "Car-sharing period" means a period of time:
   (A) That commences with the car-sharing delivery period and ends at the car-sharing termination time; or
   (B) If there is no car-sharing delivery period, that commences with the car-sharing start time and ends at the car-sharing termination time;
(3) (A) "Car-sharing program agreement" means the terms and conditions applicable to a shared-vehicle owner and a shared-vehicle driver that govern the use of a shared vehicle through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program.
   (B) "Car-sharing program agreement" does not mean a rental car agreement with a rental car company;
(4) "Car-sharing start time" means the time when a shared vehicle becomes subject to the control of the shared-vehicle driver at or after the time the reservation of a shared vehicle is scheduled to begin as documented by a car-sharing program agreement;
(5) "Car-sharing termination time" means the earliest of:
   (A) The expiration of the agreed-upon period of time established for the use of a shared vehicle according to the terms of the car-sharing program agreement if the shared vehicle is delivered to the location agreed to in the car-sharing program agreement;
   (B) The return of the shared vehicle to a location as alternatively agreed upon by the shared-vehicle owner and the shared-vehicle driver as communicated through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program and whose location is incorporated into the car-sharing program agreement; or
(C) The taking of possession and control of the shared vehicle by the shared-vehicle owner or the shared-vehicle owner's authorized designee.

(6)(A) “Peer-to-peer car-sharing” means the authorized use of a motor vehicle by an individual other than the motor vehicle’s owner through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program.

(B) “Peer-to-peer car-sharing” does not include the services offered by a rental car company.

(7)(A) “Peer-to-peer car-sharing program” means a business platform that connects a motor vehicle owner with a driver to enable the sharing of a motor vehicle for financial consideration.

(B) “Peer-to-peer car-sharing program” does not include:

(i) A service offered by a rental car company; or

(ii) A service provider that is solely providing hardware or software as a service to a person or entity that is not effectuating payment of financial consideration for the use of a shared vehicle.

(8) “Rental car company” means:

(A) A business engaged in the rental of motor vehicles that is subject to § 27-16-605; and

(B) Is not a peer-to-peer car-sharing program.

(9)(A) “Shared vehicle” means a motor vehicle that is available for sharing through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program.

(B) “Shared vehicle” does not include a rental vehicle provided by a rental car company.

(10) “Shared-vehicle driver” means an individual who is authorized to drive a shared vehicle by a shared-vehicle owner under a car-sharing program agreement; and

(11) “Shared-vehicle owner” means the registered owner, or a person or entity designated by the registered owner, of a motor vehicle made available for sharing to a shared-vehicle driver through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program.


(a) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program that rents or leases a motor vehicle through an online-enabled business platform shall be considered a marketplace facilitator as defined in § 26-52-103.

(b) As a marketplace facilitator, if in the previous calendar year or the current calendar year a peer-to-peer car-sharing program facilitates either aggregate sales of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) or two hundred (200) transactions, the peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall collect and remit the applicable sales tax levied under the Arkansas Gross Receipts Act of 1941, § 26-52-101 et seq.

(c) A peer-to-peer car-sharing platform is obligated to collect and remit the rental vehicle tax levied under § 26-63-302(a)(1)(B).


A municipal airport commission created under the Airport Commission Act, § 14-359-101 et seq., or a regional airport authority created under the Regional Airport Act, § 14-362-101 et seq., may impose tolls and fees on a peer-to-peer car-sharing program as authorized by §§ 14-359-109 and 14-362-109.

23-13-805. Insurance requirements.

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, a peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall assume liability of a shared-vehicle owner for bodily injury or property damage under an automobile liability insurance policy to third parties or uninsured or underinsured motorist or personal injury protection losses during the car-sharing period in an amount stated in the car-sharing program agreement, but the amount shall not be less than those stated in § 27-22-104.
(b) Notwithstanding the car-sharing termination time, the assumption of liability under subsection (a) of this section does not apply to a shared-vehicle owner if:

1. A shared-vehicle owner makes an intentional or fraudulent material misrepresentation or omission to a peer-to-peer car-sharing program before the car-sharing period in which the loss occurred; or
2. A shared-vehicle owner has acted in concert with a shared-vehicle driver who fails to return the shared vehicle under the terms of the car-sharing program agreement.

(c) Notwithstanding the definition of car-sharing termination time, the assumption of liability under subsection (a) of this section applies to bodily injury, property damage, and uninsured and underinsured motorist or personal injury protection losses by damaged third parties as applicable to the minimum coverage required in § 27-22-104 by a shared-vehicle owner.

(d) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall ensure that during each car-sharing period, a shared-vehicle owner and a shared-vehicle driver are insured under an automobile liability insurance policy that:

1. Provides insurance coverage in amounts no less than the minimum coverage required in § 27-22-104;
2. Recognizes that the shared vehicle insured under the automobile liability insurance policy is made available and used through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program; and
3. Does not exclude the use of a shared vehicle by a shared-vehicle driver.

(e) The insurance requirements under subsection (d) of this section may be satisfied by automobile liability insurance maintained by:

1. A shared-vehicle owner;
2. A shared-vehicle driver;
3. A peer-to-peer car-sharing program; or
4. Any combination of the persons or entity described in subdivisions (e)(1)-(3) of this section.

(f) Except as otherwise provided in this section:

1. The insurance described in subsection (e) of this section that is used to satisfy the insurance requirements of subsection (d) of this section is considered the primary insurance policy during each car-sharing period; and
2. If a claim occurs in another state with minimum financial responsibility limits higher than the requirements in this state during the car-sharing period, the coverage maintained under subsection (e) of this section shall satisfy the difference in minimum coverage amounts, up to the applicable policy limits.

(g) An insurer or peer-to-peer car-sharing program providing coverage under subsection (d) or subsection (e) of this section shall assume primary liability for a claim if:

1. A dispute exists as to who was in control of the shared-motor vehicle at the time of the loss and the peer-to-peer car-sharing program does not have available, did not retain, or fails to provide the information required by § 23-13-807; or
2. A dispute exists as to whether the shared vehicle was returned to the alternatively agreed upon location as required under § 23-13-802(5)(B).

(h) If automobile liability insurance maintained by a shared-vehicle owner or a shared-vehicle driver according to subsection (e) of this section has lapsed or does not provide the coverage required by subsection (d) of this section, then:

1. Insurance maintained by a peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall provide the coverage required in subsection (d) of this section beginning with the first one dollar ($1.00) of a claim; and
2. Except under circumstances described in subsection (b) of this section, a peer-to-peer car-sharing program has the duty to defend a claim.
(i) Coverage under an automobile liability insurance policy maintained by a peer-to-peer car-sharing program is not dependent on:

1. Another insurer's first denying a claim; or
2. An automobile liability insurance policy's being required to first deny a claim.

(j) This section does not limit the:

1. Liability of a peer-to-peer car-sharing program for any act or omission of the peer-to-peer car-sharing program itself that results in injury to any person as a result of the use of a shared vehicle through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program; or
2. Ability of a peer-to-peer car-sharing program, by contract, to seek indemnification from a shared-vehicle owner or a shared-vehicle driver for economic loss sustained by a peer-to-peer car-sharing program resulting from a breach of the terms and conditions of the car-sharing program agreement.

At the time when a motor vehicle owner registers as a shared-vehicle owner on a peer-to-peer car-sharing program and before the time when a shared-vehicle owner makes a shared vehicle available for car sharing on a peer-to-peer car-sharing program, a peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall notify the shared-vehicle owner that if there is a lien against the shared vehicle, then the use of the shared vehicle through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program, including use without physical damage coverage, may violate the terms of the contract with the lienholder.

23-13-807. Exclusions in automobile liability insurance policies.
(a) An authorized insurer that writes automobile liability insurance in this state may exclude any and all coverage and the duty to defend or indemnify for a claim afforded under a shared-vehicle owner's automobile liability insurance policy, including without limitation:

1. Liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage;
2. Personal injury protection coverage as defined in Arkansas law;
3. Uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage;
4. Medical payments coverage;
5. Comprehensive physical damage coverage; and
6. Collision physical damage coverage.

(b) This subchapter does not invalidate or limit an exclusion contained in an automobile liability insurance policy, including an insurance policy in use or approved for use that excludes coverage for a motor vehicle made available for rent, sharing, or hire for any business use.

(c) This subchapter does not invalidate, limit, or restrict an insurer's ability under existing law to underwrite an insurance policy or to cancel and nonrenew policies.

23-13-808. Record keeping — Use of motor vehicle in peer-to-peer car-sharing program.
(a) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall collect, verify, and maintain the records pertaining to the use of a motor vehicle, including without limitation times used, car-sharing period, pick-up and drop-off locations, fees paid by the shared-vehicle driver, and revenues received by the shared-vehicle owner.

(b) Upon request by a shared-vehicle owner, a shared-vehicle driver, an insurer of a shared-vehicle owner, or an insurer of a shared-vehicle driver, a peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall provide the information described in subsection (a) of this section to facilitate a claim coverage investigation, settlement, negotiation, or litigation.

(c) The peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall retain the records for a time period not less than the applicable personal injury statute of limitations.
A peer-to-peer car-sharing program and a shared-vehicle owner are exempt from vicarious liability under 49 U.S.C. § 30106, as it existed on January 1, 2021, and under any state law or local ordinance that imposes liability based solely on motor vehicle ownership.

23-13-810. Indemnification — Insurable interest.
(a) An automobile liability insurer that defends or indemnifies a claim against a shared vehicle that is excluded under the terms of the shared vehicle's policy may seek recovery against the automobile liability insurer of the peer-to-peer car-sharing program if the claim is:
   (1) Made against the shared-vehicle owner or the shared-vehicle driver for loss or injury that occurs during the car-sharing period; and
   (2) Excluded under the terms of the policy.
(b) Notwithstanding any other law to the contrary, a peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall have an insurable interest in a shared vehicle during the car-sharing period.
(c) This section does not create liability on a peer-to-peer car-sharing program to maintain the coverage mandated by this subchapter.
(d) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program may own and maintain as the named insured one (1) or more policies of an automobile liability insurer that provides coverage for:
   (1) Liabilities assumed by the peer-to-peer car-sharing program under a car-sharing program agreement;
   (2) Any liability of the shared-vehicle owner;
   (3) Damage or loss to the shared vehicle; or
   (4) Any liability of the shared-vehicle driver.

A car-sharing program agreement made in this state shall disclose to a shared-vehicle owner and a shared-vehicle driver:
   (1) Any right of the peer-to-peer car-sharing program to seek indemnification from a shared-vehicle owner or a shared-vehicle driver for economic loss sustained by the peer-to-peer car-sharing program resulting from a breach of the terms and conditions of the car-sharing program agreement;
   (2) That an automobile liability insurance policy issued to a shared-vehicle owner for the shared vehicle or to a shared-vehicle driver does not provide a defense or indemnification for a claim asserted by a peer-to-peer car-sharing program;
   (3) That a peer-to-peer car-sharing program's insurance coverage of a shared-vehicle owner and a shared-vehicle driver is in effect only during each car-sharing period and that, for any use of the shared vehicle by the shared-vehicle driver after the car-sharing termination time, the shared-vehicle driver and the shared-vehicle owner may not have insurance coverage;
   (4) The daily rate, fees, and if applicable, any insurance or protection package costs that are charged to a shared-vehicle owner or a shared-vehicle driver;
   (5) That a shared-vehicle owner's automobile liability insurance may not provide coverage for a shared vehicle;
   (6) An emergency telephone number to personnel capable of fielding matters related to roadside assistance and other customer service inquiries; and
   (7) Whether or not there are conditions under which a shared-vehicle driver shall maintain a personal automobile liability insurance policy with certain applicable coverage limits on a primary basis in order to reserve or book a shared vehicle.

(a) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall not enter into a car-sharing program agreement with a driver unless the driver who is to operate a shared vehicle:

(1) Holds a driver's license issued under the laws of this state that authorizes the driver to operate a motor vehicle of the class of the shared vehicle;
(2) Is a nonresident who:
   (A) Has a driver's license issued by the state or country of the driver's residence that authorizes the driver in that state or country to drive a motor vehicle of the class of the shared vehicle; and
   (B) Is at least the same age as that required of a resident of this state to drive; or
(3) Otherwise is specifically authorized by the laws of this state to drive a motor vehicle of the class of the shared vehicle.

(b) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall keep a record of:

(1) The name and address of a shared-vehicle driver;
(2) The number of the driver's license of a shared-vehicle driver and each other person, if any, who will operate a shared vehicle; and
(3) The place of issuance of the driver's license of the shared-vehicle driver.


(a)(1) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program has sole responsibility for any equipment, including without limitation a global positioning device or other special equipment, that is installed by the peer-to-peer car-sharing program in or on the shared vehicle to monitor or facilitate a car-sharing program agreement.

(2) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall agree to indemnify and hold harmless a shared-vehicle owner for any damage to or theft of any equipment installed by the peer-to-peer car-sharing program during the car-sharing period not caused by the shared-vehicle owner.

(b) A peer-to-peer car-sharing program may seek indemnity from a shared-vehicle driver for any loss or damage to the equipment installed by the peer-to-peer car-sharing program that occurs during the car-sharing period.


(a) At the time when a vehicle owner registers as a shared-vehicle owner in a peer-to-peer car-sharing program and before the time when a shared-vehicle owner makes a shared vehicle available for car sharing through the peer-to-peer car-sharing program, the peer-to-peer car-sharing program shall:

(1) Verify that the shared vehicle does not have any safety recalls on the shared vehicle for which the repairs have not been made; and
(2) Notify the shared-vehicle owner of the requirements under subsection (b) of this section.

(b)(1) If a shared-vehicle owner has received an actual notice of a safety recall on a shared vehicle, then a shared-vehicle owner shall not make a motor vehicle available as a shared vehicle through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program until the safety recall repair has been made.

(2)(A) If a shared-vehicle owner receives an actual notice of a safety recall on a shared vehicle while the shared vehicle is made available through the peer-to-peer car-sharing program, then the shared-vehicle owner shall remove the shared vehicle as available on the peer-to-peer car-sharing program as soon as practicably possible after receiving the notice of the safety recall.

(B) Until the safety recall repair has been completed, a shared-vehicle owner shall not make a motor vehicle available as a shared vehicle through a peer-to-peer car-sharing program.

(3) If a shared-vehicle owner receives an actual notice of a safety recall while the shared vehicle is being used and is in the possession of the shared-vehicle driver, then, as soon as practicably possible after receiving the notice of the
safety recall, the shared-vehicle owner shall notify the peer-to-peer car-sharing program about the safety recall so that the shared-vehicle owner may address the safety recall repair.

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 479 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

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R E G U L A R S E S S I O N
A mendment No. 1 to S E N A T E B I L L N O . 4 7 9

Amend Senate Bill No. 479 as originally introduced:

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 13 and substitute the following:

“collected in March, April, and May of 2021 may be filed with the secretary by June 20, 2021;
(2) All sales tax remittances and reports for sales tax collected in June, July, and August of 2021 may be filed with the secretary by September 20, 2021;
(3) All sales tax remittances and reports for sales tax collected in September, October, and November of 2021 may be filed with the secretary by December 20, 2021; and
(4) All sales tax remittances and reports for sales tax collected in December of 2021 and January and February of 2022 may be filed with the secretary by March 20, 2022.
(c) If a taxpayer files the required returns and remits the required sales tax in the time frames under subsection (b) of this section:
(1) No late fees or penalties shall be assessed against the taxpayer; and
(2) The taxpayer is eligible for the discounts for early payment stated in § 26-52-503(a) and (c).”
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 479 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 488 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 488

Amend Senate Bill No. 488 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives M. Berry, C. Cooper, M. Gray, Wooten as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:

“(27)(A) Ballots, other than sample ballots.”

AND
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 529 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 529

Amend Senate Bill No. 529 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 18-27-302(1), concerning the definition of "dealer" as it pertains to the Dealer in Secondhand Goods Reform and Disclosure Act, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A) “Dealer” means an individual or entity that is engaged in the business of:
   (A)(i) Lending money upon the security of an article of personal property that is retained by the individual or entity until:
      (a) The loan is repaid; or
      (b) The time to repay the loan has expired; or
   (B)(ii) Purchasing other than at wholesale or retail an article of personal property for resale in any form.
(B) "Dealer" includes a pawnbroker:
   (i) Who is licensed by the Pawnbroker Licensure Commission under the Arkansas Pawnbroker Act, § 17-56-101 et seq.; or
   (ii) As defined under § 18-27-204;


(a)(1) An owner of stolen personal property may request that a dealer return the stolen property without charge to the owner or provide full restitution by signing
and following the terms of the affidavit in favor of the dealer as described in § 18-27-304(b).

(2)(A) An affidavit described under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be filed with the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction along with reporting to the law enforcement agency and filing any required documents proving that the owner has located his or her stolen property in the possession of the dealer.

(B) The report to law enforcement described under subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section is not a presumption that the dealer received the stolen property in an unlawful manner.

(3) An owner who knowingly files a false affidavit or false police report is subject to prosecution.

(b) Unless reasonable cause exists, within seven (7) days after the later of the receipt of an affidavit described in § 18-27-304(b) and the written release, either conditional or outright, of any property hold issued by any law enforcement agency with respect to the identifiable stolen property, a dealer shall:

(1) Deliver the identifiable stolen property to the owner or, if applicable, pay the owner of the stolen personal property full restitution; or

(2) File a legal action in a court of competent jurisdiction to determine ownership.

(c) If the dealer refuses to make an election under subsection (b) of this section, the owner may file a replevin action to recover the property and the court may award and apportion costs and attorney’s fees as appropriate under the facts of the case."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 529 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 19, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 379 - ACT 403

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 212, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, BY SENATOR HAMMER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 22, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 62, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 107, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 156, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 147, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 184, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 185, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 189, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 232, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 249, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 264, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 281, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 240, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
SENATE BILL NO. 313, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 344, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
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SENATE BILL NO. 400, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 401, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 448, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 456, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 465, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 419, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 12:06 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 19, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 19 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 351, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 529, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 529 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 488, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 479, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 479 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213, BY REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1458, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1507, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1511, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1588, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1648, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKENZIE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 584
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HICKEY, L. EADS, IRVIN, J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CREATION OR AMENDMENT OF SCHOLARSHIPS FUNDED WITH NET REVENUE AVAILABLE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 584 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 585
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH A COLLECTION RECOVERY PLAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE PROGRAM THROUGH PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AGREEMENTS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE PROGRAM THROUGH CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 585 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, A. CLARK, BECKHAM

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER DOUG HARLAN AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 3 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 475 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 475

Amend Senate Bill No. 475 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Vaught, M. Gray, B. Smith as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete line 9 and substitute the following:
"Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate in the manner stated under § 10-2-113;"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "member" and substitute "member, subject to confirmation by the Senate in the manner stated under § 10-2-113;"
AND

Page 2, line 29, delete “in which they serve” and substitute “that they represent”

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete “development or development finance” and substitute “development, affordable housing, or development finance”

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete “board” and substitute “board at the time of the public members’ appointments”

AND

Page 3, delete line 16, and substitute the following:

“board.

(4) When assessing a potential appointee under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section, the appointor may give additional consideration to whether the potential appointee is:

(A) Part of the state’s subset of people who are at least sixty (60) years of age and have fully or partially retired from an agribusiness enterprise;

(B) Actively engaged in the agribusiness enterprise industry; or

(C) A professional who is actively engaged in the profession of public housing or community development.”

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete “(4)” and substitute “(5)”

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete “equally” and substitute “in a manner that is substantially equal”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 13 through 15, and substitute the following:

“unused tax credits may be immediately allocated to the use of one (1) or more applications in other congressional districts.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 16 through 18 and substitute the following:

“(3) The authority shall develop and implement a plan to educate potential applicants about the tax credits available under § 26-51-1701 et seq. and the application process to obtain those tax credits.”

AND

Page 4, line 26, delete “consent.” and substitute the following:

“consent.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 15-5-706, concerning the administration of the Arkansas Development Finance Authority Small Business Act of 1989, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:
(c)(1) In awarding Arkansas Development Finance Authority loans under this subchapter, the authority shall award the Arkansas Development Finance Authority loans in a manner that is substantially equal, to the extent possible, among Arkansas's four (4) congressional districts each year.

(2) If, in a given allocation year, there are not enough applications from a given congressional district to use the amount of Arkansas Development Finance Authority loans allocated to that congressional district for that year, then the unused amount may be immediately allocated to the use of one (1) or more qualifying applications in other congressional districts.

(3) The authority shall develop and implement a plan to educate potential applicants for the Arkansas Development Finance Authority loans about the moneys available and the application process to obtain those moneys.”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 25 through 36, and substitute the following:
"(a) Within thirty (30) days after the effective date of this act, the appointors under § 15-5-202(b) in Section 1 of this act shall each appoint four (4) new public members of the Board of Directors of the Arkansas Development Finance Authority who meet the criteria stated under § 15-5-202(b)(2)-(5) of Section 1 of this act.

(b)(1) The twelve (12) appointees under subsection (a) of this section shall take office on January 14, 2022.

(2) The appointees shall draw for initial staggered terms as follows:
(A) Six (6) appointees shall draw for terms of two (2) years; and
(B) Six (6) appointees shall draw for terms of four (4) years.

(c) The board shall dissolve on January 13, 2022 and shall be reconstituted on January 14, 2022 in accordance with this act.”

AND

Page 6, delete line 1

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 475 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 307 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 307
As Engrossed: S3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR THE OFFENSE OF FLEEING IN A VEHICLE OR CONVEYANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 307 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 307. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total .........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 521 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 521
As Engrossed: S3/16/21 S3/18/21
NINETY-THRIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MANDATE THAT THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM COVER A CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITOR FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WITH DIABETES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 521 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 521. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 521 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 526 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 526
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DATA AND TRANSPARENCY PANEL; TO INCREASE DEPARTMENT PARTICIPATION ON THE DATA AND TRANSPARENCY PANEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 526 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 526. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 526 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 531 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 531
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL,
   L. CHESTERFIELD, B. DAVIS, J. DISMANG, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO,
   J. HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, K. INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON,
   M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING, M. PITSCH, RAPERT, B. SAMPLE,
   J. STURCH, D. SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY BOOT CAMP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 531 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 531. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................33
NEGATIVE: Garner.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rice.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 531 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 537 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 537
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION OF THE MANDATORY SEAT BELT USE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 537 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 537. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 537 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
Senator Tucker asked for leave for Senator Ingram. Leave granted.

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On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 473 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 473
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A STATE PARK RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUB PERMIT; TO AUTHORIZE A STATE PARK RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUB PERMIT HOLDER TO SERVE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 473 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Mark Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.
Senator Clark spoke on the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke against the bill.
Senator Irvin closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 7

Total ...........................................................................................................20

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Flippo, B. Johnson, Pitsch, Sturch.

Total .........................................................................................................6

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total .......................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Tucker.

Total .......................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................28

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

********** EXPUNGED**********

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 473 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 22, 2021.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 549 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 549
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROVISIONAL BALLOTS AND REJECTED BALLOTS; TO REQUIRE PROVISIONAL BALLOT AND REJECTED BALLOT REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 549 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 549.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 549 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1437 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437
As Engrossed: S3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL USE OF A PERSON'S BOOKING PHOTOGRAPH ON A PUBLISH-FOR-PAY WEBSITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1437 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1437. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, 
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, 
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, 
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ............................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Ingram.
Total ............................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  Irvin.
Total ............................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast........................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1437 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1442 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TAKING OF MINERALS, TIMBER, OR OTHER RESOURCES ON STATE-OWNED PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1442 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1442. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................27

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total .............................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, Garner, Gilmore, B. Johnson, Rapert.

Total .............................................................................................7
Total number of votes cast...............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1442 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1516 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1516
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, L. JOHNSON,
RICHARDSON, CRAWFORD, RICHMOND
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER TO TRANSPORT A PERSON IN CRISIS TO A SOBERING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Sturch pulled down House Bill No. 1516.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1550 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1550
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF
DISTRICT COURT JUDGES AND PERSONNEL FOR CERTAIN DISTRICT
COURTS; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1550 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1550.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1550 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1604 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA IN REGARDS TO THE HABITUAL OFFENDER SENTENCE ENHANCEMENT; CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1604 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1604. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


  Total ................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:** Rapert.

  Total ................................................................. 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

  Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Ingram.

  Total ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

  Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

  (SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1604 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1627 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1627
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REVOCATION OF A CHARTER OF A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Caldwell pulled down House Bill No. 1627

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1634 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1634
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING LOCAL TAX COLLECTION PROCEDURES; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LAWS IN CONNECTION WITH THE COLLECTION OF LOCAL TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1634 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1634. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1634 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1674 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1674**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW**

**BY: SENATOR GILMORE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A SPECIAL PERMIT BY THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO TRANSPORT FORESTRY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1674 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1674. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Ingram.

Total ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1674 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Irvin moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 473 failed be expunged. Motion carried.

Amendment 1 to Senate Bill No. 51 was withdrawn.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 51 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 51

Amend Senate Bill No. 51 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 18, delete "283,500" and substitute "583,500"

AND
Page 4, line 19, delete "    $1,839,749" and substitute "    $2,139,749"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WALLACE
REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 51 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 54 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 54

Amend Senate Bill No. 54 as originally introduced:

Pages 14 - 16, delete SECTION 28 in its entirety
AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 54 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 55 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 55

Amend Senate Bill No. 55 as originally introduced:

On page 10, line 8, delete "WORKS" and substitute "WORKS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME"

AND

On page 10, line 9, delete "Works" and substitute "Works Health and Opportunity for Me"

AND

On page 10, line 9, delete "Works" and substitute "Works Health and Opportunity for Me"

AND


AND

On page 10, line 29, delete "Works," and substitute "Works Health and Opportunity for Me."

AND

On page 11, line 17, delete "Works." and substitute "Works Health and Opportunity for Me."

AND

On page 11, line 22, delete "Works." and substitute "Works Health and Opportunity for Me."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 55 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 110

Amend Senate Bill No. 110 as engrossed, S3/8/21:

Page 12, line 21, delete "8" and substitute "12"
AND
Page 12, line 36, delete "75" and substitute "79"
AND
Page 13, line 21, delete "$3,032,912" and substitute "$3,585,355"
AND
Page 13, line 23, delete "1,037,585" and substitute "1,224,751"
AND
Page 13, line 30, delete " $5,260,100" and substitute " $5,999,709"
AND
Pages 23-26, delete SECTION 47 in its entirety
AND
Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 122 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 122

Amend Senate Bill No. 122 as originally introduced:

Page 1, Line 32, delete "6" and substitute "14"

AND

Page 1, Line 33, delete "40" and substitute "35"

AND

Page 1, Line 34, delete "2" and substitute "1"

AND

Page 1, Line 35, delete "34" and substitute "36"

AND

Page 1, Line 36, delete "99" and substitute "101"

AND
Page 2, Line 3, delete "51" and substitute "52"
AND
Page 2, Line 4, delete "258" and substitute "265"
AND
Page 2, Line 14, delete "$19,150,000" and substitute "$19,580,655"
AND
Page 2, Line 15, delete "5,824,500" and substitute "5,945,084"
AND
Page 2, Line 17, delete "$24,979,300" and substitute "$25,530,539".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 122 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 158

Amend Senate Bill No. 158 as engrossed, S1/26/21:

Page 19, delete SECTION 33 in its entirety
AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Batch One, Senate Bills. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 409
SENATE BILL NO. 38
SENATE BILL NO. 41
SENATE BILL NO. 45
SENATE BILL NO. 56
SENATE BILL NO. 57
SENATE BILL NO. 97

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 409 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 409
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR SAVE THE CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 409 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 409, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 409 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 38 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 38
As Engrossed: S2/1/21 S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 38 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 38, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 41 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 41
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 41 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total .................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 41, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 41 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 45 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 45
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 45 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 45, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........................................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 45 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 56 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 56
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 56 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 56, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ....................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 56 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 57 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 57  
As Engrossed: S3/15/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 57 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 57, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 57 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 97 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 97
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 97 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 97, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 97 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Batch 2, House Bills (budget). Motion carried.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1083**
HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
HOUSE BILL NO. 1310

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1083 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1083**
*As Engrossed: H3/15/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION DISABILITY DETERMINATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1083 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1083, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1083 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1086 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
As Engrossed: H2/22/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - SECRETARY'S OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1086 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ...............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...............................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1086, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ...............................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...............................................................0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1086 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1182 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS AND FOR DISTRIBUTING PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OR REDEMPTION OF TAX DELINQUENT LAND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1182 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1182, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
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Total number of votes cast: 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause: 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1182 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1291 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1291 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ...........................................................................................................0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ...........................................................................................................0

**EXCUSED:** Ingram.

Total ...........................................................................................................1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................34

 Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1291, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1291 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1310 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1310
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1310 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1310, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Ingram.
  Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1310 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 475, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 332, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 586
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PARENT TO
APPOINT A TEMPORARY GUARDIAN FOR HIS OR HER MINOR CHILD IN THE
EVENT OF THE DEATH OF THE PARENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 586 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 587
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH
INSURANCE BOARD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 587 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 588
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ELECTRIC UTILITY STORM RECOVERY SECURITIZATION ACT; TO ALLOW A GAS UTILITY TO RECOVER THE COST OF RESTORATION OF DAMAGES CAUSED BY STORMS AND RELATED PERILS THROUGH SECURITIZATION OF THE STORM RESTORATION AND RELATED COSTS; TO ALLOW THE RECOVERY THROUGH SECURITIZATION BY AN ELECTRIC UTILITY AND GAS UTILITY OF REASONABLE AND PRUDENT COSTS TO PURCHASE AND RECEIVE NATURAL GAS, FUEL, OR PURCHASED POWER AT EXTRAORDINARY COST IN IMMEDIATE PREPARATION FOR OR IN RESPONSE TO A STORM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 588 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 589
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MODIFICATION OF A CHILD CUSTODY OR VISITATION ORDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 589 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 590
NINETEEN-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO END MANDATORY FACE COVERING REQUIREMENTS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 590 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 591
NINETEEN-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SENTENCING OF A PERSON WHO COMMITTED AN OFFENSE BEFORE HE OR SHE TURNED TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 591 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF CHRIS LAMPKIN TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS RURAL ENDOWMENT FUND.

Senate Resolution No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 158, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 51 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 54, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 55, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 122, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Senate Bill No. 85 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 265 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 354 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 357 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 378 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 421 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 422 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 424 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
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Senate Bill No. 430 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 431 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
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Senate Bill No. 442 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 454 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 464 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 493 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 339 was returned from the House as passed as amended No. 1.

Senate Bill No. 339 was referred to the committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 341 was returned from the House as passed as amended Nos. 1 & 2.
Senate Bill No. 341 was referred to the committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO ESTABLISH A MAXIMUM LIMIT OF OPIATE ALKALOID CONTAMINATION OF POPPY SEEDS AND ENSURE THE SAFETY OF IMPORTED POPPY SEEDS AND TO ISSUE IMPORT REQUIREMENTS AND CONDUCT TESTING TO ENSURE THAT IMPORTED SEEDS DO NOT EXCEED THE MAXIMUM THRESHOLD OF OPIATE CONTAMINATION.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD  
BY: SENATOR HICKEY  


House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DAMAGE TO BUILDINGS ON THE STATE CAPITOL GROUNDS, ON THE CAPITOL MALL, AND AT THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION; CONCERNING DESTRUCTION OR VANDALISM TO OBJECTS ON THE STATE CAPITOL GROUNDS, ON THE CAPITOL MALL, AND AT THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1313 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE, MCCOLLOUGH
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR A DRIVER WHO FAILS TO REMAIN AT THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT THAT RESULTS IN DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1505 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1545
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. DAVIS, L. JOHNSON, MADDOX, VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING LANGUAGE ASSOCIATED WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1545 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1582
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. HODGES, L. JOHNSON, CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A MULTIYEAR LICENSE OR REGISTRATION FOR A PHYSICIAN BY THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1582 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HILLMAN, F. ALLEN, K. FERGUSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING INDUSTRIAL HEMP PRODUCTION; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL HEMP ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL HEMP PRODUCTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1640 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLOUGH, GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSES OF SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE WHEN COMMITTED BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1659
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PERRY, F. ALLEN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, J. ENGLISH, K. HAMMER, HESTER, D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEATH CERTIFICATE REGISTRATION PROCESS FOR THE SIGNATURE OF THE MEDICAL CERTIFICATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1659 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE F. ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE HIGHLY QUALIFIED PROFESSOR AND TEACHER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1678 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1683
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING PROCEDURAL ENHANCEMENTS TO ENFORCEMENT MECHANISMS OF THE MASTER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1683 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1687
As Engrossed: H3/15/21 H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS REGARDING LOCATIONS FOR AND GEOGRAPHIC AREAS OF A HOME HEALTHCARE SERVICES AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1687 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PRESERVE PUBLIC PROPERTY; TO PRESERVE THE PINE TREE RESEARCH STATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1694 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT UPON A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OR AN EMPLOYEE OF A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1727 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1732
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSES OF VOYEURISM AND VIDEO VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1732 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 592
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "BEER"; TO CHANGE THE ALLOWABLE ALCOHOLIC CONTENT IN BEER; TO INCLUDE MALT BEVERAGES WITHIN THE DEFINITION OF "BEER"; TO AMEND REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO BEER WITH AN ALCOHOL CONTENT OF NOT MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT (5%); TO SET THE MINIMUM CONTAINER SIZE OF CERTAIN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO BE SOLD FOR OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 592 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 593
NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TEMPORARILY EXTEND THE INCOME TAX FILING DEADLINE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 593 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 594
NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT ACT OF 2007; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR UNLAWFUL DETAINER AND FORCIBLE ENTRY AND DETAINER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 594 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: L. CHESTERFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC., FOR ITS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COMMUNITY AND TO DESIGNATE MARCH 24, 2021, AS ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 15 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY ON MARCH 24, 2021.

Senate Resolution No. 16 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 120, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 160, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 491, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 504, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 524, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 532, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1501, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITZ,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1540, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1594, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 296, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 530, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 563, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1373, BY REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 38
SENATE BILL NO. 41
SENATE BILL NO. 45
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SENATE BILL NO. 537
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HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1083
HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
HOUSE BILL NO. 1310
HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
HOUSE BILL NO. 1550
HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
HOUSE BILL NO. 1634
HOUSE BILL NO. 1674

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 85
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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 339 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 341 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313
HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
HOUSE BILL NO. 1545
HOUSE BILL NO. 1582
HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
HOUSE BILL NO. 1659
HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
HOUSE BILL NO. 1683
HOUSE BILL NO. 1687
HOUSE BILL NO. 1694
HOUSE BILL NO. 1727
HOUSE BILL NO. 1732

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p. m., Tuesday, March 23, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

Senator Bledsoe requested leave for Senator Hendren. Leave was granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wallace.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 140 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 140

Amend Senate Bill No. 140 as engrossed, S3/16/21:

Page 2, delete lines 19 and 20, and substitute the following: "requirement that a public school administrator or his or her designee make a reasonable request for information related to adverse childhood experiences or childhood trauma that may.”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 25 and 26, and substitute the following: "(10) cumulative days out of school within one (1) school year.
  (2) Information received by a public school district in response to a request under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be reviewed and considered by appropriate public school district personnel before the placement of a public school student in an alternative learning environment or the implementation of an exclusionary disciplinary action, as defined in § 6-18-516, that would exceed ten (10) consecutive days or ten (10) cumulative days out of school within one (1) school year.
  (3) Information requested under subdivision (b)(1)"

AND

Page 3, line 12, delete "substantial" and substitute "substantial causal”

AND

Page 3, delete line 13, and substitute the following: "student, the public school district in which the public school student is enrolled shall provide to the public school student behavioral supports that the public school district determines are appropriate.”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 31 and 32, and substitute the following: "(a) The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education shall develop a model of positive behavioral supports and resources to be used at the:"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 and 6, and substitute the following: "(b) Positive behavioral supports and resources shall include the following:"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 29 through 33, and substitute the following:

"(1) The right of a public school student to be treated with dignity;
(2) Necessary academic, social, emotional, and behavioral support should be provided in a safe and the least-restrictive environment possible;"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 2 and 3, and substitute the following:

"(4) The appropriate public school personnel should be trained to provide positive and appropriate academic, social, emotional, or behavioral"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 8 through 10, and substitute the following:

"(6) A public school student should have access to public school personnel who effectively provide positive support to a public school student who needs the support;"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 13 and 14, and substitute the following:

"(8) Appropriate public school personnel should receive training in;"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 28 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(d) The model developed by the division under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall include information regarding how a public school may establish a problem-solving and intervention team for a public school student who exhibits social, emotional, or behavioral difficulty that may, if not addressed, escalate to potentially dangerous behavior."

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 16

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Mark Johnson, Senate Bill No. 231 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKitAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Page 1, line 11, delete "STATE-SUPPORTED"

AND

Page 1, line 12, delete "FELONY"

AND

Page 1, line 20, delete "STATE-SUPPORTED"

AND

Page 1, line 21, delete "FELONY"

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-1-301, concerning the definitions used in the forfeiture of retirement benefits, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(3)(A) "Benefit" means a monthly payment made to a retirant or the beneficiary of a member or retirant by a retirement system in this state.

(B) "Benefit" does not include employee contributions to a retirement system in this state;

(4) "Member" means a person who is included in the membership of a retirement plan;

(5) "Public trust crime" means a crime prohibited under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 9; and

(6) "Retirant" means a member who retires with a benefit payable from funds of a retirement plan.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-1-302 is amended to read as follows:

24-1-302. Forfeiture of benefits.

(a)(1) A beneficiary forfeits his or her right to benefit payments under a
retirement system if he or she:

(A) Is convicted by a court of competent jurisdiction of the:
   (i) The unlawful killing of the member or retirant; or
   (ii) Committing a public trust crime while performing his or her duties as an elected official;
(B) Pleads guilty or nolo contendere to the:
   (i) The unlawful killing of the member or retirant; or
   (ii) Committing a public trust crime while performing his or her duties as an elected official;
(C) Is found liable by a court of competent jurisdiction for the unlawful killing of the member or retirant by a preponderance of the evidence in a civil action;
(D) Is acquitted by a court of competent jurisdiction for the unlawful killing of the member or retirant by reason of insanity, mental defect or disease, or any other mental incapacity; or
(E) Is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to lack the capacity to understand or effectively assist in defending a criminal proceeding against him or her for the unlawful killing of the member or retirant.

(2) A member or retirant forfeits his or her right to benefit payments under a retirement system if he or she:

(A) Is convicted by a court of competent jurisdiction of committing a public trust crime while performing his or her duties as an elected official; or
(B) Pleads guilty or nolo contendere to committing a public trust crime while performing his or her duties as an elected official.

(3) If a retirement system finds that a member, retirant, or beneficiary has forfeited his or her right to benefit payments from the retirement system under subdivision (a)(1) of this section subdivision (a)(1) or (a)(2) of this section, the retirement system shall:

(A) treat the member, retirant, or beneficiary as if he or she is deceased;
(B) and shall not make benefit payments to the member, retirant, or beneficiary; and
(C) Refund any employee contributions, excluding interest, made by the member or retirant to the retirement system to the:
   (i) Member or retirant; or
   (ii) If deceased, the estate of the member or retirant if the member or retirant does not have a contingent beneficiary who may receive benefit payments under this section.

(4)(A) A retirement system may make the refund of employee contributions to a member or retirant by a:
   (i) Lump-sum payment to the member or retirant; or
   (ii) Series of monthly payments to the member or retirant in amounts equal to the amount the retirement system would have paid to the
member or retirant had he or she not forfeited his or her benefits.

(B) A retirement system shall make the refund of employee contributions to the estate of a member or retirant by lump-sum payment to the estate of the member or retirant.

(C) Payments made under subdivision (a)(4)(A) of this section shall cease when the member or retirant is fully reimbursed for his or her employee contributions, excluding interest, to the retirement system.

(b)(1) If a member, retirant, or beneficiary appeals his or her conviction for an offense described under subdivision (a)(1)(A) or (a)(2) of this section, benefit payments shall not be paid to the member, retirant, or beneficiary unless the appeal results in a reversal of the conviction.

(2)(A) If the conviction of a member, retirant, or beneficiary for an offense described under subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section is reversed, the retirement system may make benefit payments to the member, retirant, or beneficiary.

(B) If the conviction of a member, retirant, or beneficiary for an offense described under subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section is affirmed, the retirement system shall not make benefit payments to the member, retirant, or beneficiary.

(c) If a member or retirant does not have a contingent beneficiary who may receive benefit payments under this section, the member or retirant's contributions to the retirement system shall be refunded to the estate of the member or retirant.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code §§ 24-1-303 — 24-1-305 are amended to read as follows:

24-1-303. Suspension of benefit payments.

(a) A retirement system may suspend benefit payments to a retirant or beneficiary if the retirement system:

(1) Receives the written notice required under § 24-1-304(a)(1) from a prosecuting attorney; or

(2) Has reasonable cause to believe that the retirant or beneficiary will be charged with the unlawful killing of the member or retirant any offense described under § 24-1-302.

(b) If benefit payments are suspended under this section, the suspension shall continue until:

(1) A final adjudication of the criminal or civil proceeding; or

(2)(A) The retirement system receives written confirmation from the prosecuting attorney that the retirant or beneficiary will not be charged with the unlawful killing of the member or retirant an offense described under § 24-1-302.

(B) The retirement system shall request written confirmation from the prosecuting attorney stating that the retirant or beneficiary will not be charged with the unlawful killing of the member or retirant an offense described under § 24-1-302.
24-1-304. Notice to retirement system.

(a) A prosecuting attorney shall send written notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the executive director or executive secretary of the applicable retirement system when a member, retirant, or beneficiary:

(1) Is charged with an offense described under § 24-1-302; or

(2)(A) Will not be charged with an offense described under § 24-1-302.

(B) If the prosecuting attorney receives a request under § 24-1-303 from a retirement system and a decision on whether the member, retirant, or beneficiary will be or will not be charged with an offense described under § 24-1-302 has not been made, the prosecuting attorney shall notify the retirement system that a decision is pending.

(b) The clerk of the court in which the proceeding against the member, retirant, or beneficiary is being conducted shall send written notice by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the executive director or executive secretary of the applicable retirement system when:

(1) A member, retirant, or beneficiary is convicted of an offense described under § 24-1-302;

(2) A member, retirant, or beneficiary appeals his or her conviction for an offense described under § 24-1-302; and

(3) The appellate court issues a final ruling upholding or reversing the conviction of the member, retirant, or beneficiary for an offense described under § 24-1-302.

(c) A written notice required under this section shall include any information that the applicable retirement system determines necessary for the retirement system to identify the account of the member or retirant and implement this subchapter.

24-1-305. Notice to member, retirant, or beneficiary.

(a)(1) The executive director or executive secretary of the applicable retirement system or his or her designee shall notify a member, retirant, or beneficiary when benefits shall not be paid as provided under § 24-1-302.

(2) The notice provided under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall advise the member, retirant, or beneficiary of:

(A) The specific facts supporting the retirement system's nonpayment of benefits; and

(B) His or her right to request a waiver of the forfeiture before the board of trustees of the retirement system.

(b)(1) A member, retirant, or beneficiary shall request a waiver of the forfeiture by the board of trustees of the retirement system within thirty (30) days of receiving the notice required under subsection (a) of this section.

(2) A waiver request made under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be submitted to the board of trustees of the retirement system in the manner specified by the applicable retirement system.
(c) Upon receiving a waiver request submitted under subdivision (b)(1) of this section, the board of trustees of the retirement system shall set and notify the member, retirant, or beneficiary of the waiver hearing date."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 388 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 388

Amend Senate Bill No. 388 as engrossed, S3/8/21:

Delete Senator D. Sullivan as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Senators Beckham, D. Sullivan as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 455 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 455

Amend Senate Bill No. 455 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 23, and substitute the following:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-18-222(a)(5), concerning the penalty for unexcused absences and the revocation of driving privileges, is repealed.

(A) When a student exceeds the number of unexcused absences provided for in this section, or when a student has violated the conditions of an agreement granting special arrangements under subdivision (a)(4)(D) of this section, the school district or the adult education program shall notify the prosecuting authority and the community truancy board, if a community truancy board has been created, and the student’s parent, guardian, or person in loco parentis shall be subject to a civil penalty through a family in need of services action in circuit court, as authorized under subdivision (a)(6)(A) of this section, but not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500) plus costs of court and any reasonable fees assessed by the court.

(B) The penalty shall be forwarded by the court to the school or the adult education program attended by the student.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-27-303(33), concerning the definition of is amended to read as follows:”

AND
Page 13, delete line 6, and substitute the following:

"contempt sanctions."

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 9-27-339(f)(1), concerning probation and probation revocation under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to read as follows:

(f)(1) Nonpayment of restitution, fines, or court costs may constitute a violation of probation, unless the juvenile shows that his or her default was not attributable to a purposeful refusal to obey the sentence of the court or was not due to a failure on his or her part to make a good faith effort to obtain the funds required for payment.

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 9-27-339(f)(3), concerning probation and probation revocation under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to read as follows:

(3) If the court determines that the default in payment of a fine, costs, or restitution is excusable under subdivision (f)(1) of this section, the court may enter an order allowing the juvenile additional time for payment, reducing the amount of each installment, or revoking the fine, costs, or restitution or unpaid portion thereof in whole or in part."

AND

Page 14, delete line 2, and substitute the following:

"enter such an order for payment pursuant to § 9-27-333(e)."

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 9-27-367 is amended to read as follows:

9-27-367. Court costs, fees, and fines.
(a) The juvenile division of the circuit court may order the following court costs, fees, and fines to be paid by adjudicated defendants to the circuit court juvenile division fund as provided for in §16-13-326:
(1) The court may assess an adjudicated delinquent court costs not to exceed thirty-five dollars ($35.00) as provided under § 9-27-330(a)(6);
(2) The court may assess an adjudicated family in need of services court costs not to exceed thirty-five dollars ($35.00) as provided under § 9-27-332(a)(8);
(3) The court may order a probation fee for juveniles adjudicated delinquent not to exceed twenty dollars ($20.00) per month as provided under § 9-27-330(a)(5);
(4) The court may order a juvenile service fee for an adjudicated family in need of services not to exceed twenty dollars ($20.00) per month as provided under § 9-27-332(a)(9);
(5) The court may order a fine for adjudicated delinquents of not more than five hundred dollars ($500) as provided under § 9-27-330(a)(8);
(6) The court may order a fine for an adjudicated family in need of services of not more than five hundred dollars ($500) as provided under § 9-27-332(a)(7); and
(7) A juvenile intake or probation officer may charge a diversion fee limited to no more than twenty dollars ($20.00) per month as provided under § 9-27-323.

(b) The court shall direct that the juvenile division court costs and fees be collected, maintained, and accounted for in the same manner as juvenile probation and juvenile services fees as provided for in §16-13-326.

In relation to a matter involving a juvenile, the juvenile and the parent, guardian, or custodian of the juvenile shall not be ordered to pay fines, fees, costs, or a combination of fines, fees, and costs as described in §§ 5-2-331, 5-4-201, 5-4-

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 16-10-305, concerning court costs, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(i) The authority to assess court costs under this section does not apply to:

(1) A person who is a juvenile at the time of the commission of the delinquent act;

(2) A person who is a juvenile at the time the circuit court, county court, or district court renders a judgment;

(3) A juvenile; or

(4) The parent, guardian, or custodian of a juvenile in relation to the juvenile's delinquent act.

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 16-13-701 is amended to read as follows:


(a) The procedures established by this subchapter shall apply to the assessment and collection of all fines, however designated, imposed by circuit courts and district courts for criminal convictions, traffic convictions, civil violations, and juvenile delinquency adjudications and shall be utilized to obtain prompt and full payment of all fines.

(b) As used in this subchapter, “fine” means a monetary penalty imposed by a court, including without limitation:

(1) A monetary fine;

(2) Court costs;

(3) Court-ordered restitution;

(4) Probation fees;

(5) Supervision fees;

(6) Public service supervisory fees; and

(7) Other court-ordered fees.

(b) The procedures established by this subchapter shall apply to the assessment and collection of all fines, however designated, imposed by circuit courts and district courts for criminal convictions, traffic convictions, civil violations, and juvenile delinquency adjudications and shall be utilized to obtain prompt and full payment of all fines.

(c) Except in the case of court-ordered restitution, the procedures established under this subchapter shall not apply to the assessment and collection of fines, however designated, imposed by a circuit court and district court for a case in which a defendant is:

(1) A person who is a juvenile at the time of the commission of the delinquent act;

(2) A person who is a juvenile at the time the circuit court, county court, or district court renders a judgment;

(3) A juvenile; or

(4) The parent, guardian, or custodian of a juvenile in relation to the juvenile's delinquent act.

AND

Page 16, delete line 19, and substitute the following:

"a juvenile matter."
SECTION 30. Arkansas Code § 16-93-104, concerning supervision fees paid by an offender and the failure to pay supervision fees, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e) This section does not apply to:
   (1) A person who is a juvenile at the time of the commission of the delinquent act;
   (2) A person who is a juvenile at the time the circuit court, county court, or district court renders a judgment;
   (3) A juvenile; or
   (4) The parent, guardian, or custodian of a juvenile in relation the juvenile's delinquent act.

SECTION 31. Arkansas Code § 16-98-304(a), concerning cost and fees under the Arkansas Drug Court Act, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The adult or juvenile drug court judge may order the offender to pay:
   (1) Court costs as provided in § 16-10-305;
   (2) Treatment costs;
   (3) Drug testing costs;
   (4) A local program user fee;
   (5) Necessary supervision fees, including any applicable residential treatment fees;
   (6) Any fees determined or authorized under § 12-27-125(b)(17)(B) or § 16-93-104(a)(1) that are to be paid to the Department of Community Correction;
   (7) Global Positioning System monitoring; and
   (8) Continuous alcohol monitoring fees.”

AND

Page 17, line 4, delete “costs or fees” and substitute “costs, fees, or both costs and fees”

AND

Page 17, delete lines 18 through 24, and substitute the following:


AND

Page 17, delete lines 30 through 32, and substitute the following:

“(a) The Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall rename Chapter 27 of Title 9 of the Arkansas Code concerning Family Law “Proceedings Involving Juveniles”.

(b) The Bureau of Legislative Research shall rename Chapter 27 of Title 9 of the Arkansas Code concerning Family Law “Proceedings Involving Juveniles” in the Code of Arkansas Rules.”
AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 455 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 466 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 466

Amend Senate Bill No. 466 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 36, and substitute the following:

“(3) Any child welfare agency capacity licensed or permitted by the board as of March 1, 2003, whether held by the original licensee or by a successor in interest to the original licensee, is exempted from:

(A) Obtaining any license or permit from the Office of Long-Term Care; and
(B)(i) Obtaining any permit from the Health Services Permit Agency or the Health Services Permit Commission to operate at the capacity licensed by the board as of March 1, 2003, except as required under subdivision (a)(3)(B)(ii) of this section.

(ii)(a) If a licensee is operating at less than or at the capacity licensed by the board as of March 1, 2021, the licensee shall obtain a permit from the Health Services Permit Agency or the Health Services Permit Commission for any increase in capacity.

(b) For the purposes of subdivision (a)(3)(B)(ii)(a) of this section, both in-state and out-of-state clients shall be counted in capacity for the purpose of obtaining a license from the board and a permit from the Health Services Permit Agency or the Health Services Permit Commission; and

(C) Obtaining any permit from the Health Services Permit Agency or the Health Services Permit Commission to operate at any future expanded capacity serving only non-Arkansas residents unless a permit is required by federal law or regulation.

(4) Any further new license or expansion of capacity by an existing licensee of the board shall require a license or and permit from the Office of Long-Term Care and or the Health Services Permit Agency unless the bed expansion is exempted under subdivisions (a)(3)(A)-(C) of this section.

(5)(A) Subdivisions (a)(3) and (4) of this section shall be construed to include a child welfare agency that is licensed or permitted by the board as a residential facility as of March 1, 2003, if the licensee then met and continues to meet the following criteria:

(i) The licensee is a nonhospital-based residential facility that specializes in providing treatment and care for seriously emotionally disturbed children under eighteen (18) years of age who have co-occurring substance abuse and psychiatric disorders;

(ii) The licensee possesses accreditation from at least one (1) of the following national accreditation entities:

(a) The Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities, Inc.;

(b) The Council on Accreditation for Children and Family Services, Inc.; or

(c) The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, Inc.;

(iii) The licensee is licensed by the Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services of the Department of Human Services or its successor; and

(iv) The licensee is operating a nontraditional program that is approved by the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education.

A license issued by the board under this subchapter is effective unless revoked, suspended, or terminated by the board.

(B)(i) Licensees described in subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section shall be eligible for reimbursement by the Arkansas Medicaid Program under the same methodology and at the same reimbursement rates as residential treatment facilities that do not specialize in treating children with co-occurring substance abuse and psychiatric disorders. In addition to any other basis provided by law or rule, the board shall terminate the license of a licensee that has not been in operation for a consecutive twelve-month period.

(ii) However, Medicaid payments shall be reduced by payments received from other payors in connection with Medicaid-covered care and treatment furnished to Medicaid recipients.

(C) The Department of Human Services may recommend to the board the revocation, suspension, or termination of a license for any basis provided by law or rule, including without limitation the failure to be in operation or in substantial compliance for a consecutive six-month period.”
AND
Page 3, delete lines 1 through 25

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 466 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 550 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 550

Amend Senate Bill No. 550 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 2 through 4, and substitute the following:

"(1) The cost per minute shall be thirty cents (30¢) or no more than the maximum cost per minute of an interstate inmate telephone call as determined by the Federal Communications Commission as of January 1, 2021, whichever is higher; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 550 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 561 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 561

Amend Senate Bill No. 561 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "ADULT"

AND

Page 1, line 15, delete "ADULT"

AND

Page 2, delete line 4, and substitute the following: "maltreatment.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-18-908(d)(1), concerning the removal of a name from the Child Maltreatment Central Registry, is amended to read as follows:

(1) Not remove the offender's name from the registry if the offender was found guilty of, pleaded guilty to, or pleaded nolo contendere to a felony in circuit court as an adult for the act that is the same act for which the offender is named in the registry unless the conviction is reversed or vacated; or:

(A) The offender is convicted of a felony as an adult for an act or omission that is the same act or omission for which the offender is named in the registry regardless of any subsequent expungement of the felony from the offender's criminal record;

(B) The offender's conviction for the felony described under subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section has not been reversed or vacated; and

(C) The offender's name is placed in the registry for severe maltreatment; or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 561 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 17, and substitute the following:
"AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT THE CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS HAVE A FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS, AMMUNITION, AND ACCESSORIES TYPICAL TO THE NORMAL FUNCTION OF SUCH ARMS, FOR THE DEFENSE OF THEIR HOMES, PERSONS, FAMILY, AND PROPERTY, FOR THEIR COMMON AND INDIVIDUAL DEFENSE, AND FOR HUNTING AND RECREATIONAL PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO PROVIDE THAT THE CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS HAVE A FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS, AMMUNITION, AND ACCESSORIES."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 4 through 11, and substitute the following:
§ 5. Right to bear arms.
(a) The citizens of this State shall have the right to keep and bear arms, for their common defense have a fundamental right to keep and bear arms, ammunition, and accessories typical to the normal function of such arms, for the defense of their homes, persons, family, and property, for their common and individual defense, and for hunting and recreational purposes.
(b) The rights guaranteed by this section shall not be denied nor infringed by the State of Arkansas or any political subdivision of the State of Arkansas. The rights guaranteed by this section are unalienable. Any and all restrictions of the rights guaranteed by this section shall be subject to strict scrutiny, and the State of Arkansas and all political subdivisions of the State of Arkansas shall uphold and defend the rights guaranteed by this section and shall under no circumstances decline to protect against their infringement."

AND

Page 2, delete line 23, and substitute the following:
“Keep and Bear Arms, Ammunition, and Accessories Typical to the Normal Function of Such Arms, For the Defense of Their Homes, Persons, Family, and Property, For Their Common and Individual Defense, and for Hunting and Recreational Purposes.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following:
“PROVIDE THAT GOVERNMENT MAY NEVER BURDEN A PERSON’S FREEDOM OF RELIGION EXCEPT IN THE RARE CIRCUMSTANCE THAT THE GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATES THAT”

AND

Page 4, line 29, delete “2023” and substitute “2022”

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 8 through 10, and substitute the following:

"REQUESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION UNDER UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE COMPOSED OF NINE (9) JUSTICES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:

"REQUESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE COMPOSED OF NINE (9) JUSTICES."

AND
WHEREAS, United States Constitution, Article 5, provides that the United States Congress, whenever two-thirds (2/3) of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to the United States Constitution to the several states for ratification,

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the General Assembly requests that the United States Congress propose an amendment to the United States Constitution for ratification by the several states that reads as follows:

"The Supreme Court of the United States shall be composed of nine (9) justices."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the General Assembly requests that the legislatures of each of the several states request that the United States Congress propose an amendment to the United States Constitution providing that the Supreme Court of the United States shall be composed of nine (9) justices.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Secretary of the Senate transmit a copy of this joint resolution to the President of the United States Senate, the Secretary of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, the Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, the members of the Arkansas congressional delegation, and the presiding officer of each house of the legislatures in the several states."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1327 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1327

Amend House Bill No. 1327 as engrossed, H2/24/21:

Page 1, delete line 31, and substitute the following:

"handgun under § 5-73-301 et seq.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-15-202(d), concerning a person's eligibility to carry a concealed handgun, is amended to read as follows:

(d) Any A certified law enforcement officer, or retired law enforcement officer, current or former district court judge, circuit court judge, Court of Appeals judge, or Supreme Court justice carrying a concealed handgun under this section is not subject to the prohibitions and limitations of § 5-73-306.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 12-15-202, concerning certain persons who may carry a concealed handgun, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(f) A concealed handgun may be carried by a current or former district court judge, circuit court judge, Court of Appeals judge, or Supreme Court justice who:

(1) Is not otherwise prohibited under federal law from receiving or possessing a firearm; and

(2) Is not under the influence of or consuming alcohol or another intoxicating or hallucinatory drug or substance."

(SIGNED) SENATOR B. BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1327 was ordered engrossed.
Dear President Hickey, Speaker Shepherd, and Members of the General Assembly:

Pursuant to Article 6, Section 15 of the Arkansas Constitution, I inform you today I vetoed Senate Bill 301. The bill is an infringement on the executive's power to enforce the law, and it is an unwise and unconstitutional precedent for the future.

If the rationale of SB 301 is accepted, then it is equivalent to giving the General Assembly veto power over the executive branch in the faithful execution of the laws. The General Assembly defines the law and penalties, but the legislative branch is not constitutionally empowered to change after the fact how law enforcement is carried out.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the Arkansas Department of Health adopted and enforced directives to mitigate and prevent the spread of a contagious and deadly disease. The Department acted within the authority granted to it by the General Assembly. The Alcoholic Beverage Control took enforcement actions based on decades old health and safety law and policy. The actions by the Department of Health and Alcoholic Beverage Control were consistent with legislative authorization and thus far have withstood two (2) legal challenges brought by members of General Assembly and permittees of the Alcoholic Beverage Control. Additionally, every person or business assessed with a fine had the opportunity to avail themselves of administrative and judicial appeal without payment of fee or hiring an attorney.

The only message sent by this bill is that the rule of law does not matter. It is an affront to those citizens who diligently followed health and safety directives to protect themselves and their fellow Arkansans.

During this legislative session, two (2) bills have gone into law that were filed in response to executive action taken during the pandemic. Senate Bill 254, altering the methods by which the Arkansas Department of Health and Alcoholic Beverage Control may enforce directives, went into law without my signature. I signed Senate Bill 379, a bill that makes sweeping changes to the implementation of the Emergency Services Act during a public health emergency. While I may disagree with aspects of these bills, they are an appropriate exercise of Legislative power. This is in contrast to Senate Bill 301 which directs a refund of penalties assessed and violates the separation of powers between the legislative and executive branches of government.

I look forward to continuing to work with the Legislative Branch as we navigate this unprecedented time. Thank you.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 85, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 265, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 354, BY SENATORS MISSY IRVIN, ET. AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 378, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 421, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 422, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
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SENATE BILL NO. 432, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 433, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:50 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 85
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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-third day of March, 2021 at 9:50 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1327 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 455, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 561, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 455 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 561 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 466, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 466 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Mark Johnson, Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 550, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 550 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658, BY REPRESENTATIVE WING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1729, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
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March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1636 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 581, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 479, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 548, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 554, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629, BY REPRESENTATIVE ENNETT  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1699, BY REPRESENTATIVE WATSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 449, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 447, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it so pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 542, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 579, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

Notice of the passage of Senate Bill No. 386 by the House as amended Nos. 1 & 2.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 386 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES IS THE AGENCY THAT REGULATES LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; TO REMOVE REFERENCES TO THE OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 595 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senator Sullivan moved to reconsider the passage of Senate Bill 301 notwithstanding the veto of the Governor.

The motion to reconsider the passage of Senate Bill No. 301 notwithstanding the veto of the Governor passed.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES TO RETURN FINES COLLECTED UNDER § 20-7-101 DURING THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY FOR A FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH RULES, ORDERS, OR DIRECTIVES TO MITIGATE OR PREVENT THE SPREAD OF CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 19


Total ......................................................................................... 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, Sample.

Total ......................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

So the motion to override passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The override of the Governor’s Veto passed. Senate Bill No. 301 was transmitted to the House for consideration to override the Governor’s veto.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD
BY: SENATOR HICKEY


House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Hester, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the resolution ......................... 27

So the resolution passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was read third time and concurred in.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was returned to the House as concurred in
On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Resolution No. 14 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT OF CHRIS LAMPKIN TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS RURAL ENDOWMENT FUND.

Senate Resolution No. 14 was placed on third time and adopted

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Resolution No. 15 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC., FOR ITS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COMMUNITY AND TO DESIGNATE MARCH 24, 2021, AS ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 15 was read third time and adopted

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Resolution No. 16 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM EDUCATION AND SHARING DAY ON MARCH 24, 2021.

Senate Resolution No. 16 was read third time and adopted

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

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SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE HAVING OVERRIDDEN THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

SENATE BILL NO. 301

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015

On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate recessed for five minutes. The Senate reconvened after recess and a quorum was present.
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 29, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Pitsch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 545 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 545

Amend Senate Bill No. 545 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 14 through 28, and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) The secretary shall award grants under the program to law enforcement agencies to assist in training in and awareness of federal immigration laws and enforcement.

(2) Grants shall be distributed by the secretary to law enforcement agencies based on a showing of the greatest need for training in and awareness of federal immigration laws and enforcement.

(3)(A) As a condition for receiving a grant under this section, a law enforcement agency shall submit a comprehensive plan to address enforcement of federal immigration laws as well as a plan to assist in enforcing federal immigration laws.

(B) A comprehensive plan under subdivision (b)(3)(A) of this section shall include without limitation:

(i) Training regarding immigration laws and procedures;

(ii) Communications with federal immigration enforcement agencies; and

(iii) Plans for using federal grants and resources to assist with immigration enforcement."

AND

Page 4, line 4, delete “or electronic funds”

AND

Page 4, line 5, delete “or electronic funds”

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete “or electronic funds”

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete “person, regardless of where he or she is located,” and substitute “person located outside the United States”

AND

Page 4, line 9, delete “or”
AND

Page 4, line 10, delete “electronically”

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 545 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 553 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 553

Amend Senate Bill No. 553 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 26, delete "commission" and substitute "Arkansas History Commission"
AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "commission" and substitute "Arkansas History Commission"
AND

Page 3, delete line 31, and substitute the following:
"possible.
(c) Subsection (b) of this section does not apply to the Capitol Arts and
Grounds Commission or the office of the Secretary of State.
(d) A governmental entity may request an advisory opinion from the Arkansas History Commission of whether a statue, memorial, gravestone plate, nameplate, plaque, or historic flag display qualifies as a historical monument under this section.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 564 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 564

Amend Senate Bill No. 564 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 29, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 15, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:
Subchapter 30 — Arkansas Tutoring Corps Act

6-15-3001. Title.
This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Tutoring Corps Act”.

6-15-3002. Legislative findings.
The General Assembly finds that;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"6-15-3003. Definitions.
As used in this subchapter:’"
Page 3, line 2, delete "Division of Elementary and Secondary Education" and substitute "division"

Page 3, line 17, delete "subdivision (d)(1)" and substitute "subdivision (a)(1)"

Page 3, line 21, delete "(e) The" and substitute "(b) The"

Page 3, line 30, delete "(f) The" and substitute "(c) The"

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 564 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 567 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 567

Amend Senate Bill No. 567 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 12, delete "report;" and substitute "report, including without limitation the coroner's case narrative:"
(2) Except as provided under subsection (c) of this section, any other record shall be disclosed after the county.

(ii) Address; and
   (iii) Phone number;

(ii) Address; and
   (iii) Phone number;

photographs; and

supervision;

(c) The following records gathered or created during the course of a coroner's investigation shall be exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.:
   (1) Medical or psychiatric records provided to the coroner; and
   (2) Laboratory reports related to the decedent generated based on the analysis of physical evidence if either the physical evidence or the report is discoverable under the Arkansas Rules of Criminal Procedure.

(d) The following records gathered or created during the course of a coroner's investigation shall be exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.:
   (1) Medical or psychiatric records provided to the coroner; and
   (2) Laboratory reports related to the decedent generated based on the analysis of physical evidence if either the physical evidence or the report is discoverable under the Arkansas Rules of Criminal Procedure.

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 588 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 588

Amend Senate Bill No. 588 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ELECTRIC UTILITY STORM RECOVERY SECURITIZATION ACT; TO ALLOW A GAS UTILITY TO RECOVER THE COST OF RESTORATION OF DAMAGES CAUSED BY STORMS AND RELATED PERILS THROUGH SECURITIZATION OF THE STORM RESTORATION AND RELATED COSTS; TO ALLOW THE RECOVERY THROUGH SECURITIZATION BY AN ELECTRIC UTILITY AND A GAS UTILITY OF REASONABLE AND PRUDENT COSTS TO PURCHASE AND RECEIVE NATURAL GAS, FUEL, OR PURCHASED POWER AT EXTRAORDINARY COST IN IMMEDIATE PREPARATION FOR OR IN RESPONSE TO A STORM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AUTHORIZE UTILITIES TO RECOVER THE COST OF RESTORATION OF DAMAGES AND EXTRAORDINARY NATURAL GAS, FUEL, OR PURCHASED POWER COSTS CAUSED BY STORMS THROUGH SECURITIZATION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 28, delete line 3, and substitute the following:
"engaging in the transactions described in this subchapter."
SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that due to the recent historic winter weather event, the high prices paid for energy by utilities could necessitate a substantial increase in rates paid by consumers; that storm recovery costs could be securitized and financed with prompt legislative action, and that this act is immediately necessary because authorization is required for securitization financing for storm recovery costs that may lower the financing costs or mitigate the impact on rates in comparison to traditional utility financing and benefit customers in this state. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 588 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 594

Amend Senate Bill No. 594 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 31, and substitute the following:
"failure of, or caused by, public utility service, or other force majeure events to include"

AND
Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"tenant or tenants named in the lease or rental agreement;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 16, and substitute the following:
"(c) A landlord shall be deemed to be in compliance with the requirements of subsection"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18 and 19, and substitute the following:
"(1) If the landlord supplies the tenant, at the time possession is available to the tenant, a written form with which to list any defects listed in"

AND

Page 2, delete line 30, and substitute the following:
"defect; or"

AND

Page 3, delete line 4, and substitute the following:
"with subsection (a) of this section, the tenant is entitled to deliver written notice of the"

AND

Page 3, delete line 8, and substitute the following:
"(2)(A) If the payment of rent is current, noncompliance is not excused under subsection (c) of this section, and the landlord does"

AND

Page 3, delete line 14, and substitute the following:
"(B) However, if the implied quality standards"

AND

Page 3, delete line 17, and substitute the following:
"premises as provided in § 18-16-301 et seq. in addition to any other remedy provided by applicable law."

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "section" and substitute "chapter"

AND

Page 3, delete line 21, and substitute the following:
"landlord for any alleged or actual violation of the implied"

AND

Page 3, line 23, delete "section" and substitute "chapter"
AND

Page 3, delete lines 24 through 27, and substitute the following: 
"shall prohibit a tenant from making a correct installation at his or her expense of a battery powered or plug-in smoke or carbon monoxide detector. 
(2) If a battery powered or plug-in smoke or carbon monoxide detector is installed, the tenant shall be solely responsible for:"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 30 through 33, and substitute the following: 
"(C) Any damage or repairs to the premises caused by the installation or removal of the detector. 
(f) Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to: 
(1) Limit a landlord's exercise of any remedy provided at law or equity"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 29 through 31, and substitute the following: 
"the clerk of this the court a written objection to the claims made against you by the plaintiff for possession of the property described in the complaint, then the plaintiff shall be entitled to an order from the court or clerk of the court granting a writ of possession which shall forthwith issue from this office be directed to the"

AND

Page 4, delete line 34, and substitute the following: 
"thereof. If you should file with the clerk of the court a written objection to the complaint of the"

AND

Page 5, delete line 18, and substitute the following: 
"order the clerk to immediately issue a writ of possession directed to the sheriff"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following: 
"plaintiff is likely to succeed on the merits at a full hearing and if the plaintiff provides adequate security as determined by the court, then the"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 25 through 30, and substitute the following: 
"(e) If the defendant desires to retain possession of the property, the court shall may upon motion and good cause shown allow the retention upon the defendant's providing of the premises only if the defendant provides, within five (5) calendar days of issuance of the writ of possession service of the summons, adequate security as determined by in the discretion of the court, in any event not less than the amount of any delinquent rent and rent to accrue while the defendant is allowed to retain possession of the premises."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1152 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1152

Amend House Bill No. 1152 as engrossed H1/25/21:

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"or correctional agency in the course of the law enforcement or correctional agency's work, including without"

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "enforcement agency's" and substitute "enforcement or correctional agency's"

AND

Page 3, line 9, delete "enforcement agency" and substitute "enforcement or correctional agency"

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "law enforcement officer or" and substitute "law enforcement officer, correctional officer, or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1152 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

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Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1426

Amend House Bill No. 1426 as engrossed S3/4/21:

Page 2, delete lines 13, and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) If a court finds that a food delivery platform has acted in violation of this subchapter, the court"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 22 through 25, and substitute the following:

"the court shall:

(1) Enter judgment against the food delivery platform as follows:

(A) For a first violation, a fine of not less than five hundred dollars ($500);

(B) For a second violation, a fine of not less than one thousand dollars ($1,000); and

(C) For a third or subsequent violation, a fine of not less than one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500); and

(2) Award reasonable attorney's fees to the food facility.

(d) The Attorney General or any prosecuting attorney of the state may bring an action against the food delivery platform for a violation of this subchapter."

(Signed) Senator Mark Johnson

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(Signed) Ann Cornwell, Secretary

House Bill No. 1426 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1517 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1517

Amend House Bill No. 1517 as engrossed H3/9/21:

Page 2, delete lines 19 through 24, and substitute the following:
“(f)(1) The Secretary of State is authorized to promulgate rules including detailed specifications for the electronic voter registration application forms, and the security measures for the protection of the voter registration applicant information and the voter registration list.

(2) All rules promulgated under subdivision (f)(1) of this section shall:
(A) Be consistent with this amendment and the laws passed by the General Assembly;
(B) Be of uniform application across the state; and
(C) Follow the procedure for review and approval by the General Assembly under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(3) The Secretary of State shall not promulgate emergency rules under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., within one hundred and eighty (180) days of a federal election unless approved by the General Assembly or if the General Assembly is not in session, by the Legislative Council.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 28 through 30, and substitute the following:
“(2)(A) The Secretary of State shall promulgate rules necessary to implement the requirements of this subsection under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(B) The Secretary of State shall not promulgate emergency rules under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., within one hundred and eighty (180) days of a federal election unless approved by the General Assembly or if the General Assembly is not in session, by the Legislative Council.”

AND
Page 8, delete line 27, and substitute the following:
“voter registration application form was not successfully submitted.

(e)(1) The Secretary of State shall promulgate rules necessary to implement the requirements section under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(2) The Secretary of State shall not promulgate emergency rules under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., within one hundred and eighty (180) days of a federal election unless approved by the General Assembly or if the General Assembly is not in session, by the Legislative Council.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1517 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 350 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 350 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Irvin.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 23, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 107 - ACT 414

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 24, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 212 - ACT 430
- Senate Bill No. 464 - ACT 431
- Senate Bill No. 454 - ACT 432
- Senate Bill No. 357 - ACT 433
- Senate Bill No. 465 - ACT 434
- Senate Bill No. 456 - ACT 435
- Senate Bill No. 448 - ACT 436
- Senate Bill No. 419 - ACT 437
- Senate Bill No. 416 - ACT 438
- Senate Bill No. 344 - ACT 439
- Senate Bill No. 305 - ACT 440
- Senate Bill No. 240 - ACT 441
- Senate Bill No. 249 - ACT 442
- Senate Bill No. 232 - ACT 443
- Senate Bill No. 189 - ACT 444
- Senate Bill No. 22 - ACT 445
- Senate Bill No. 378 - ACT 446

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 25, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 354 - ACT 461
- Senate Bill No. 289 - ACT 462
- Senate Bill No. 421 - ACT 463
- Senate Bill No. 422 - ACT 464
- Senate Bill No. 423 - ACT 465
- Senate Bill No. 424 - ACT 466
- Senate Bill No. 425 - ACT 467
- Senate Bill No. 426 - ACT 468
- Senate Bill No. 427 - ACT 469
- Senate Bill No. 428 - ACT 470
- Senate Bill No. 429 - ACT 471
- Senate Bill No. 430 - ACT 472
- Senate Bill No. 431 - ACT 473
- Senate Bill No. 432 - ACT 474
- Senate Bill No. 433 - ACT 475
- Senate Bill No. 434 - ACT 476
- Senate Bill No. 435 - ACT 477
- Senate Bill No. 436 - ACT 478
- Senate Bill No. 437 - ACT 479


Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
SENATE BILL NO. 596
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DESIGNATION OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS RACING COMMISSION; TO ALLOW THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO DESIGNATE A DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS RACING COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 596 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 597
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE EMPLOYMENT OF THE DIRECTOR OF ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL; TO ALLOW THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO EMPLOY THE DIRECTOR OF ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 597 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 598  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, L. JOHNSON, D. FERGUSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN" AND "PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIP" WITHIN THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENT FOR TELEMEDICINE VIA TELEPHONE; TO PROHIBIT HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN FINANCIAL INCENTIVES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 598 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 599  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FINANCIAL EDUCATION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 599 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 600
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE RIGHT TO KNOW AND GET YOUR PAY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 600 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 601
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SMALL BUSINESS ENTITY TAX PASS THROUGH ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE UNIFORM LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 601 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 602
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING COVERAGE FOR CRANIOFACIAL ANOMALY RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY; TO ESTABLISH WENDELYN’S CRANIOFACIAL LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 602 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 603
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING A HEALTHCARE INSURER’S CONTRACTING WITH A TEMPORARY HOSPITAL FACILITY; TO REGULATE HEALTHCARE CONTRACTS TO REQUIRE GOOD-FAITH COOPERATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 603 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1088 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF PROVIDER SERVICES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1089 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL PERMANENT DISQUALIFYING OFFENSE ON CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1179 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1281
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DURATION OF PARTICIPATION IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1281 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1282
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "NONSTATE EMPLOYEES" AND "PARTICIPATING PUBLIC EMPLOYER" AS THOSE DEFINITIONS APPLY TO THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DEFINE "BORDER MUNICIPAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1282 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1283
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1283 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
As Engrossed: H3/1/21 H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, JETT, VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION; CONCERNING NOTICE OF SEVERE MALTREATMENT REPORTS; CONCERNING CERTAIN ANNUAL REPORTS SUBMITTED BY THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1499 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AUDITS AND
DUTIES OF THE INTERNAL AUDIT SECTION; TO GRANT THE INTERNAL AUDIT
SECTION SUBPOENA POWER; TO REQUIRE UNIFORMITY IN ALL AUDITS
CONDUCTED IN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1559 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES &
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE
REQUIREMENTS THAT NEED TO BE MET BEFORE A SEX OFFENDER CAN
HAVE HIS OR HER OBLIGATION TO REGISTER TERMINATED; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1653 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1679
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND LAWS RELATED TO PLANT INDUSTRIES REGARDING PESTICIDE CONTROL, FERTILIZER REGISTRATION, AND LIME VENDOR LICENSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1679 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1722
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CORONER'S INVESTIGATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1722 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SENTENCING PROCEDURE DURING A CAPITAL MURDER TRIAL IN THE EVENT OF ERROR OCCURRING DURING THE SENTENCING PHASE OF THE TRIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1731 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE STATE CONTRIBUTION TO THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1766 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1773
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO CONFORM TO FEDERAL LAW CONCERNING AGRICULTURAL WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT MEASURES; TO AMEND THE WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT; TO AMEND THE TIME PERIOD DURING WHICH PROJECTS MUST BE COMPLETED UNDER THE WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1773 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 38 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 41 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 45 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 56 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 57 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 97 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 409 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 545, by Senator Trent Garner,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson
Chairman

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 545 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Revenue & Taxation.

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 553, by Senator M. Johnson,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 564, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 564 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 567, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 588 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1426, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 1152 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 1426 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1517 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 604
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO IMPOSE PENALTIES ON STATE AND COUNTY ELECTION OFFICIALS WHO FAIL TO PERFORM STATUTORY DUTIES; TO ALLOW INVESTIGATION OF ELECTION LAW VIOLATIONS BY THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 604 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Leding, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. GARNER, CLOWNEY, ET AL
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, L. EADS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE FAYETTEVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (150) YEARS OF EXCELLENT PUBLIC EDUCATION.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 479 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 479

Amend Senate Bill No. 479 as engrossed S3/22/21:

Page 1, delete lines 12 through 15, and substitute the following:
"RESTAURANT SALES TAXES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROVIDE RELIEF FOR RESTAURANTS; TO ALLOW RESTAURANTS TO EXPAND OUTDOOR DINING; TO DELAY THE PAYMENT OF RESTAURANT SALES TAXES; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 479 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 548 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 548

Amend Senate Bill No. 548 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 25, delete "add additional subdivisions" and substitute "add an additional subdivision"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 36

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 548 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 554 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 554

Amend Senate Bill No. 554 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-2-403(b), concerning manufacturers, importers, or producers of spirituous and vinous beverages, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3) Spirituous liquor beverages classified as a ready-to-drink product containing spirituous liquor with a final finished product of no greater than fifteen percent (15%) alcohol by weight may be registered under § 3-2-409 pursuant to rules adopted by the division.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 3-2-409 is amended to read as follows:

3-2-409. Beer, malt products, or light wine.

(a)(1) Every manufacturer or importer of beer or other malt products or light wine doing business in the State of Arkansas shall submit to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division one (1) label for each brand of beer or malt product or light wine to be shipped for the first time into or within the state and shall designate within the application for registration any number of wholesalers in the state, each of whom shall be the exclusive distributor of such brand within the geographical territory assigned by the manufacturer or importer to such wholesaler.

(2) A wholesaler of beer and light wine may sell:

(A) Ready-to-drink products containing spirituous liquor with a final finished product of no greater than fifteen percent (15%) alcohol by weight; and

(B) Malt liquor.

(b) Transfers of brands of malt products or light wine or changes in geographical distribution areas assigned shall not be subject to the provisions set out above for spirituous or vinous products so long as any such manufacturer or importer has complied with the filing provisions of applicable law.

(c) This section does not create a dual distributorship.

(d) The division shall promulgate rules regarding the distribution of ready-to-drink products containing spirituous liquor with a final finished product of no greater than fifteen percent (15%) alcohol by weight and malt liquor.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 3-5-101 is amended to read as follows:

3-5-101. Wholesaler of beer and light wine may sell malt liquor and certain ready-to-drink products.

A person, firm, or corporation having a permit to sell beer and light wine at wholesale shall be permitted to sell to liquor retailers:

(1) Malt liquor containing greater than five percent (5%) of alcohol by weight; and

(2) Ready-to-drink products containing spirituous liquor with a final finished product of no greater than fifteen percent (15%) alcohol by weight.

SECTION 4. DO NOT CODIFY. Rules.

(a) When adopting the initial rules required under this act, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall file the final rules with the Secretary of State for adoption under § 25-15-204(f):

(1) On or before July 1, 2022; or

(2) If approval under § 10-3-309 has not occurred by July 1, 2022, as soon as practicable after approval under § 10-3-309.

(b) The division shall file the proposed rules with the Legislative Council under § 10-3-309(c) sufficiently in advance of July 1, 2022, so that the Legislative Council may consider the rules for approval before July 1, 2022.

SECTION 5. DO NOT CODIFY. The rules promulgated under this act shall not be effective before July 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 554 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 120 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 120
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PROMULGATE RULES CONCERNING THE SCHOOL COUNSELING IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2019; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 120 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 120. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 120 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 160 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 160
As Engrossed: S1/21/21 S1/26/21 S2/4/21 S3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, F. ALLEN, CHRISTIANSEN, A. COLLINS, COZART, BOYD, HOLLOWELL, BROWN, DOTSON, D. WHITAKER, CLOUD, UNDERWOOD, RICHARDSON, S. SMITH, BENTLEY, LUNDSTRUM, CAVENAUGH, L. JOHNSON, EVANS, M. GRAY, CRAWFORD, EAVES, MCCOLLOUGH, WOOTEN, RYE, SCOTT, WARREN, EUBANKS, GODFREY, MADDOX, S. MEEKS, PERRY, PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOLOCAUST EDUCATION BE TAUGHT IN ALL PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 160 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 160. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 160 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 296 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 296
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT VIDEOTAPING OR SHARING PHOTOGRAPHS OR VIDEO OF RESIDENTS OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES WITHOUT THEIR CONSENT TO THE INTERNET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 296 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 296. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 296 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 300
As Engrossed: S3/3/21 S3/15/21 S3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, GILMORE, T. GARNER, K. HAMMER,
B. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN, HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLAPE, BEATY JR, WATSON, CRAWFORD,
C. COOPER, BENTLEY, CHRISTIANSEN, HOLLOWELL, CLOWNEY,
CAVAUGH, MCNAIR, FORTNER, NICKS, JEAN, SHEPHERD, LYNCH, EVANS,
B. SMITH,
D. GARNER, DALBY, MILLIGAN, CLOUD, UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING PAROLE FOR A PERSON CONVICTED OF THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF A FIREARM BY CERTAIN PERSONS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 300 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 300. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
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Total number of votes cast: 35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 300, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total votes: 35

**NEGATIVE:**
Total: 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**
Total: 0

**EXCUSED:**
Total: 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**
Total: 0
Total number of votes cast.........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 332 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 332
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PUBLIC HEALTH READINESS ACT; TO IMPROVE THE ABILITY OF MEDICAL FACILITIES TO RESPOND IN A PANDEMIC; TO REQUIRE MANUFACTURERS OF DIGITAL ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT USED BY MEDICAL FACILITIES TO MAKE AVAILABLE DOCUMENTS, PARTS, AND SERVICE TOOLS; TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES THAT IS OTHERWISE PROHIBITED TO BE DISCLOSED; TO REQUIRE A RECORD OF DETERMINATIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR MONETARY PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN ACTIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR CIVIL ACTION BY CERTAIN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 332 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 332. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 21

NEGATIVE: Davis, Elliott, Flippo, Hendren, Pitsch, Sample, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Dismang, English, Hill, B. Johnson, Rice, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 332 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 346
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 S3/15/21 S3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER, D. WALLACE,
J. ENGLISH, GILMORE, M. JOHNSON, HICKEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BECK, BENTLEY, SIAPE, CHRISTENSEN,
HOLLOWELL, C. COOPER, TOSH, GAZAWAY, RYE, MADDOX, M. MCELROY,
DALBY, EVANS, WATSON, WOOTEN, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF AUDIO MEDIA, VISUAL MEDIA, AND AUDIOVISUAL MEDIA BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, DISPATCH CENTERS, PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS, JAILS, AND DETENTION CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 346 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Davis, Elliott, Leding, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 588 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 588 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT ENERGY.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 475 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 475
As Engrossed: S3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, M. GRAY, B. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; TO ALTER THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY IN COMPOSITION, NUMBER, AND APPOINTMENT PROCESS; TO AMEND THE MANNER OF DISTRIBUTING THE FEDERAL LOW-INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDIT AND AFFORDABLE NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSING TAX CREDIT; TO REQUIRE CONSENT OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL BEFORE THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY MAY HIRE CERTAIN PROFESSIONALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 475 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sullivan moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 475. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE: Eads.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 475 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 491 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 491
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN LAWS REGARDING APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINING PROGRAMS; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE CAREER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD AND OFFICE OF SKILLS DEVELOPMENT RELATED TO APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAMS AND APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM SPONSORS; TO AMEND THE NAME AND MAKEUP OF THE STATE APPRENTICESHIP COORDINATION STEERING COMMITTEE; TO AMEND THE NAME OF THE STATE APPRENTICESHIP COMMITTEE; TO ESTABLISH THE STATE ELECTRICAL APPRENTICESHIP COMMITTEE; TO AMEND THE USE OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY CRAFT TRAINING TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 491 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 491. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 491 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 504 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 504
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE CODE CONCERNING STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING AID; TO CREATE THE TEACHER SALARY EQUALIZATION FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 504 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 504. Motion carried.

Senator Sturch spoke on the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Sturch.

Total ............................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................................ 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Eads.

Total ............................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 504, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................................ 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch.

Total ............................................................................................................ 1

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.

Total ............................................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................ 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 504 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 524 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 524
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING MINORITY TEACHER AND MINORITY ADMINISTRATOR RECRUITMENT PLANS; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE EQUITY ASSISTANCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 524 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 524. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ............................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 524 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 530 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 530
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, B. BALLINGER, L. EADS, T. GARNER, HESTER, IRVIN, RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT NO. 4 OF 1948; TO REVISE THIRD-PARTY LIABILITY IN THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION LAW; TO MODIFY THE PROCESS FOR REQUESTING A HEARING ON A CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 530 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke against the Bill.
Senator Stubblefield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Wallace closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................ 19
Total ..............................................................................................12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Clark, Rapert, Sturch.
Total ..............................................................................................4

EXCUSED:
Total ..............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................24

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

****** EXPUNGED******

Senator Wallace moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 530 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 530 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 29, 2021.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 532 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 532
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DEFFENBAUGH, EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING WATER BOTTLE FILLING STATIONS; TO REQUIRE ALL NEWLY CONSTRUCTED PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND EXISTING PUBLIC SCHOOLS UNDERGOING ADDITIONS OR TOTAL RENOVATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR WATER BOTTLE FILLING STATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 532 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 532. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................17

Total ................................................................. 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Irvin, B. Johnson, Pitsch, Rice.

Total ................................................................. 5

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption

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Senator English moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 532 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 532 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 29, 2021.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1213 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213
As Engrossed: H2/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING INDIGENT PERSONS AND THE USE OF A PUBLIC DEFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1213 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1213. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1213 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1246 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
As Engrossed: H2/24/21 H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, BRAGG, EUBANKS
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW PHARMACISTS TO TREAT CERTAIN HEALTH CONDITIONS; TO MODIFY PHYSICIAN DISPENSING; TO ALLOW DELEGATION OF PHYSICIAN DISPENSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1246 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1246. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:  Hill, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1246 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1373 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1373  
As Engrossed:  H3/1/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES A. COLLINS, COZART, L. FITE  
BY:  SENATORS BLEDSOE, RAPERT  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO REQUIRE THAT PERSONNEL OF PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS OR DISPATCH CENTERS THAT OFFER PRE-ARRIVAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL CONDITIONS BE TRAINED IN TELEPHONE CPR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1246 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1373. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Beckham, Garner.

Total ................................................................. 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1373 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1402 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1402
As Engrossed: H3/8/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARKER, CLOUD
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ABORTION-INDUCING DRUGS SAFETY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1402 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 26
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1402 was returned to the House as passed.
March 29, 2021

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I support House Bill No. 1402 by Representative Barker and Senator Blake Johnson. I was recorded as not voting on House Bill No. 1402. I would like the record to reflect that I had been called out of the chamber at the time of the roll call and would have voted yea on the bill. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly to show my complete support for House Bill No. 1402.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ALAN CLARK
State Senator
District 13

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On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1458 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1458
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE WITHDRAWAL OF CONSENT TO ADOPT BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1458 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1458. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1458 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1507 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING A SEX OFFENDER'S ABILITY TO RESIDE WITH A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1507 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1507. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1507 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1511 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1511
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VICTIM IMPACT PANEL ATTENDANCE REQUIRED FOR PERSONS WHO COMMIT ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1511 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1511. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: Garner.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1511 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1515 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEDICAID PROVIDER-LED ORGANIZED CARE ACT; TO PROHIBIT OWNERSHIP INTEREST IN MORE THAN ONE (1) RISK-BASED PROVIDER ORGANIZATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1515 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1515. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 25

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Clark, Dismang, Flippo, Hendren, Hill, Irvin, Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, B. Johnson.

Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1515 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1519 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1519
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EAVES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PETROLEUM STORAGE TANK TRUST FUND ACT; TO INCREASE THE BALANCE OF THE PETROLEUM STORAGE TANK TRUST FUND REQUIREING A REDUCTION IN THE PETROLEUM ENVIRONMENTAL ASSURANCE FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1519 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................18
Total .............................................................. 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham.
Total .............................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang, Gilmore, Irvin, Rice.
Total .............................................................. 4

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1519 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1548 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1548
As Engrossed: H3/11/21 S3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PERSONAL CARE MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT ACT; TO ENSURE AN APPROPRIATE REIMBURSEMENT RATE FOR PERSONAL CARE SERVICES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1548 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1548. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1548 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1588 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE OFFENSES OF BATTERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE AND DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE SECOND DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1588 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1588. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................. 35

NEGATIVE: Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1588 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1594 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1594
As Engrossed: H3/3/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, GODFREY, HAAK,
HAWKS, L. JOHNSON, MADDOX
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, HESTER, J. STURCH, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING TEACHING LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1594 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1594. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 30

NEGATIVE:  Beckham, Garner, Sullivan.

Total ......................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Gilmore, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1594 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rice, House Bill No. 1619 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SCHEDULING OF A SCHEDULE VI CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE DELETION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE FROM SCHEDULE VI; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1619 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1619. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................ 0

EXCUSED:
Total ............................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1619 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1648 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1648
As Engrossed: H3/10/21 H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCKENZIE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF INCAPACITATED PERSONS; CONCERNING TEMPORARY GUARDIANSHIPS, INCAPACITY HEARINGS, AND INCAPACITY DETERMINATIONS; TO REPEAL THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF RELATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1648 was pulled down.

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On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 542 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 542
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 542 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 542. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 542 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 579 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 579
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PROCESS BY WHICH THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION MAY SELL OR DISPOSE OF SURPLUS PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 579 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 579. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 579 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 581 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 581
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MAYORS AS PERSONS WHO MAY SOLEMNIZE MARRIAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 581 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 581. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 581 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1501 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1501
As Engrossed: H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. FITE, EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF MULTIDISTRICT VOCATIONAL CENTERS; TO AMEND THE SOURCE OF FUNDING THAT MAY BE USED TO MANAGE, MAINTAIN, AND OPERATE A MULTIDISTRICT VOCATIONAL CENTER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1501 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1501. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................30

NEGATIVE: Dismang, English, Hill, Sturch.
Total .............................................................................................................4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .........................................................................................................1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1501 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1540 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1540
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS; TO AMEND TIMING REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING THE ELECTION OF SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS THAT HAVE TEN PERCENT OR GREATER MINORITY POPULATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1540 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 1540. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1540, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..............................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.
(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1540 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1570 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1570
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BARKER, BENTLEY, BROWN, BRYANT, CAOENAUGH, CLOUD, COLEMAN, C. COOPER, COZART, CRAWFORD, DALBY, DOTSON, C. FITE, FURMAN, GAZAWAY, GONZALES, M. GRAY, HAAK, HOLLOWELL, LADYMAN, LOWERY, LYNCH, J. MAYBERRY, MCGREW, MCNAIR, S. MEEKS, MILLER, PAYTON, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RAY, RICHMOND, SLAPE, B. SMITH, SPEAKS TOLLETT, TOSH, UNDERWOOD, VAUGHT, WARREN, WATSON, WING, BRAGG, HILLMAN, WOOTEN
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH, GILMORE, K. HAMMER, HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, RICE, G. STUBBLEFIELD,
D. WALLACE, D. SULLIVAN, HESTER, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SAVE ADOLESCENTS FROM EXPERIMENTATION (SAFE) ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1570 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding spoke against the Bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the Bill.

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.

Senator Ingram spoke against the Bill.

Senator Irvin spoke on the Bill.

Senator Clark closed on the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................28

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEW, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1570 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1648 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1648
As Engrossed: H3/10/21 H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCKENZIE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF INCAPACITATED PERSONS; CONCERNING TEMPORARY GUARDIANSHIPS, INCAPACITY HEARINGS, AND INCAPACITY DETERMINATIONS; TO REPEAL THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF RELATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1648 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1648. Motion carried.

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Flowers.
Total ...........................................................................................................2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1648 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1589 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREAUX, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT TAXPAYER RESOURCE TRANSACTIONS FOR ABORTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1589 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on *House Bill No. 1589*. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 29

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total .......................................................... 6

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*House Bill No. 1589* was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, *House Bill No. 1629* was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WAREHOUSE FACILITIES AND MUNICIPAL PORT AUTHORITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1629 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1629. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1629 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1699 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WATSON
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HIGHWAY REVENUE DISTRIBUTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF HIGHWAY REVENUE TO COUNTY AND CITY FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1699 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1699. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1699 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 178 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 178

Amend Senate Bill No. 178 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete SECTION 4 in its entirety

AND

Page 2, insert the following SECTIONS immediately following SECTION 5 to read as follows:
SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Department of Human Services, to be payable from the Youth Services Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>WELLPATH, LLC</td>
<td>$448,636.27</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Department of Human Services, to be payable from the Children and Family Services Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>METHODIST LeBONHEUR HEALTHCARE</td>
<td>$27,540.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Department of the Military, to be payable from the Department of the Military Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>FRANKLIN SEBASTIAN PUBLIC WATER AUTHORITY</td>
<td>$29,092.96</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Insurance Department, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>DIRECT NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY</td>
<td>$217,947.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Department of Transportation, to be payable from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>TANNER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC.</td>
<td>$1,489,159.32</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Department of Emergency Management, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>ITEM</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>DAYONG YANG, AS SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR OF THE ESTATE OF LE YANG</td>
<td>$100,000.00</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to be payable from the University of Arkansas Medical Center Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 447

Amend Senate Bill No. 447 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete Sections 1 and 2 in their entirety and insert the following:

SECTION 1. Appropriation - Division of Agriculture. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for construction, renovation, maintenance, equipment, personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas - Division of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the sum of $16,500,000.

SECTION 2. Special Language. Not to be incorporated into the Arkansas Code nor published separately as special, local and temporary law. Pine Tree Research Station.
(a) The Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas shall not sell the property commonly known as the Pine Tree Research Station, located in St. Francis County, Arkansas, which was acquired by the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas from the United States of America acting through the Forest Service in 1978, to a private entity or individual.

(b) The Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas may sell the property commonly known as the Pine Tree Research Station, located in St. Francis County, Arkansas, which was acquired by the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas from the United States of America acting through the Forest Service in 1978, to:

(1) A non-profit corporation organized with the primary mission to keep the land open to the public and available for public use; and

(2) Organized and operated for a minimum of five (5) years.

(c) The property commonly known as the Pine Tree Research Station, located in St. Francis County, Arkansas, which was acquired by the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas from the United States of America acting through the Forest Service in 1978, shall remain open to the public for public use, including without limitation:

(1) Public fishing;
(2) Public hunting;
(3) Biking;
(4) Bird watching; and
(5) Hiking.

(d) All property commonly known as the Pine Tree Research Station, located in St. Francis County, Arkansas, which was acquired by the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas from the United States of America acting through the Forest Service in 1978, in row crop cultivation in the year 2020 is exempt from subsection (c) of this section.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect upon passage and approval through June 30, 2022.

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "two (2)" and substitute "one (1)".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 447 was ordered engrossed.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 449, Senate Bill No. 122 and Senate Bill 54. (Consent passage)

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 449 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 449
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY - HOUSING TRUST FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 449 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 449, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 449 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 54 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 54
As Engrossed: S3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 54 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast......................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 54, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 54 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 122 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 122
As Engrossed: S3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 122 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 122, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 122 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 55 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 55
As Engrossed: S3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 55 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................28


Total ............................................................................................5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Teague.

Total ............................................................................................2

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 55, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 28


Total ................................................................. 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Teague.

Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................................ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 55 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill 301 was returned from the House having failed to override the Governor's Veto.

Senate Bill No. 30 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 149 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 150 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 151 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 352 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 470 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 18 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 18 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 479, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 548, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 554, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 605
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALES TAX TREATMENT OF BROADBAND EQUIPMENT; TO EXEMPT BROADBAND EQUIPMENT FROM SALES TAX WHEN THE EQUIPMENT IS INSTALLED IN A RURAL AREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 605 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 606
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A DRIVER’S INSTRUCTION PERMIT BY THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 606 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 607
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A PEER SUPPORT SPECIALIST IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; TO REMOVE A REFERENCE TO THE ARKANSAS SUBSTANCE ABUSE CERTIFICATION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 607 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 608
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN ARKANSAS RETIREMENT PLAN PORTAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 608 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 609
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, T. GARNER, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE TRANSPARENCY IN FOREIGN INVESTMENT ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 609 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 610
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 610 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 611
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASK FORCE ON ACUITY-BASED CARE; TO RECOMMEND PROTOCOLS AND PROCEDURES TO CREATE STANDARDIZATION AND CONSISTENCY IN NURSE STAFFING WITHIN HOSPITALS AND REHABILITATION AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 611 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 612
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING THE REMOTE TESTIMONY OF A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 612 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 613
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A FAIR-FUNDING PROGRAM WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; TO REPEAL EXISTING LAW REGARDING LIVESTOCK SHOWS AND FAIRS; TO ESTABLISH THE AGRI FAIR FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 613 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1237
As Engrossed: H2/23/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SCHOOL START DATE AND THE DEFINITION AND LENGTH OF A SCHOOL DAY; TO ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS TO ELECT TO IMPLEMENT AN ALTERNATE SCHOOL CALENDAR; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF A SCHOOL DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1237 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1264
As Engrossed: H3/16/21 H3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SMALL TOWN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT; TO AMEND THE EXEMPTIONS TO THE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR ARCHITECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1264 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1446
As Engrossed: H3/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; TO MAKE CHILDREN OF MEMBERS OF THE UNIFORMED SERVICES ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP UNDER THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1446 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1575
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO THE DISPOSAL OF FOWL CARCASSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1575 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ALLOWING A SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT TO INFORM A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER OF THE SUSPENSION OF A TEACHER OR A RECOMMENDATION FOR THE TERMINATION OF A TEACHER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1591 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO FEDERAL LAW CONCERNING RELOCATION ASSISTANCE BY THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1602 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE SUCCESSFUL FAMILIES IN PUBLIC HOUSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1642 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1671
As Engrossed: H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, MCCOLLUM, M. BERRY, BROOKS,
    BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, COLEMAN, COZART, DALBY, EAVES,
    EVANS, FORTNER, GODFREY, HILLMAN, M. HODGES, L. JOHNSON,
    LADYMAN, LYNCH, MADDOX, MCCULLOUGH, M. MCELROY, MCNAIR,
    PAYTON, PERRY, RYE, SCOTT, S. SMITH, SPRINGER, VAUGH,
    WARREN, WATSON, D. WHITAKER, WOOTEN
BY: SENATORS HESTER, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, L. CHESTERFIELD,
    J. DISMANG, L. EADS, ELLIOTT, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, J. HENDREN, HILL,
    K. INGRAM, B JOHNSON, G. LEDING, C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS
STUDENT-ATHLETE PUBLICITY RIGHTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1671 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1702
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING BICYCLE SAFETY; TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF A
PERSON OPERATING A BICYCLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1702 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, BECKHAM, L. CHESTERFIELD, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HILL, RAPERT, B. SAMPLE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LOGGING AND WOOD FIBER TRANSPORTATION JOB CREATION INCENTIVE ACT; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS WOOD ENERGY PRODUCTS AND FOREST MAINTENANCE INCOME TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1706 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1707
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CLOUD
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE ALLOCATION OF ENROLLMENT POSITIONS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COLLEGE OF MEDICINE BASED ON CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT AND ARKANSAS RESIDENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1707 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SICK LEAVE FOR MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1717 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE INDEMNIFICATION BY THE STATE FOR CERTAIN ACTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1775 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 178, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 178 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 447, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM AS THE CLASS 6A STATE CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 17 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 547, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 590, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 585, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:
HOUSE BILL NO. 1136, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1460, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARILKSAS SENATE
NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 89, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 584, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1694, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLLOWELL,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451, BY REPRESENTATIVE GODFREY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO.  54
SENATE BILL NO.  55
SENATE BILL NO.  120
SENATE BILL NO.  122
SENATE BILL NO.  160
SENATE BILL NO.  296
SENATE BILL NO.  300
SENATE BILL NO.  332
SENATE BILL NO.  346
SENATE BILL NO.  449
SENATE BILL NO.  475
SENATE BILL NO.  491
SENATE BILL NO.  504
SENATE BILL NO.  524
SENATE BILL NO.  542
SENATE BILL NO.  579
SENATE BILL NO.  581

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213
HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
HOUSE BILL NO. 1373
HOUSE BILL NO. 1402
HOUSE BILL NO. 1458
HOUSE BILL NO. 1501
HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
HOUSE BILL NO. 1511
HOUSE BILL NO. 1515
HOUSE BILL NO. 1519
HOUSE BILL NO. 1540
HOUSE BILL NO. 1570
HOUSE BILL NO. 1588
HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
HOUSE BILL NO. 1594
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
HOUSE BILL NO. 1629
HOUSE BILL NO. 1648
HOUSE BILL NO. 1699

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1548 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 30
SENATE BILL NO. 38
SENATE BILL NO. 41
SENATE BILL NO. 45
SENATE BILL NO. 56
SENATE BILL NO. 57
SENATE BILL NO.  97
SENATE BILL NO. 149
SENATE BILL NO. 150
SENATE BILL NO. 151
SENATE BILL NO. 352
SENATE BILL NO. 409
SENATE BILL NO. 470

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 18 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE
HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN/ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO OVERRIDE THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

SENATE BILL NO. 301

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
HOUSE BILL NO. 1089
HOUSE BILL NO. 1173
HOUSE BILL NO. 1179
HOUSE BILL NO. 1237
HOUSE BILL NO. 1264
HOUSE BILL NO. 1281
HOUSE BILL NO. 1282
HOUSE BILL NO. 1283
HOUSE BILL NO. 1446
HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559
HOUSE BILL NO. 1575
HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
HOUSE BILL NO. 1602
HOUSE BILL NO. 1642
HOUSE BILL NO. 1653
HOUSE BILL NO. 1671
HOUSE BILL NO. 1679
HOUSE BILL NO. 1702
HOUSE BILL NO. 1706
HOUSE BILL NO. 1707
HOUSE BILL NO. 1717
HOUSE BILL NO. 1722
HOUSE BILL NO. 1731
HOUSE BILL NO. 1766
HOUSE BILL NO. 1775
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 30, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Mark Johnson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 527 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 527

Amend Senate Bill No. 527 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Beckham, Bledsoe, Flippo, K. Hammer, Hester, B. Johnson, Rapert, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Beaty Jr., Brown, Cloud, Dotson, Furman, Ladyman, Penzo as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 527 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 570 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 570

Amend Senate Bill No. 570 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 27, delete "(b)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following: "authority shall appoint members to the board as described in this act.

(2) The initial appointments of the members appointed under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall draw lots for terms of two (2), four (4), or six (6) years.

(3) An initial term of two (2) or four (4) years shall not count against reappointment."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 570 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 602 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 602

Amend Senate Bill No. 602 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 26, delete "or a specialized team"

AND

Page 2, line 29, delete "or a specialized team"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 602 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 29, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 85 - ACT 498

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
ARAKANSSENATE
NINETH-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 30, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 149, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 150, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 151, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 352, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 470, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:50 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 30
SENATE BILL NO. 149
SENATE BILL NO. 150
SENATE BILL NO. 151
SENATE BILL NO. 352
SENATE BILL NO. 470

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this thirtieth day of March, 2021 at 9:50 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1, 
BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,
SENATE BILL NO.  38, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  41, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  45, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  56, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  57, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  97, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 409, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:50 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO.  38
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SENATE BILL NO. 409
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(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 527, BY SENATOR BEN GILMORE,
SENATE BILL NO. 570, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 527 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 570 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 602 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 566, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1640, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1679, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1773, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 298, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 592, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 386, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:
HOUSE BILL NO. 1264, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1683, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 50, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 444, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 284, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 513, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 560, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK
SENATE BILL NO. 561, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JIM HENDREN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

- HOUSE BILL NO. 1162, BY REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1379, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1487, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1505, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1597, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1562, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 614
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PAID CANVASSERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE COMPENSATION OF PAID CANVASSERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 614 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 18
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM APRIL 2021 AS AUTISM AWARENESS AND ACCEPTANCE MONTH IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 18 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 159 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 159

Amend Senate Bill No. 159 as engrossed S3/2/21:

Add Representative Lundstrum as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 159, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Eads, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 159 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 159
As Engrossed: S3/2/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES FOR PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; TO ALLOW PRIVATE SCHOOLS TO ESTABLISH AND APPOINT AN INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 159 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 159. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 159 was passed and ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 333 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 333

Amend Senate Bill No. 333 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives McCullough, Richardson, D. Garner, Godfrey, Clowney, Boyd, L. Johnson, Pilkington, Penzo, Lundstrum, Bryant, Haak, Underwood, D. Whitaker, M. Hodges as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 333, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Eads, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 333 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 333
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS L. EADS, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, MCCOLLOUGH, RICHARDSON,
D. GARNER, GODFREY, CLOWNEY, BOYD, L. JOHNSON,
PILKINGTON, PENZO, LUNDSTRUM, BRYANT, HAAK,
UNDERWOOD, D. WHITAKER, M. HODGES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LAWFUL DISPLAY OF A LICENSE PLATE; TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION ALLOWING CERTAIN DEVICES TO OBSCURE A LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 333 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 333. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ..........................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ..........................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..........................................................0
Total number of votes cast..............................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 333 was passed and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 584 at this time.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 584 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 584

Amend Senate Bill No. 584 as originally introduced:

Page 35, line 18, delete "Challenge," and substitute "Challenge, nursing school scholarships."

AND

Page 44, delete line 15, and substitute the following: "after July 1, 2021.

SECTION 10. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE. DO NOT CODIFY.
The requirement under § 6-85-501 of this act that the following bills be introduced in the General Assembly during the first thirty-one (31) calendar days of a regular session shall take effect on and after July 1, 2021:

(1) A bill that creates a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable; and

(2) A bill that affects an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable."
AND

Page 44, line 17, delete "SECTION 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE." and substitute "SECTION 11. EMERGENCY CLAUSE."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 584 was ordered engrossed.

Suspending Mask Requirement:

Senator Hickey moved suspension of Rule 6.b. of the 2021 Regular Session Senate Rules for Committee Procedures and Section 2. (a) of the Senate Temporary Emergency Procedures, regarding the mask requirements in Senate committee rooms, public comment holding rooms and Senate facilities, for the remainder of the 2021 Regular Session.

Motion carried by voice vote.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 479 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO PROVIDE RELIEF FOR RESTAURANTS; TO ALLOW RESTAURANTS TO EXPAND OUTDOOR DINING WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION; TO DELAY THE PAYMENT OF RESTAURANT SALES TAXES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 479 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke for the bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the bill.
Senator Tucker closed for the bill.

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 479. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 479, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 479 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 548 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 548
As Engrossed: S3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW FOR CONSISTENCY IN OPERATIONS OF A VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT IN AN INCORPORATED TOWN OR A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 548 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 548. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 548 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 554 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 554  
As Engrossed: S3/29/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; TO AUTHORIZE BEER WHOLESALERS TO DISTRIBUTE CERTAIN READY-TO-DRINK PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 554 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?  
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 18

Total ...........................................................................................  9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, English, Irvin, Rice, Sturch, Sullivan.

Total ...........................................................................................  8

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................ 27
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 554 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1281 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1281
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR BILL SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DURATION OF PARTICIPATION IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1281 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Beckham.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast .........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1281, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 30
NEGATIVE: Beckham.
Total ........................................................................................... 1
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2
EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast........................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...............................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1281 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1282 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1282
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "NONSTATE EMPLOYEES" AND "PARTICIPATING PUBLIC EMPLOYER" AS THOSE DEFINITIONS APPLY TO THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DEFINE "BORDER MUNICIPAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES
House Bill No. 1282 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1282. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Gilmore.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1282 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1283 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1283
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1283 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

On motion of Senator Sturch the Senate recessed until 2:05 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

Senator Ballinger spoke against the bill.
Senator Sample closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 14

Total ......................................................................................... 16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Irvin, Rapert, Rice.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

**EXPUNGED**

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1283 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 30, 2021.

Senator Sample moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1283 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1572 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1572
As Engrossed: H3/15/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, ET AL
BY: SENATORS FLIPPO, BLEDSOE, GILMORE, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE INFORMED CONSENT FOR CHEMICAL ABORTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1572 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1572. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1572 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1658 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND COMMITTEES WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1658 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1658. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1658 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1716 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1716
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOLCOMB, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES IN RURAL AREAS OF ARKANSAS; TO EXPAND THE OPTIONS FOR CONSTRUCTING AND OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACING FACILITIES IN CERTAIN RURAL AREAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1716 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................25

NEGATIVE:  Dismang, Hickey, Hill, Sample, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Chesterfield, Rice, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................3

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:  Eads, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast .......................................................................32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1716 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1729 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1729
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MILK STABILIZATION BOARD ACT; TO AMEND POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS MILK STABILIZATION BOARD; TO SET THE PRICE TO BE PAID FOR MILK PRODUCED AND SOLD IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1729 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1729. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, English, Garner, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast........................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1729 was returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 584, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 161 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 163 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 229 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 397 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 410 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 490 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 500 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 525 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1610
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF STUDENT RESTRAINTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS OR EDUCATIONAL SETTINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1610 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1688
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCLURE, BRAGG, WOMACK
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JOINT COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT TO REQUIRE THAT COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL MEMBERS HAVE BUDGETARY APPROVAL AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1688 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1750
As Engrossed: H3/22/21 H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOMACK, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE VOLUNTARY CONSOLIDATION OF AN AFFECTED DISTRICT; TO ALLOW A CONTIGUOUS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO CONSOLIDATE WITH AN AFFECTED DISTRICT UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1750 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1754
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CHILD SUPPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1754 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1774
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS
CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98, ALSO KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS
MEDICAL MARIJUANA AMENDMENT OF 2016"; TO MODIFY REQUIREMENTS
CONCERNING A PHARMACIST CONSULTANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1774 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY &
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1788
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH BROADBAND
IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1788 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 603, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1573, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1601, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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SENATE BILL NO. 548
SENATE BILL NO. 554

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AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1282
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1658
HOUSE BILL NO. 1716
HOUSE BILL NO. 1729

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1774
HOUSE BILL NO. 1788
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 o'clock p.m.,
Wednesday, March 31, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
March 31, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Irvin.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Resolution No. 17 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17

Amend Senate Resolution No. 17 as originally introduced:

Add Senator L. Chesterfield as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Resolution No. 17 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 608 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 608 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Hammer.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,**

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 159, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 161, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 229, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 333, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 397, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 410, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 490, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 500, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,**
**SENATE BILL NO. 525, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,**
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:30 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 159
SENATE BILL NO. 161
SENATE BILL NO. 163
SENATE BILL NO. 229
SENATE BILL NO. 333
SENATE BILL NO. 397
SENATE BILL NO. 410
SENATE BILL NO. 490
SENATE BILL NO. 500
SENATE BILL NO. 525

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this thirty-first day of March, 2021 at 11:30 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) MEGAN PERKINS, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 167, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 586, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 31, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 450, By Senator Missy Irvin,
Senate Bill No. 544, By Senator Terry Rice,
Senate Bill No. 589, By Senator Bob Ballinger,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Alan Clark, Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

March 31, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 18, By Senator Alan Clark,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313, BY REPRESENTATIVE RYE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1321, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1727, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1732, BY REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2021
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 420, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 481, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 593, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 528, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it to pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:  

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1050, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1468, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1703, BY REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1705, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1706, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,  

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they to pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 288, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 486, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 487, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 488, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 550, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 119, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 283, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1666, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1637, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1720, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 615
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. DAVIS, BECKHAM, B. BALLINGER,
M. JOHNSON, FLIPPO, HESTER, GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, LOWERY, PILKINGTON, BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE REQUIREMENT OF VACCINE PASSPORTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 615 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 616
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO PROHIBIT MUNICIPALITIES AND COUNTIES FROM Restricting THE USE OF AUXILIARY CONTAINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 616 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 617
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, ELLIOTT,
K. HAMMER, K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE WRITTEN CONSENT OF A PATIENT TO TRANSFER A PRESCRIPTION FROM A PHARMACY; TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE BY A PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER, HEALTHCARE INSURER, PHARMACY, PHARMACIST, PHYSICIAN, OR HOSPITAL OF OWNERSHIP INTEREST OR POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST; TO PROHIBIT DATA MINING OF PATIENT INFORMATION BY PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGERS, HEALTHCARE INSURERS, PHARMACIES, AND PHARMACISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 617 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 618
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ACCEPTANCE OF CERTAIN FEDERAL BENEFITS PROMOTING VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 618 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 619
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; TO AMEND THE TERM OF OFFICE OF A MEMBER
OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; TO AMEND THE DATE ON
WHICH AN ELECTION FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS
SHALL BE HELD IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 290 was called up for the
purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 290

Amend Senate Bill No. 290 as engrossed, S2/24/21:

Add Representatives F. Allen, Barker, S. Berry, Cavenaugh, Cloud, Eaves, Evans,
Haak, Gazaway, Gonzales, M. Gray, McCullough, Richardson, Scott, Slape, Warren
as cosponsors of the bill

AND
Add Senators J. Dismang, T. Garner, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 290, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Leding, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 290 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 290
As Engrossed: S2/24/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, BLEDSOE, L. EADS, J. HENDREN, K. INGRAM, B. DAVIS, ELLIOTT, IRVIN, TEAGUE, J. DISMANG, T. GARNER, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, D. FERGUSON, JETT, BOYD, MADDOX, MURDOCK, F. ALLEN, BARKER, S. BERRY, CAVENAUGH, CLOUD, EAVES, EVANS, HAAK, GAZAWAY, GONZALES, M. GRAY, MCCULLOUGH, RICHARDSON, SCOTT, SLAPE, WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COVERAGE OF DIAGNOSTIC EXAMINATIONS FOR BREAST CANCER UNDER CERTAIN HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 290 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 290. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 386 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendments No. 1 & 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 386

Amend Senate Bill No. 386 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Love as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 386, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 386

Amend Senate Bill No. 386 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following:
"the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission and the Department of Health;"
AND
Page 7, line 15, delete "or wastewater"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LOVE
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 386, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 386 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 386
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RETAIL WATER PROVIDERS AND RELATED SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 386 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 386. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total............................................................................................................33

**NEGATIVE:** Flowers, Hester.

Total .............................................................................................................2

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .............................................................................................................0

**EXCUSED:**

Total .............................................................................................................0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*Senate Bill No. 386* was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hill the Senate recessed for two minutes.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, *Senate Bill No. 59* was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.
Amend Senate Bill No. 59 as engrossed, S2/22/21:

Page 4, delete line 25, and substitute the following:

“stamped on a central metallic part such as the receiver or frame.

4-21-105. Unlawful enforcement of federal statutes. 
(a) An employee of a state agency, a public servant of the state, or an agent or employee of the United States Government shall not knowingly enforce or attempt to enforce any act, law, statute, rule, or regulation of the United States Government created or effective on or after January 1, 2021, and relating to a personal firearm, firearm accessory, or ammunition that is owned or manufactured commercially or privately in Arkansas so long as the personal firearm, firearm accessory, or ammunition is within the borders of Arkansas.

(b) A person who violates this section upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 59 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 585 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 585 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete lines 25 through 29, and substitute the following:

(B) ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System; or

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WALLACE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 585 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1451 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Amend House Bill No. 1451 as engrossed, H3/15/21:

Add Senators B. Davis, Irvin as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 11, delete "SCHOOL DISTRICT" and substitute "SCHOOL DISTRICT OR AN OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL"
AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR AN OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL TO ADOPT AN APPROVED BILINGUAL PROGRAM OR DUAL-IMMERSION PROGRAM."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "public school district" and substitute "public school district or an open-enrollment public charter school"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend House Bill No. 1451 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1562 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1562

Amend House Bill No. 1562 as engrossed, H3/15/21:

Add Representative Fortner as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Amend House Bill No. 1562 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1636 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1636

Amend House Bill No. 1636 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 20, delete "or lessee"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1636 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1651 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1651

Amend House Bill No. 1651 as originally introduced:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1651 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 284 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 284
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF CAPITAL RAPE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 284 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 284. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................27

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Dismang, Hendren.

Total .............................................................................................................3

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Clark, Elliott, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................................4
Total number of votes cast .................................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 284 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 298 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 298
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS SOVEREIGNTY ACT OF 2021"; CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING OTHER CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 298 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator Hendren spoke against the Bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the Bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.
Senator Rice spoke for the Bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the Bill.
Senator Stubblefield closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 513 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 513**
*As Engrossed: S3/15/21*
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF A PERSON'S DRIVER'S LICENSE FOR FAILURE TO PAY OR FAILURE TO APPEAR; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A RESTRICTED DRIVER'S PERMIT ISSUED UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 513 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 513. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 513 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 547 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 547
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO REGULATE A DIRECT SELLER AS AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 547 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 547. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 547 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 560 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 560
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS CIVIL ASSET FORFEITURE REFORM ACT OF 2021"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 560 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 560. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ......................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 560 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 561 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 561
As Engrossed: S3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REMOVAL OF AN OFFENDER’S NAME FROM THE CHILD MALTREATMENT CENTRAL REGISTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 561 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 561. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 561 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 566 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 584 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 584  
As Engrossed: S3/30/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS HICKEY, L. EADS, IRVIN, J. ENGLISH  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM - PART 2; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CREATION OR AMENDMENT OF SCHOLARSHIPS FUNDED WITH NET REVENUE AVAILABLE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 584 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 584. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 584, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ..............................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 584 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 590 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 590
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO END MANDATORY FACE COVERING REQUIREMENTS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 590 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Garner closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................20
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Dismang, English, Sturch, Teague.

Total 4

EXCUSED:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT: Eads, Hammer.

Total 2

Total number of votes cast 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 590, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total 20
NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Dismang, English, Sturch, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Eads, Hammer.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 31

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 590 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 31, 2021.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 603 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 603
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING A HEALTHCARE INSURER'S CONTRACTING WITH A TEMPORARY HOSPITAL FACILITY; TO REGULATE HEALTHCARE CONTRACTS TO REQUIRE GOOD-FAITH COOPERATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 603 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 603.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 603 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Garner moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 590 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Garner, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll for adoption of the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 590.

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 590. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24
So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 590 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1068 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1068

Amend House Bill No. 1068 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 36, delete "(f)" and substitute "(f)(1)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

“meetings for healthcare services, including group therapy,

(2) Telemedicine for group therapy provided to adults who are participants in a program or plan authorized and funded under 42 U.S.C. § 1396a, as approved by the United States Secretary of Health and Human Services, may only be permitted if the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services allows telemedicine for group therapy provided to adults.

(3) Telemedicine shall not be used for group therapy provided to a child who is eighteen (18) years of age or younger.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1068 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1136 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1136  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CLOUD, PILKINGTON  
BY:  SENATOR B. DAVIS  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE HEPATITIS C SCREENING DURING PREGNANCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES  

House Bill No. 1136 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1136. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ........................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................................ 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1136 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1162 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1162
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING BENEFICIARY DEEDS; TO PROHIBIT THE RECOVERY OF BENEFITS AGAINST AN INTEREST ACQUIRED FROM A DECEASED RECIPIENT BY A GRANTEE OF A BENEFICIARY DEED IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1162 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1162. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:** Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1162 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1264 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1264
As Engrossed: H3/16/21 H3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SMALL TOWN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT; TO AMEND THE EXEMPTIONS TO THE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR ARCHITECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1264 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1264. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Flowers, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1264 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1379 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
As Engrossed: H2/24/21  H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONSENT TO ADOPTION AND RELINQUISHMENT OF PARENTAL RIGHTS DURING THE ADOPTION PROCESS; CONCERNING THE REPORT OF EXPENDITURES RELATED TO AN ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1379 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1379. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total .................................................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1379 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1460 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WORKFORCE FREEDOM ACT OF 2021; TO ELIMINATE DUPLICATIVE LICENSING REQUIREMENTS AT THE LOCAL LEVEL; TO INCREASE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORKERS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1460 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1460. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1
House Bill No. 1460 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1487 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1487
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BUSINESS LIABILITY FOR A PERSON EXPOSED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1487 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1487. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1487, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1487 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1505 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, MCCULLOUGH
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR A DRIVER WHO FAILS TO REMAIN AT THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT THAT RESULTS IN DEATH OR PERSONAL INJURY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1505 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1505. Motion carried.

Senator Garner spoke on the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Clark, Flowers.

Total .......................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Elliott.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Tucker.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1505 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1597 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
As Engrossed: H3/8/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION AND USE OF PEPPER SPRAY OR TEAR GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1597 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1597. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1597 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1640 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
As Engrossed:  H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES HILLMAN, F. ALLEN, K. FERGUSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING INDUSTRIAL HEMP PRODUCTION; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL HEMP ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL HEMP PRODUCTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1640 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1640. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Bledsoe.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1640 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1679 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1679  
As Engrossed: H3/18/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND LAWS RELATED TO PLANT INDUSTRIES REGARDING PESTICIDE CONTROL, FERTILIZER REGISTRATION, AND LIME VENDOR LICENSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1679 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1679. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 31

NEGATIVE: English.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Gilmore, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1679 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1694 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1694
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOLLOWELL, MURDOCK
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PRESERVE PUBLIC PROPERTY; TO PRESERVE THE PINE TREE RESEARCH STATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1694 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1694. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 31

NEGATIVE: Davis, Hendren, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1694, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 31
NEGATIVE: Davis, Hendren, Hester.
Total ................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1694 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1773 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1773
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO CONFORM TO FEDERAL LAW CONCERNING AGRICULTURAL WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT MEASURES; TO AMEND THE WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT; TO AMEND THE TIME PERIOD DURING WHICH PROJECTS MUST BE COMPLETED UNDER THE WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1773 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1773. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1773 was returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 585, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-third General Assembly
Regular Session
March 31, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House Bill NO. 1068, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
House Bill NO. 1451, BY REPRESENTATIVE GODFREY,
House Bill NO. 1562, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM,
House Bill NO. 1636, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
House Bill NO. 1651, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLOUGH,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 620
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY USED AS A POLLING PLACE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLLING PLACES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 620 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 54 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 64 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 122 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 235 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 250 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 256 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 257 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 349 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 389 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 407 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 449 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 204 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WATSON, M. BERRY, ET AL
BY: SENATOR HESTER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND DESIGNATE
THE MONTH OF MARCH AS "NATIONAL ATHLETIC TRAINING MONTH" IN THE
STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was read the first time, rules
suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCLURE, JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE WAIVER OF
CERTAIN AD VALOREM TAXES ON UTILITIES AND CARRIERS; TO CREATE A
STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON THE COLLECTION OF CERTAIN AD VALOREM
TAXES ON UTILITIES AND CARRIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1043 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CLAIM FOR A REFUND OF OVERPAYMENT OF TAX; TO AUTHORIZE THE OFFSET OF A TAX REFUND TOWARD A TAX DELINQUENCY WHEN A FINAL ASSESSMENT OF TAX HAS BEEN ISSUED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1048 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1077 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1080 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MEDICAID TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1087 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1167
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES AND FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1167 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1518
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CREATION OF A TRUST; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A POWER OF ATTORNEY AS IT RELATES TO THE CREATION AND VALIDITY OF A TRUST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1518 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1567
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTOR GENERAL - INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1567 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE EVALUATION AND RESTRUCTURING OF LICENSURE FEES RELATED TO THE PRACTICE OF PHYSICAL THERAPY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1612 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COLOCATION FOR OUTPATIENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1682 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE STUDENT OUTCOMES BY PROVIDING STUDENTS, PARENTS, AND GUIDANCE COUNSELORS WITH RELIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING THE COST OF COLLEGE AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1700 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1723
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR DATA COLLECTION AND EVALUATION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE AND INITIAL TIME-CRITICAL DIAGNOSES AND PROCEDURES; TO ENSURE CONFIDENTIALITY TO HELP IMPROVE HEALTH OUTCOMES AND PROMPT TREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1723 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM SCORE REQUIRED ON THE UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP CIVICS TEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1744 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1752
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENABLE THE ARKANSAS RACING COMMISSION TO REQUIRE CERTAIN EMPLOYEES TO APPLY FOR A LICENSE; TO REQUIRE BACKGROUND CHECKS ON AN APPLICANT FOR A LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1752 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1765
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; TO MODIFY THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM TO PREVENT, DETECT, AND RECOVER UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FRAUD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1765 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 527, BY SENATOR BEN GILMORE,
SENATE BILL NO. 568, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 572, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOLE, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 341, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendments No. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1623, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1659, BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 284
SENATE BILL NO. 298
SENATE BILL NO. 513
SENATE BILL NO. 547
SENATE BILL NO. 560
SENATE BILL NO. 561
SENATE BILL NO. 584
SENATE BILL NO. 590
SENATE BILL NO. 603
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1136
HOUSE BILL NO. 1162
HOUSE BILL NO. 1264
HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
HOUSE BILL NO. 1460
HOUSE BILL NO. 1487
HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
HOUSE BILL NO. 1679
HOUSE BILL NO. 1694
HOUSE BILL NO. 1773

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO.  54
SENATE BILL NO.  64
SENATE BILL NO. 122
SENATE BILL NO. 235
SENATE BILL NO. 250
SENATE BILL NO. 256
SENATE BILL NO. 257
SENATE BILL NO. 349
SENATE BILL NO. 389
SENATE BILL NO. 407
SENATE BILL NO. 449
SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 204 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043
HOUSE BILL NO. 1048
HOUSE BILL NO. 1077
HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
HOUSE BILL NO. 1167
HOUSE BILL NO. 1518
HOUSE BILL NO. 1567
HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
HOUSE BILL NO. 1682
HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
HOUSE BILL NO. 1723
HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
HOUSE BILL NO. 1752
HOUSE BILL NO. 1765

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, April 1, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Pastor Happy Caldwell, Agape Church of Little Rock.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Rules Committee recommended the following change to the Temporary Emergency Procedures:

To amend Section 3 of the Temporary Emergency Procedures of the 93rd Senate to allow the Chaplain of the day to be admitted to the Senate Chamber.

Section 3 of the Temporary Emergency Procedures of the 93rd Senate is amended to read as follows:
"Section 3. Admittance to Senate Chamber. Unless circumstances require otherwise, when the Senate is in session, only the following individuals will be allowed in the Senate Chamber: Senators, the Lieutenant Governor, staff, and no more than two (2) members of the media at a time.

However, pursuant to Rule 5 of the Senate, the Chaplain of the Day shall be admitted to the Senate Chamber to open session with prayer. " Motion carried.

Senator Eads moved to allow Pastor Caldwell on the floor to open the session with a prayer. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 191

Amend Senate Bill No. 191 as engrossed S3/4/21:

Page 3, line 8, delete "members of the campus community students and" and substitute "members of the campus community"

AND

Page 3, line 9, delete "teachers"

AND

Page 4, line 4, delete "state and federal laws for"

AND

Page 4, line 5, delete "the prohibition of" and substitute "prohibitions against"

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "members of" and substitute "members of"

AND

Page 4, delete line 14, and substitute the following:
"the campus community;"
Page 5, line 16, delete "is illegal" and substitute "violates the laws of this state or the Arkansas Constitution"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  54, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  64, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.  122, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO.  235, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO.  250, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.  256, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.  257, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO.  290, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO.  349, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO.  386, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO.  389, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO.  407, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.  449, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:20 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 54
SENATE BILL NO. 64
SENATE BILL NO. 122
SENATE BILL NO. 235
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SENATE BILL NO. 256
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SENATE BILL NO. 290
SENATE BILL NO. 349
SENATE BILL NO. 386
SENATE BILL NO. 389
SENATE BILL NO. 407
SENATE BILL NO. 449

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this first day of April, 2021 at 10:20 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hester, and without objection, the House was requested to return House Bill No. 1063 for further consideration.
April 1, 2021

The Honorable Sherri Stacks
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Stacks:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, House Bill No. 1063.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, DIRECTOR
Secretary of the Senate
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 536, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 541, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 613, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL, VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 597, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 616, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 339, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1688, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCLURE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1717, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1722, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1775, BY REPRESENTATIVE JEAN,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 139, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 580, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 251, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 599, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN
HOUSE BILL NO. 1614, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1677, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1510, BY REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN
We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 178, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 552, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514, BY REPRESENTATIVE MEEKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1602, BY REPRESENTATIVE BEATY, JR.,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 621
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO HAVE ALL CONSENT DECREES RECONSIDERED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 621 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 622
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HICKEY, A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT DELAYING RELEASE FROM PRISON FOR CERTAIN OFFENDERS UNTIL THE OFFENDER HAS SERVED AT LEAST EIGHTY PERCENT (80%) OF HIS OR HER SENTENCE; CREATING PENALTIES FOR FALSE REPORTING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT; CREATING A REGISTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 622 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 623
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, BENTLEY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CLIMATE REGULATORY ARKANSAS PLUMBING ACT; TO CREATE A CERTIFIED CLIMATE REGULATORY PLUMBING PLUMBER INSPECTOR; TO CREATE THE CLIMATE REGULATORY ARKANSAS PLUMBING OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 623 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Resolution No. 18 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 18
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM APRIL 2021 AS AUTISM AWARENESS AND ACCEPTANCE MONTH IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 18 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 18 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 18

Amend Senate Bill No. 18 as engrossed S1/28/21:

Add Representatives Christiansen, M. Davis as cosponsors of the bill
Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 9-13-101(a)(1)(A), concerning the award of custody, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(iv)(a) In an action concerning an original child custody determination in a divorce or paternity matter, there is a rebuttable presumption that joint custody is in the best interest of the child.

(b) The presumption that joint custody is in the best interest of the child may be rebutted:

(1) If the court finds by clear and convincing evidence that joint custody is not in the best interest of the child;

(2) If the parties have reached an agreement on all issues related to custody of the child;

(3) If one (1) of the parties does not request sole, primary, or joint custody; or

(4) If a rebuttable presumption described in subsection (c) or subsection (d) of this section is established by the evidence.

(c) The circuit court may enter an order to reduce areas of conflict in a manner determined appropriate by the court.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-13-101(b)(1)(A)(ii) and (iii), concerning the award of custody, are amended to read as follows:

(ii) To this effect, the circuit court may consider awarding joint custody of a child to the parents in making an order for custody.

(iii) If, at any time, the circuit court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that one (1) parent demonstrates a pattern of willfully creating conflict in an attempt to disrupt a current or pending joint-custody arrangement and the circuit court is unable to enter an order that will reduce areas of conflict caused by the disruptive parent, the circuit court may deem such behavior as a material change of circumstances and may change a joint custody order to an order of primary custody to the nondisruptive parent.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 9-13-101(b)(1)(A), concerning the award of custody, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(vi) A court shall consider the best interest of the child when making a child custody determination.

(vii)(a) A parent who is not granted sole, primary, or joint custody of his or her child is entitled to reasonable parenting time with the child unless the court finds after a hearing that parenting time between the parent and the child would seriously endanger the physical, mental, or emotional health of the child.

(b) At the request of a party, a court shall issue a written order that:

(1) Is specific as to the frequency, timing, duration, condition, and method of scheduling parenting time with a parent who is not granted sole, primary, or joint custody of his or her child; and

(2) Takes into consideration the developmental age of the child.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 9-13-101(b), concerning the award of custody, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:
(3) After a hearing on the merits of a child custody action, if a court determines that the presumption in subdivision (a)(1)(A)(iv)(a) of this section is rebutted, the court shall enter a written order that includes the following:

(A) Facts, findings, and conclusions of law concerning the basis for the court's determination; and

(B) A parenting time schedule that:

(i) Maximizes the amount of time that each parent has with the child; and

(ii) Is consistent with the best interest of the child."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 18, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 18 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 18
As Engrossed: S1/28/21 H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT,
    B. BALLINGER, D. SULLIVAN, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, LOWERY, BROWN, CLOUD, C. COOPER,
    COZART, CRAWFORD, M. GRAY, HAAK, HOLLOWELL, MAGIE, MCNAIR,
    S. BERRY, CHRISTIANSEN, M. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 18 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 18. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 33

**NEGATIVE:** Flowers, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 18 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 119 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.
Amend Senate Bill No. 119 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 34 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 119, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Wallace, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE POLICY ACT; TO AMEND THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 119 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 119. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

| NEGATIVE: | Total ......................................................................................... 0 |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: | Total ......................................................................................... 0 |
| EXCUSED: | Total ......................................................................................... 0 |
| VOTING PRESENT: | Total ......................................................................................... 0 |

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 119 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 204 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 204

Amend Senate Bill No. 204 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives McKenzie, C. Fite as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator D. Wallace as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MCKENZIE

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 204, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 204, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in.
On motion of Senator Hendren, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 204 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 204
As Engrossed: H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. HENDREN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCKENZIE, C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY OF THE BEST PRACTICES FOR REDUCING THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 204 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 204. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast...............................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 204 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 283 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 283

Amend Senate Bill No. 283 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Rye as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete Section 1, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 1-5-117(a), concerning Arkansas Music Appreciation Day, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:
(9) James C. Morris, also known as "Jimmy Driftwood";
(10) James Edward Brown, also known as "Jim Ed Brown";
(11) James Collin;
(12) Ellis CeDell Davis;
(13) Louis Jordan; and
(14) Shelley Breen, Denise Jones, Leigh Cappillino, Terry Jones, and Heather Payne, members and former members of Point of Grace."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RYE

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 283, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 283 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 283
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIST OF MUSICIANS INCLUDED IN ARKANSAS MUSIC APPRECIATION DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 283 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 283. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
  Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

  Total number of votes cast ....................................... 35
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

  (SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 283 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 450 was placed back on second
reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 450

Amend Senate Bill No. 450 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, A. Clark, B. Davis, J. Dismang, J.
English, Flippo, T. Garner, Gilmore, K. Hammer, Hester, Hill, B. Johnson, M.
Johnson, Rapert, G. Stubblefield, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

AND

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "athletics, sports, or other" and substitute "interscholastic, intercollegiate, intramural, or club athletic teams or sports"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "similar activities"

AND

Page 3, delete line 7, and substitute the following:

"(a) Any interscholastic, intercollegiate, intramural, or club athletic teams or sports that are"

AND

Page 3, line 13, delete "athletics, sports," and substitute "interscholastic, intercollegiate, intramural, or club athletic team or sport"

AND

Page 3, line 14, delete "or other similar activity"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "entity that" and substitute "entity that knowingly"

AND

Page 3, line 22, delete "entity that" and substitute "entity that knowingly"

AND

Page 3, line 23, delete "entity has violated" and substitute "entity has knowingly violated"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 450 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 528 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 528

Amend Senate Bill No. 528 as originally introduced:

Add Senators A. Clark, Flippo, M. Johnson as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Warren, Cozart, Evans, L. Fite, D. Garner, Hawks, M. Hodges, Lundstrum, McClure, M. McElroy, McGrew, Milligan as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 528 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 544 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 544

Amend Senate Bill No. 544 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 1 in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 29, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

12-29-119. Use of federal relief or stimulus funds to pay outstanding court obligations.

(a) Unless prohibited by federal law, a person who is in the custody of the Department of Corrections for an offense committed in the state who receives any federal relief or stimulus funds from the United States Government is required to first use the federal relief or stimulus funds to pay off existing court fines, fees, costs, or restitution before he or she may use the federal relief or stimulus funds for any other purpose.

(b) If the department is made aware of existing court fines, fees, costs, or restitution owed by a person in its custody who has received funds from the United States Government, the department shall:

(1) Verify the funds received by the person are intended for the person;
(2) Verify the funds received are federal relief or stimulus funds;
(3) Withhold from any federal relief or stimulus funds an amount not to exceed the amount owed for fines, fees, costs, or restitution; and
(4) Forward the withheld federal relief or stimulus funds to the circuit clerk in the county to which existing court fines, fees, costs, or restitution are owed.

(c) It is not the responsibility of the department to search for existing court fines, fees, costs, or restitution owed by a person in its care and custody.

(d) If the department is unable to confirm funds received by a person in its custody are federal relief or stimulus funds, the funds will be deposited into the person’s inmate banking account."

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete “financial stimulus or relief” and substitute “relief or stimulus”

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete “financial stimulus or relief” and substitute “relief or stimulus”

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete “financial”

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 544 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 589 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 589

Amend Senate Bill No. 589 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Underwood, V. Flowers, and Pilkington as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 589 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 59 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 59
As Engrossed: S2/8/21 S2/22/21 S3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, T. GARNER, B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM, DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "INTRASTATE FIREARMS PROTECTION ACT"; TO PREVENT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FROM REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, ASSEMBLY, AND TRADE OF FIREARMS AND AMMUNITION WITHIN THE BORDERS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 59 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................28

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ...........................................................................................................7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 89 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 89
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 89 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 89. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 89 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 167 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 167
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR POST-ADOPTION CONTACT AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 167 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 167. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 22
NEGATIVE: Dismang, Elliott, Hendren, Hester, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, Leding, Pitsch, Tucker.

Total......................................................................................... 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Flowers, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................18

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 167 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Resolution No. 17 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17

As Engrossed: S3/31/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, L. CHESTERFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM AS THE CLASS 6A STATE CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 17 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 288 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 288  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A LIMITED EXEMPTION FOR RULE PROMULGATION FOR ENTITIES NOT SUBJECT TO THE ARKANSAS ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT; TO ALLOW AN ALTERNATIVE PROCESS FOR FILING A RULE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 288 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 288. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..........................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..........................................................0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 288 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 420 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 420
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EXTENSIONS OF TIME TO FILE INCOME TAX RETURNS; TO EXTEND THE EXTENDED DEADLINE FOR FILING A STATE INCOME TAX RETURN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 420 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 420. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total .................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 420 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 481 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 481
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC ROADS IMPROVEMENTS CREDIT ACT; TO INCREASE THE USE OF THE PROGRAM CREATED UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC ROADS IMPROVEMENTS CREDIT ACT BY MAKING IT EASIER TO USE THE TAX CREDIT PROVIDED UNDER THE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 481 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 481. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.....................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 481 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 486 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 486
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION


BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES RELATED TO VOTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 486 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the bill
Senator Garner spoke for the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 28

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding.

Total ........................................................................................................ 6

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

**EXPUNGED**

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 486 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 1, 2021.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 487 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 487
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON, BECKHAM, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO,
GILMORE, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, RICE, B. SAMPLE, G. STUBBLEFIELD,
J. STURCH, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WING, BARKER, ET AL

AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED: CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND ALTERATION OF PRECINCT BOUNDARIES, POLLING SITES, AND VOTE CENTERS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 487 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.

Senator Hammer closed on the bill.

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 487. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 487 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 488 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 488
As Engrossed: S3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, BROWN, BARKER, BEATY JR., BECK, BENTLEY, S. BERRY, BOYD, BRAGG, BROOKS, CARR, CAVENAUGH, CHRISTENSEN, CLOUD, COLEMAN, COZART, CRAWFORD, DALBY, M. DAVIS, EAVES, EUBANKS, EVANS, L. FITE, GAZAWAY, GONZALES, HAAK, HAWKS, HOLLOWELL, LADYMAN, LUNDSTRUM, MADDOX, MCCOLLUM, MCGREW, MCNAIR, S. MEEKS, PAYTON, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RICHMOND, RAY, B. SMITH, S. SMITH, SPEAKS, VAUGHT, WARREN, WATSON, WING, M. BERRY, C. COOPER, M. GRAY, WOOTEN.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION TO THE
EXAMINATION AND COPYING OF PUBLIC RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967 AND VOTED BALLOTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 488 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 488. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................28

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ..............................................................................................5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ..............................................................................................1

EXCUSED:

Total ..............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ..............................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast .............................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 550 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 550
As Engrossed: S3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEE CHARGED FOR A PHONE CALL BY AN INMATE IN A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 550 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 550. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 550 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 585 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 585
As Engrossed:  S3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE AN ELECTRONIC WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH A COLLECTION RECOVERY PLAN; TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUSTAINABILITY OF THE PROGRAM THROUGH PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND PUBLIC AND PRIVATE AGREEMENTS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE PROGRAM THROUGH CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 585 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 585. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..........................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..........................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 585 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 586 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 586
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PARENT TO APPOINT A TEMPORARY GUARDIAN FOR HIS OR HER MINOR CHILD IN THE EVENT OF THE DEATH OF THE PARENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 586 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 586. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 586 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 593 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TEMPORARILY EXTEND THE INCOME TAX FILING DEADLINE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 593 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 593. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 593, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.............................................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 593 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1068 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068
As Engrossed: S3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO SPECIFY THAT THE HOME OF A PATIENT MAY BE AN ORIGINATING SITE FOR TELEMEDICINE AND THAT GROUP MEETINGS MAY BE PERFORMED VIA TELEMEDICINE; TO CLARIFY REIMBURSEMENT OF TELEMEDICINE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1068 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1068. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1068 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1321 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1321
As Engrossed: H2/25/21  H3/8/21  S3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, BOYD, BRYANT, CLOUD, DALBY, L. FITE,
    M. GRAY, HAAK, HAWKS, HILLMAN, JEAN, L. JOHNSON, J. MAYBERRY,
    MCCOLLM, RAY, UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, HESTER, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1321 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1321. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1321 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1357 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, BENTLEY, BREAUX, CAVENAUGH, FURMAN, M. GRAY, HAAK. L. JOHNSON, B. SMITH
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONTINUE CARE FOR THE PROTECTION OF CANCER SURVIVORS; CONCERNING COVERAGE FOR POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY UNDER A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN TO SCREEN FOR OR DIAGNOSE CANCER IN CERTAIN PATIENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1357 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1357. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1357 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1443 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1443
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW RELATED TO THE MANAGEMENT AND SALE OF TAX-DELINQUENT LANDS BY THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1443 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1443. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ..................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ..................................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast............................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1443 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1444 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1444
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ADOPT A DOCUMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1444 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1444. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1444 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1451 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GODFREY, COZART, EVANS, VAUGHT, WOMACK
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, HESTER, L. EADS, J. STURCH,
ELLIOTT, B. DAVIS, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE BASIC LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT OR AN OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL TO ADOPT AN APPROVED BILINGUAL PROGRAM OR DUAL-IMMERSION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1451 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1451. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. ...................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1451 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
April 2, 2021

Ms. Ann Cornwell  
Director, Arkansas Senate  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol Building, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72202

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I was called out of the chamber when House Bill No. 1451 was passed on April 1, 2021, using the rolled vote process. I would like a letter for the record showing I would have voted "present" on this bill. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) JASON RAPERT  
STATE SENATOR  
DISTRICT 35

JR/ac
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1468 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1468
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF STATE TAXES; TO AMEND THE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING PROCEDURES FOR STATE TAXES; TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR TAXPAYER JUDICIAL RELIEF; TO CREATE THE INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1468 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1468. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total .............................................................. 1
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0
EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................. 0
VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1468 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1516 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1516
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, L. JOHNSON, RICHARDSON,
CRAWFORD, RICHMOND
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER TO TRANSPORT A PERSON IN CRISIS TO A SOBERING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1516 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1516. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1516 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1562 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1562
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, FORTNER
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1562 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1562. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1562 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1573 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, PERRY
    BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTES CONCERNING PROCURERS; TO REGULATE THE USE OF A PROCURER BY A LICENSED CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1573 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1573. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1573 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1601 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1601
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE MINIMUM REQUIRED NONFORFEITURE RATE FOR INDIVIDUAL DEFERRED ANNUITIES UNDER THE STANDARD NONFORFEITURE LAW FOR INDIVIDUAL DEFERRED ANNUITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1601 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1601. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1601 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1636 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636
As Engrossed: S3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING FERAL HOGS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "FERAL HOG"; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE CAPTURING AND KILLING OF FERAL HOGS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING TRANSPORTING AND RELEASING FERAL HOGS; TO CLARIFY THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION RELATED TO FERAL HOGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1636 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1636. Motion carried.

Senator Tucker spoke for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 31
NEGATIVE: Garner.
   Total ...........................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED:
   Total ...........................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Ballinger, Davis, Dismang.
   Total ...........................................................................................3

   Total number of votes cast .............................................................35
   Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

   (SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1636 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1637 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW REVIEW OF PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ALLOW THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO REVIEW PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDERS; TO ADDRESS IMPLEMENTATION OF A PRESIDENTIAL EXECUTIVE ORDER UNDER REVIEW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1637 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1637. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
    Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
    Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1637 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1651 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
As Engrossed: S3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCULLOUGH, GAZAWAY
    BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSES OF SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE SECOND DEGREE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE WHEN COMMITTED BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1651 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1651. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total  .......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1651 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1666 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1666
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN LAWS PERTAINING TO ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1666 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1666. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1666 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1703 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CASINOS TO REPORT GAMBLING WINNINGS TO THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO REQUIRE THAT CASINOS WITHHOLD ARKANSAS INCOME TAX ON GAMBLING WINNINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1703 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1703. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1703 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1705 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF STATE TAXES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEARING AND APPEAL OF STATE TAX DISPUTES; TO PROVIDE CONFORMING CHANGES RELATED TO THE CREATION OF THE INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1705 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1705. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast.............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1705 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1706 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, BECKHAM, L. CHESTERFIELD, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HILL, RAPERT, B. SAMPLE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LOGGING AND WOOD FIBER TRANSPORTATION JOB CREATION INCENTIVE ACT; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS WOOD ENERGY PRODUCTS AND FOREST MAINTENANCE INCOME TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1706 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1706.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1706 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1720 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1720  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE REVIEW OF NEWLY ENACTED LAWS AND THE ADOPTION OF REQUIRED RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1720 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1720. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................31
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield.  
Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: 
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Flowers, Tucker. 
Total .................................................................3

Total number of votes cast ..................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1720 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rice, House Bill No. 1727 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1727
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY
BY: SENATOR RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT UPON A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OR AN EMPLOYEE OF A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1727 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1727. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1727, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........................................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1727 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1732 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1732
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSES OF VOYEURISM AND VIDEO VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1732 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1732. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1732 was returned to the House as passed.

House Bill No. 1063 was returned to the House as requested.

Senator Hester moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1063 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senator Tucker moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 486 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 486 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 486
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON, BECKHAM, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO,
    GILMORE, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, RICE, B. SAMPLE,
    G. STUBBLEFIELD, J. STURCH, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING
PENALTIES FOR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES RELATED TO VOTING; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 486 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 486.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Clark, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Hickey, Hill,
Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch,
Sullivan, Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 486 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Clark moved to extract Senate Bill No. 623 from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 444 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 444
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 444 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 444. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.............................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 444, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 444 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 447 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 447
As Engrossed: S3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 447 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 447. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Davis, Dismang, Eads, Hendren, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 447, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 30
NEGATIVE:  Davis, Dismang, Eads, Hendren, Hester.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 447 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget bills.
Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO.  50
SENATE BILL NO. 121

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 50 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 50
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 50 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 50, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 50 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 121 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 121
As Engrossed: S2//9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - DIVISION OF LABOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 121 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 121, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total .......................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on JOINT BUDGET BILLS. Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
HOUSE BILL NO. 1089
HOUSE BILL NO. 1167

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1080 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1080 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1080, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1080 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1087 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MEDICAID TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1087 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1087, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1087 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1089 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1089
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF PROVIDER SERVICES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1089 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1089, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1089 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1167 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1167
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES AND FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1167 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1167, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1167 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1567 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1567**

*As Engrossed: H3/9/21 H3/23/21*

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTOR GENERAL - INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1567 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1567. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:** Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1567, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ............................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1567 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 450, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 528, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,
SENATE BILL NO. 544, BY SENATOR TERRY RICE,
SENATE BILL NO. 589, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT ENERGY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON, VICE CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 624
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROGRAMS PROVIDING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO COUNTIES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 624 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 625
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO INCLUDE MEMBERS FROM THE PERMANENT AND SEMIPERMANENT COSMETIC INDUSTRY AND THE BODY ART INDUSTRY; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR LICENSURE AND REGULATIONS OF PERMANENT COSMETICS AND SEMIPERMANENT COSMETICS PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 625 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 626
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BAIL BOND TRANSPARENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 626 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 627
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. BALLINGER, B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PROPAGATION OF DIVISIVE CONCEPTS; TO PROHIBIT STATE CONTRACTS WITH CONTRACTORS WHO PROPAGATE DIVISIVE CONCEPTS; TO REVIEW STATE ENTITY TRAINING MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 627 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1240
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATORS M. PITSCH, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE ARKANSAS CREDIT FOR REINSURANCE LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1240 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL REGULATION OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDING DESIGN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1463 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO PERMIT A RECORDS CUSTODIAN TO DISCLOSE A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE’S GROSS SALARY AMOUNT WITHOUT ADVANCED NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE; TO PROVIDE THAT A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE IS NOT ENTITLED TO SEEK THE ATTORNEY GENERAL’S REVIEW OF A RECORDS CUSTODIAN’S DECISION TO DISCLOSE ONLY THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE’S GROSS SALARY AMOUNT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1626 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1715
As Engrossed: H3/15/21 H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, WING, ET AL
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON, BECKHAM, J. ENGLISH, RAPERT, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SPOILED BALLOTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1715 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1745
As Engrossed: H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCGREW
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER TRAINING FOR CERTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE COMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1745 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE TAX TREATMENT OF PRODUCING MINERALS; TO DEFINE AND SET THE TAX TREATMENT FOR OIL WELLS AND PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1755 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT CERTAIN INFORMATION BE INCLUDED ON STUDENT IDENTIFICATION CARDS OR IDENTIFICATION BADGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1770 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1777
As Engrossed: H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLOWNEY, EAVES, M. GRAY, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS’ VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION PROCEDURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1777 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1797
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL PROVISIONS OF THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY REVIEW BOARD TO PROMULGATE OR ENFORCE CERTAIN RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1797 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1803
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, WING
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS BALLOTTING INTEGRITY ACT OF 2021; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTION EXPENSE ALLOCATION; TO AMEND THE COMPLAINT PROCESS FOR ELECTION LAW VIOLATIONS; TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY AND DUTIES OF THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1803 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1804
As Engrossed: H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY AUDIT BILL OF RIGHTS; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER LICENSURE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1804 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS; TO ALLOW AN AGENCY TO SUBMIT A REQUEST FOR A SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR PROMOTIONAL ITEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1806 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF A FAMILY IN NEED OF SERVICES CASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1809 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Senate Bill No. 196 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 496 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 511 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 531 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 554 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 418 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

The Senators approved all of the appointments by the Governor with the exception of Dr. Jose Romero by Senator Hickey.
Ann Cornwell, Director  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Director Cornwell:

This letter is a request that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Bob Ballinger, confirm the following appointment.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON

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Secretary of the Senate
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Ann Cornwell, Director  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201  

Dear Director Cornwell:  

This letter is a request that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Cecile Bledsoe, confirm the following appointments.  

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State Capitol, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201  

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Vanessa Falwell  December 31, 2024  State Board of Health

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Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Director Cornwell:

This letter is a request that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Linda Chesterfield, confirm the following appointments.

Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

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STATE OF ARKANSAS
Asa Hutchinson
Governor

January 11, 2021

Ann Cornwell, Director
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Director Cornwell:

This letter is a request that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Alan Clark, confirm the following appointments.

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Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Director Cornwell:

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Dear Director Cornwell:

This letter is a request that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Breanne Davis, confirm the following appointments.

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STATE OF ARKANSAS  
Asa Hutchinson  
Governor  

March 12, 2021  

Ann Cornwell, Director  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201  

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Mississippi County

Dan Gamble                       Oct. 1, 2023           Residential Contractors Committee
Mississippi County

Joe Harris                       Jan. 14, 2028          Arkansas Waterways Commission
Mississippi County

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Respectfully submitted,

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cc: The Honorable John Thurston, Secretary of State
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<td>Board of Directors of the</td>
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<td>Division of Science and Technology of the</td>
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<td>Brad Hardin,</td>
<td>October 14, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas Fire Protection</td>
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<td>Washington County</td>
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<td>Bill Fowler</td>
<td>July 1, 2027</td>
<td>Board of Visitors for Arkansas State University Three Rivers</td>
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<td>Dr. John Robinette</td>
<td>August 31, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine</td>
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<td>Jefferson County</td>
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<td>State Banking Board</td>
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<td>Jimmy Jones</td>
<td>January 14, 2028</td>
<td>Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission</td>
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<td>Adrienne Woods</td>
<td>June 30, 2026</td>
<td>State Board of Education</td>
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<td>Liquified Petroleum Gas Board</td>
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<td>Vanessa Falwell</td>
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<td>State Board of Health</td>
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<td>Michele Fincher, Pulaski County</td>
<td>July 31, 2022</td>
<td>Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques</td>
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<td>Gary Horton, Pulaski County</td>
<td>September 1, 2021</td>
<td>Arkansas Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics Board</td>
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<td>Dr. Jennifer Redmond-Knight, Pulaski County</td>
<td>October 1, 2024</td>
<td>Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Advisory Committee</td>
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<td>Katherine Holmstrom, Pulaski County</td>
<td>January 14, 2026</td>
<td>War Memorial Stadium Commission</td>
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<td>Angela Sanders</td>
<td>August 7, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas State Respiratory Care Examining Committee</td>
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<td>Alan Hughes</td>
<td>May 1, 2024</td>
<td>Arkansas Workforce Development Board</td>
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<td>Dr. Michael Courtney</td>
<td>June 9, 2025</td>
<td>Arkansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners</td>
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Garland County

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<td>Kyle Jones, Pope County</td>
<td>March 1, 2024</td>
<td>Arkansas State Occupational Therapy Examining Committee</td>
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<td>Mike Williamson, Pope County</td>
<td>July 1, 2022</td>
<td>Trauma Advisory Council</td>
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<td>State Board of Health</td>
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<td>Robin Ralston</td>
<td>August 15, 2024</td>
<td>Arkansas Agriculture Board</td>
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<td>Mark Taylor</td>
<td>June 30, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas Early Childhood</td>
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<td>Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy</td>
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<td>White County</td>
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<td>Elizabeth Anderson</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2021</td>
<td>Arkansas State Medical Board</td>
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<td>Lonoke County</td>
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<td>Dr. Kenneth Calhoun</td>
<td>June 30, 2023</td>
<td>Career Education and Workforce Development Board</td>
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<td>Prairie County</td>
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<td>Norman Walker</td>
<td>Sept. 1, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission</td>
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<td>Lonoke County</td>
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<td>Bobby Glover</td>
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<td>Board of Corrections</td>
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<td>Chris Howell</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2024</td>
<td>Advisory Committee on Petroleum Storage Tanks</td>
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<td>Kelly Johnson</td>
<td>June 30, 2025</td>
<td>Board of Directors of Northwest Technical Institute</td>
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<td>Dr. Keith Vire</td>
<td>June 30, 2022</td>
<td>Career Education and Workforce Development Board</td>
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<td>Dr. Lawrence Ash</td>
<td>June 30, 2024</td>
<td>Elevator Safety Board</td>
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<td>Thomas Gilder</td>
<td>April 9, 2024</td>
<td>Health Services Permit Commission</td>
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<td>Susan Morse</td>
<td>Jan. 14, 2026</td>
<td>Arkansas Dietetics Licensing Board</td>
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<td>Steven Smith</td>
<td>January 14, 2027</td>
<td>Alcoholic Beverage Control Board</td>
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<td>Lorie Tudor</td>
<td>July 1, 2023</td>
<td>State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors</td>
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<td>Kathryn Swanson</td>
<td>March 1, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas State Occupational Therapy Examining Committee</td>
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<td>Betty Guhman</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2025</td>
<td>State Medical Board</td>
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<td>Ralph Hudson</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2022</td>
<td>Board of Information Network of Arkansas</td>
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<td>Christopher Jensen</td>
<td>January 14, 2031</td>
<td>Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission</td>
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<td>Paula Steinsiek</td>
<td>October 5, 2024</td>
<td>Crime Victims Reparations Board</td>
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<td>July 20, 2023</td>
<td>Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children</td>
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<td>Anthony Thornton, Baxter County</td>
<td>July 1, 2021</td>
<td>Trauma Advisory Council</td>
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<td>Vickie Burlsworth, Boone County</td>
<td>June 30, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas Board of Dispensing Opticians</td>
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<td>Nate Evers</td>
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<td>Joshua Barkhimer</td>
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<td>August 15, 2024</td>
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<td>Board of Visitors for the University of Arkansas-Pulaski Technical College</td>
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<td>October 1, 2024</td>
<td>Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Advisory Committee</td>
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<td>Board of the Information Network of Arkansas</td>
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<td>March 23, 2022</td>
<td>Arkansas Educational Television Commission</td>
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<td>Bank Commissioner</td>
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<td>Pleasure of the Governor</td>
<td>Director of the Assessment Coordination Division of the Department of Finance and Administration</td>
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<td>Darren Spinks</td>
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<td>Arkansas State Board of Registration for Foresters</td>
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Cleburne County

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<td>State Review Committee for Historic Preservation</td>
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<td>Arkansas Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics &amp; Advisory Board</td>
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<td>July 1, 2022</td>
<td>Trauma Advisory Council</td>
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<td>Ed Spaeth, Faulkner County</td>
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<td>Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission</td>
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<td>Jacob McMillan</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2023</td>
<td>Advisory Committee on Petroleum Storage Tanks</td>
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<td>July 31, 2021</td>
<td>Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques</td>
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<td>Stephen Percival</td>
<td>June 30, 2023</td>
<td>Career Education and Workforce Development Board</td>
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<td>Katie Hampton</td>
<td>January 15, 2024</td>
<td>Arkansas Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board</td>
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<td>Micah Saterfield</td>
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<td>Arkansas Orthotics,</td>
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<td>James Duncan</td>
<td>Sept. 1, 2024</td>
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<td>Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling</td>
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<td>Robert Mason, Sebastian County</td>
<td>Oct. 15, 2025</td>
<td>Arkansas Veterans’ Commission</td>
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<td>June 30, 2023</td>
<td>Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology</td>
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<td>Dr. Susan DeBlack</td>
<td>Faulkner County</td>
<td>April 26, 2022</td>
<td>State Board of Optometry</td>
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<td>Career Education and Workforce Development Board</td>
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<td>Justin Brazeal</td>
<td>Faulkner County</td>
<td>March 1, 2025</td>
<td>Arkansas State Occupational Therapy Examining Committee</td>
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<td>Universal Newborn Hearing Screening, Tracking, and Intervention Advisory Board</td>
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<td>Eddie Glover Faulkner County</td>
<td>Jan. 14, 2028</td>
<td>Arkansas Natural Resources Commission</td>
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<td>Dr. Jeff Standridge Faulkner County</td>
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<td>Board of Directors of the Division of Science and Technology of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission</td>
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<td>Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board</td>
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<td>August 17, 2025</td>
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<td>Sheri Rogers</td>
<td>June 1, 2024</td>
<td>Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities</td>
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<td>George French</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2023</td>
<td>State Banking Board</td>
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<td>Arkansas State Board of Sanitarians</td>
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<td>Dr. Allison Hall Johnson County</td>
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<td>Arkansas Board of Dispensing Opticians</td>
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<td>Dennis Wiederkhehr Franklin County</td>
<td>March 1, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas Wine Producers Council</td>
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<td>Keep Arkansas Beautiful</td>
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<td>Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Advisory Committee</td>
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<td>Jeremy Baltz</td>
<td>June 30, 2027</td>
<td>Board of Trustees of Black River Technical College</td>
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<td>Randolph County</td>
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<td>Bennie Cooper</td>
<td>July 1, 2027</td>
<td>Board of Trustees of Ozarka College</td>
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<td>Jan. 14, 2025</td>
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<td>April 9, 2021</td>
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<td>Residential Contractors Committee</td>
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<td>Eric Bell</td>
<td>April 9, 2024</td>
<td>Health Services Permit Commission</td>
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<td>August 7, 2023</td>
<td>Arkansas State Respiratory Care Examining Committee</td>
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<td>Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology</td>
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<td>Career Education and Workforce Development Board</td>
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<td>March 23, 2028</td>
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<td>April 30, 2025</td>
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<td>Russell Meeks, III, Pulaski County</td>
<td>Dec. 31, 2023</td>
<td>State Banking Board</td>
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<td>Jan. 14, 2028</td>
<td>Board of Trustees of the University of Central Arkansas</td>
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1357
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443
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AS PASSED AS AMENDED NO. 1

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AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1804
HOUSE BILL NO. 1806
HOUSE BILL NO. 1809

HOUSE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, April 5, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Leding requested leave for Senator Flowers. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Garner.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Chesterfield.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 67 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 67

Amend Senate Bill No. 67 as engrossed, S3/4/21:

Page 10, line 8, delete "Vendor".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 414 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 414 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28 and substitute the following:

"to fund the extension of an existing water system to an area no greater than twenty-five (25) square miles unserved by potable water occupied by residences and no less than two (2) conference or retreat centers that host events for children or youth for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the sum".

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 414 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 535 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 535 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "PERSONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION ACT;" and substitute "GOVERNMENT INTERACTION WITH NONPROFIT ENTITIES ACT;"
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:

"TO CREATE THE GOVERNMENT INTERACTION WITH NONPROFIT ENTITIES ACT."

AND

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:
"4-28-418. Limitations on regulation by a public agency."

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "organization" and substitute "nonprofit organization"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "statute." and substitute "state statute."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 35, and substitute the following:
"(b) The exception under subsection (a) of this section shall not:
(1) Apply to:
(A) State grants and contracts;
(B) Fraud investigations;
(C) Regulation or licensing of entities by the Department of Human Services; or
(D) Regulation or licensing by the Department of Labor and Licensing;
(2) Restrict enforcement actions against specific nonprofit organizations; and
(3) Restrict or limit the functions, powers, and duties granted to the Attorney General to investigate violations of state or federal law and to enforce state or federal law."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 7 and 8, and substitute the following:
"This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Government Interaction with Nonprofit Entities Act"."

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "an individual" and substitute "a person"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 21 through 26, and substitute the following:
"(2) Expressly required by law;
(3) As part of a public comment or in a public meeting;
(4) In another manner that is publicly accessible;
(5) Pursuant to a warrant or court order issued by a court of competent jurisdiction;
(6) Made by a lawful discovery request for personal information in"
And
Page 3, line 28, delete "(5)(A)" and substitute "(7)(A)"
And
Page 3, line 36, delete "(6)" and substitute "(8)"
And
Page 4, line 2, delete "(7)" and substitute "(9)"
And
Page 4, delete lines 13 through 36
And
Page 5, delete lines 1 through 3
And
Page 5, line 4, delete "(c)"

(Signed) Senator Breanne Davis

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(Signed) Ann Cornwell, Secretary

Senate Bill No. 535 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 551 was withdrawn from the Committee on City, County & Local Affairs, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 551

Amend Senate Bill No. 551 as originally introduced:
Delete SECTION 1 in its entirety

AND

Page 2, delete line 6, and substitute with the following:
"discounts that are received by the wholesaler from"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 551 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 567 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 567

Amend Senate Bill No. 567 as engrossed, S3/29/21:

Page 1, delete line 32, and substitute the following: "investigations by the coroner and by a law enforcement agency."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "attorney."

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "all"

AND
Page 2, delete lines 18 through 29, and substitute the following:
"the decedent's and the next of kin's:
  (A) Social Security number;
  (B) Address; and
  (C) Phone number."

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "gathered or created" and substitute "provided to the coroner"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "provided to the coroner"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:
  "(2) Records provided by the State Crime Laboratory related to the
decedent, including without limitation any laboratory reports or other information
generated based on the analysis of physical evidence."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 587 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 587

Amend Senate Bill No. 587 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 33, delete “The following shall” and substitute “All changes to a plan design that will take effect January 1, 2022, or thereafter, shall”

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete “adoption:” and substitute “adoption, including without limitation:”

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete “year:” and substitute “year: or”

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete “eligibility: or” and substitute “eligibility:”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 and 7

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 587 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 610 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 610

Amend Senate Bill No. 610 as originally introduced:


AND

Page 2, delete line 2, and substitute the following: "22-9-203, 26-36-203, 26-37-102, and 26-37-107."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 610 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1671 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1671

Amend House Bill No. 1671 as engrossed, H3/22/21:

Add Senators J. English, K. Ingram, Irvin as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Beaty Jr., Clowney, Fielding, C. Fite, Hudson, McClure as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1671 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1700 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1700

Amend House Bill No. 1700 as engrossed, H3/18/21:
Page 2, delete lines 16 through 22, and substitute the following:
"6-60-1201. Definition.
As used in this subchapter, "college" means a state-supported two-year or four-year institution of higher education."

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "Department of Education" and substitute "Division of Higher Education"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "Department of Education" and substitute "Division of Higher Education"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "and vocational"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "schools"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "and vocational"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "schools"

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "and vocational schools"

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "and vocational schools"

AND

Page 3, line 3, delete "and vocational"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "schools"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "a vocational school" and substitute "a two-year college"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "department" and substitute "division"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 24 and 25, and substitute the following:
“(2) The Division of Career and Technical Education;
(3) The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education;"
(4) The Division of Information Systems; and
(5) The Department of Commerce.”

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "(c) The" and substitute "(c)(1) The"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 27 through 29, and substitute the following:
"this section shall utilize current state reports compiled into a single, easily
understandable digest.

(2) The state reports to be utilized shall include without limitation the:
(A) Higher Education Consumer Guide;
(B) Economic Securities Report;
(C) Ready for Life Initiative report and State Longitudinal Data
System;
(D) College Scorecard; and
(E) Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System Data
Feedback reports of the National Center for Education Statistics.

6-60-1203. Information published to public by Division of Higher Education.”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 30 through 33, and substitute the following:
"(a) The Division of Higher Education shall partner with the Ready for Life
Initiative to include information required under § 6-60-1202 in the Arkansas Ready
for Life searchable database, which shall include without limitation:"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete “Graduation” and substitute “Average graduation”

AND

Page 3, line 36, delete “Salary” and substitute “Average salary”

AND

Page 4, line 2, delete “amounts” and substitute “headcount”

AND

Page 4, line 3, delete “information” and substitute “information of enrollees in each
program”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 4 and 5, and substitute the following:
"(7) Percentage of students in student loan default;"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete “Students receiving” and substitute “Percentage of students
receiving”
Page 4, delete line 9, and substitute the following:

"(11) The average one-year retention rate of students majoring in the top five (5) majors;"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 10 and 11, and substitute the following:

"(12) Average success rates, which measure the percentage of students who have graduated, transferred, or are still enrolled in colleges in this state."

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "or vocational school"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "or vocational school"

AND

Page 4, line 19, delete "or vocational school"

AND

Page 4, line 20, delete "at this" and substitute "in this state"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 21 and 22, and substitute the following:

". (insert number) will graduate in 6 years; of those."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 7 through 11, and substitute the following:

"6-60-1205. Effective date."

AND

Page 5, line 13, delete "January" and substitute "July"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 15 through 25

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1700 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1765 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1765

Amend House Bill No. 1765 as originally introduced:

Add Senator K. Hammer as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1765 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 13 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 13 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 14 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 14 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 16 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 16 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 17 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 17 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 534 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 534 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 1, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 1, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 163 - ACT 522
- Senate Bill No. 525 - ACT 523
- Senate Bill No. 38 - ACT 524
- Senate Bill No. 41 - ACT 525
- Senate Bill No. 45 - ACT 526
- Senate Bill No. 56 - ACT 527
- Senate Bill No. 57 - ACT 528
- Senate Bill No. 97 - ACT 529
- Senate Bill No. 410 - ACT 530
- Senate Bill No. 149 - ACT 531
- Senate Bill No. 150 - ACT 532
- Senate Bill No. 151 - ACT 533
- Senate Bill No. 352 - ACT 534
- Senate Bill No. 159 - ACT 535
- Senate Bill No. 161 - ACT 536
- Senate Bill No. 229 - ACT 537
- Senate Bill No. 333 - ACT 538
- Senate Bill No. 397 - ACT 539
- Senate Bill No. 490 - ACT 540
- Senate Bill No. 500 - ACT 541
- Senate Bill No. 409 - ACT 542
- Senate Bill No. 30 - ACT 543

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 18, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 119, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 204, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 283, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 496, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 511, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 531, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 554, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:01 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 18
SENATE BILL NO. 119
SENATE BILL NO. 204
SENATE BILL NO. 283
SENATE BILL NO. 196
SENATE BILL NO. 496
SENATE BILL NO. 511
SENATE BILL NO. 531
SENATE BILL NO. 554
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 67, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 414, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 414 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 535, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 535 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 551, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 567, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,  
SENATE BILL NO. 610, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON  
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 551 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 610 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  

April 5, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 587, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1700, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1671 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1700 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1765, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDBRUM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1765 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 553, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 559, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1766, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 628
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “RETAILER”; TO PERMIT ARKANSAS-BASED CIGAR SHOPS TO SELL CIGARS AT RETAIL ONLINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 628 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 629
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING; TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT HAS EXPERIENCED A DECLINE IN AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP TO RECEIVE BOTH DECLINING ENROLLMENT FUNDING AND SPECIAL NEEDS ISOLATED FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 629 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 630
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PHILANTHROPIC INVESTMENT IN ARKANSAS KIDS PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 630 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WATSON, M. BERRY, ET AL
BY: SENATOR HESTER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND DESIGNATE THE MONTH OF MARCH AS "NATIONAL ATHLETIC TRAINING MONTH" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 339 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 339

Amend Senate Bill No. 339 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Page 3, line 10, delete "ordinance" and substitute "election"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 339, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator English, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 339 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 339
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS TO BE CONSUMED OFF-PREMISES OR DELIVERED TO THE CONSUMER AT A LOCATION OFF-PREMISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 339 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 13


Total ................................................................. 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Davis, Dismang, Flippo, Hickey, Irvin, Pitsch, Rice, Sample.

Total ................................................................. 9

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, B. Johnson.

Total ................................................................. 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 25
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator English moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 339 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 339 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 5, 2021.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 341 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 & 2, thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 341

Amend Senate Bill No. 341 as engrossed, S3/4/21:

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 10, and substitute the following:

"(C) "Public employee" does not include a:
   (i) Public safety officer, including without limitation a:
(a) Law enforcement officer; and 
(b) Firefighter; and
(ii) Public transit system employee whose public employer is a recipient of a federal grant administered by the Federal Transit Administration;"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 341, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 341 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 341

Amend Senate Bill No. 341 as engrossed, H3/11/21:

Page 3, line 11, delete "(2) Obstructs" and substitute "(2) Physically obstructs"

AND

Page 3, line 13, delete "(3) Impedes" and substitute "(3) Physically impedes"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 341, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 341 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 341
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUBLIC EMPLOYEES; TO PROHIBIT COLLECTIVE BARGAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 341 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 21
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.
Total ............................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Clark, Davis, Dismang, English, Hickey, Irvin.
Total ............................................................... 7

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ............................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 27
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 341 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 395 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 395

Amend Senate Bill No. 395 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives M. Gray, D. Ferguson as cosponsors of the bill

AND
Page 2, delete line 7, and substitute the following:

“(c) Any laboratory or diagnostic procedure that is an essential health benefit does not count towards the caps described in subsection (b) of this section.

(d) The Department of Human Services shall apply for any federal”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 395 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1514 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1514

Amend House Bill No. 1514 as engrossed, H3/8/21:

Add Senator J. English as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 3, delete lines 15 and 16, and substitute the following:

“is acceptable for transferring data from a data company or from negotiating a public contract that expressly contemplates alternate terms with regard to data return or data destruction, which alternate terms shall prevail over this section.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1514 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 139 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 139
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN SCHOLARSHIPS; TO ALLOW A STUDENT APPLYING FOR THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR’S SCHOLARS PROGRAM OR THE CRITICAL NEEDS MINORITY TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM TO USE HIS OR HER ACT SUPERSCORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 139 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 139. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ...........................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 139 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 140 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 140
As Engrossed: S3/16/21 S3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING STUDENT DISCIPLINE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS TO INCLUDE IN STUDENT DISCIPLINE POLICIES THE REQUIREMENT THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS CONDUCT AN ASSESSMENT OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT’S ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES BEFORE DISCIPLINING A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 140 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 140. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................................. 31

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .......................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Hammer, Rapert, Wallace.
Total .......................................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 251 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 251
As Engrossed: S3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT WAIVERS; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL CHARTERS, ENROLLMENT, AUTHORIZATION, AND FACILITY FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 251 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 251. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 450 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 450
As Engrossed:  S4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATORS IRVIN, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, A. CLARK,
B. DAVIS, J. DISMANG, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE,
K. HAMMER, HESTER, HILL, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT,
G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. WALLACE
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, BARKER, BENTLEY, S. BERRY, BROWN,
CAVENAUGH, CHRISTENSEN, CLOUD, COLEMAN, C. COOPER, COZART,
CRAWFORD, DALBY, M. DAVIS, C. FITE, FURMAN, GONZALES, M. GRAY, JETT
HAAK, LADYMAN, LUNDSTRUM, J. MAYBERRY, MCGREW, MCKENZIE,
MILLIGAN, PEYTON, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RAY, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH,
SPEAKS, TOSH, WATSON, WING, WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE GENDER INTEGRITY REINFORCEMENT LEGISLATION FOR SPORTS (GIRLS) ACT; TO CREATE A LEGAL CAUSE OF ACTION FOR A VIOLATION OF THE GENDER INTEGRITY REINFORCEMENT LEGISLATION FOR SPORTS (GIRLS) ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 450 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved for immediate consideration.

Senator Hendren made a substitute motion to limit debate to 5 minutes each side for debate. By voice vote, the substitute motion failed.

By voice vote, motion for immediate consideration passed.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................................... 26

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ..................................................................................................................................... 6

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Caldwell, Teague.

Total ..................................................................................................................................... 2

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total ..................................................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ..................................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 450 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Bill No. 527 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 527  
As Engrossed: S3/30/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS GILMORE, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, FLIPPO, K. HAMMER, HESTER, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BENTLEY, BEATY JR., BROWN, CLOUD, DOTSON, FURMAN, LADYMAN, PENZO  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING ABORTION FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE ABORTION FACILITIES TO POST INFORMATION REGARDING HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND TO PROVIDE LAURA’S CARD TO PATIENTS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "ABORTION" WITHIN THE CHERISH ACT; TO REQUIRE WRITTEN AGREEMENTS BETWEEN AN ABORTION FACILITY AND A HOSPITAL; TO REQUIRE WRITTEN AGREEMENTS BETWEEN AN ABORTION FACILITY AND AN AMBULANCE SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 527 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 527 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 528 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 528
As Engrossed: S4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. SAMPLE, A. CLARK, FLIPPO, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, COZART, EVANS, L. FITE, D. GARNER,
HAWKS, M. HODGES, LUNDSTRUM, MCCLURE,
M. MCELROY, MCGREW, MILLIGAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE
DISCLOSURE OF LIMITED INFORMATION ON CERTAIN CREDITS AND
REBATES OF SALES AND USE TAX TO IMPACTED LOCAL GOVERNMENTS;
TO AMEND THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN TAX RECORDS UNDER THE
ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 528 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 528.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.

Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 528 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 536 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 536
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE BUFFALO RIVER CONSERVATION COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 536 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 536. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
  Total .................................................................0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total .................................................................0
EXCUSED: Flowers.
  Total .................................................................1
VOTING PRESENT:
  Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 536 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 544 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 544
As Engrossed: S4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RICE, G. STUBBLEFIELD, FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING A PERSON IN THE CUSTODY OF A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY TO USE FUNDS FROM FEDERAL RELIEF OR STIMULUS PROGRAMS TO FIRST PAY OUTSTANDING FINES, FEES, COSTS, OR RESTITUTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 544 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 544.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Clark, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Sample,
Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 544, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 30

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*Senate Bill No. 544* was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Irvin, *Senate Bill No. 552* was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 552
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCULLOUGH, SCOTT, C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ADDRESS CONFIDENTIALITY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 552 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 552. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 552 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 568 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 568
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE REVIEW OF LICENSE APPLICATIONS FOR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; TO ELIMINATE ANNUAL RENEWAL FOR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY LICENSES; TO REQUIRE NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 568 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 568. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 568 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 572 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 572
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEDICAL CORPORATION ACT; TO ALLOW A NONLICENSED PERSON TO BE AN OFFICER, DIRECTOR, OR SHAREHOLDER OF A MEDICAL CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 572 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 11

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Irvin, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Sample, Sturch, Teague, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 15


Total ................................................................. 8

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 26
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Sullivan moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 572 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 572 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 5, 2021.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 580 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 580
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE VIRTUAL INSTRUCTION FOR BARBER SCHOOLS AND COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 580 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 580. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 580 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 588 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 588
As Engrossed: S3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ELECTRIC UTILITY STORM RECOVERY SECURITIZATION ACT; TO ALLOW A GAS UTILITY TO RECOVER THE COST OF RESTORATION OF DAMAGES CAUSED BY STORMS AND RELATED PERILS THROUGH SECURITIZATION OF THE STORM RESTORATION AND RELATED COSTS; TO ALLOW THE RECOVERY THROUGH SECURITIZATION BY AN ELECTRIC UTILITY AND A GAS UTILITY OF REASONABLE AND PRUDENT COSTS TO PURCHASE AND RECEIVE NATURAL GAS, FUEL, OR PURCHASED POWER AT EXTRAORDINARY COST IN IMMEDIATE PREPARATION FOR OR IN RESPONSE TO A STORM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 588 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27
NEGATIVE: Beckham.
Total ............................................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Teague.
Total ............................................................................................................ 4

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ............................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Tucker.
Total ............................................................................................................ 2

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 588, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................................ 27

NEGATIVE: Beckham.
Total ............................................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Teague.
Total ............................................................................................................ 4

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ............................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Tucker.
Total ............................................................................................................ 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 588 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 589 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 589
As Engrossed:  S4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES UNDERWOOD, V. FLOWERS, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MODIFICATION OF A CHILD CUSTODY OR VISITATION ORDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 589 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 589.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 31
NEGATIVE: Elliott, Leding, Tucker.
  Total ................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
  Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

  Total number of votes cast................................................. 34
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 589 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 597 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 597
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE EMPLOYMENT OF THE DIRECTOR OF ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL; TO ALLOW THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO EMPLOY THE DIRECTOR OF ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 597 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 597. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 25

NEGATIVE: Clark, Davis, Ingram.

Total .................................................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Dismang, Garner, Gilmore, Hill, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 597 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 599 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 599
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FINANCIAL EDUCATION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 599 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................... 21

NEGATIVE: Davis, Hester, Teague.
Total ................................................................................. 3

Total ........................................................................... 9

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 25
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 599 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 613 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 613
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A FAIR-FUNDING PROGRAM WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; TO REPEAL EXISTING LAW REGARDING LIVESTOCK SHOWS AND FAIRS; TO ESTABLISH THE AGRI FAIR FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 613 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 613. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................32
NEGATIVE: Garner.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 613 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1044 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ESTIMATED ASSESSMENT OF TAX IF A TAXPAYER FAILS OR REFUSES TO PROVIDE RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENT TO KEEP AND PRESERVE TAX RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

The bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1050 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING ACT OF 1965 TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES REQUIRED TO MANDATE THE ELECTRONIC FILING OF ANNUAL WITHHOLDING STATEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1050 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Davis, Eads, Ingram, Sample.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

Total ........................................................................................... 17

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Chesterfield, English, Hammer, Hickey, Irvin, Rice, Sturch, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 9

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang, M. Johnson, Rapert.
Total ........................................................................................... 3
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 25
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to vote by which House Bill No. 1050 failed was expunged on April 5, 2021.

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On motion of Senator Ingram, House Bill No. 1172 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172
As Engrossed: H2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOLLETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT WAIVERS; TO REQUIRE CERTAIN NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION UPON THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S REVIEW OF WAIVERS GRANTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1172 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1172. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 16


Total .............................................................................................................. 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Teague.

Total .............................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:  Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:  Eads, Hammer, Irvin, Rice.

Total .............................................................................................................. 4

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

House Bill No. 1172 held in chamber.

Senator Ingram moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1172 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

Senator Sample moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1050 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1050 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Senator Tucker moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1172 failed be expunged. By voice vote, motion failed.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1429 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1429
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, C. COOPER
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN WAIT A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF TIME BEFORE WITHDRAWING HIS OR HER CHILD FROM A LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT; TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT WITHIN A NOTIFICATION TO HOME SCHOOL THAT A PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN INCLUDE HIS OR HER CHILD’S INTENT TO SEEK A DRIVER’S LICENSE IN THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1429 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1429. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1429 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1510 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1510
As Engrossed: H2/25/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, L. JOHNSON, COZART, SLAPE
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY WITH JURISDICTION ADOPT A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING GOVERNING SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS; TO REQUIRE THAT SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS AND CERTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES COMPLETE SPECIALIZED TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1510 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1510.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE: Davis.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

Total ......................................................................................... 9

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1510 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1541 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1541
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE LOCAL CONTRIBUTION RATE OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A LOCAL CONTRIBUTION RATE TO A PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE'S HEALTH INSURANCE SHALL INCREASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1541 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1541. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1541 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1549 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE 2015 SCHOOL SAFETY ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CENTER FOR SCHOOL SAFETY OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE ADVISORY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1549 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1549. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1549 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1602 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1602
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO FEDERAL LAW CONCERNING RELOCATION ASSISTANCE BY THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1602 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1602. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1602 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1614 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1614
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE CODE CONCERNING STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING AID; TO CREATE THE TEACHER SALARY EQUALIZATION FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1614 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1614. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1614, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........ 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

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House Bill No. 1614 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1622 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1622 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1622. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1622 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1623 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623
NINETEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL NOTICE AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE IN ALL QUI TAM LAWSUITS INVOLVING STATE FUNDS BROUGHT UNDER THE FEDERAL FALSE CLAIMS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

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On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1659 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1659
NINETEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PERRY, F. ALLEN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, J. ENGLISH, K. HAMMER, HESTER, D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEATH CERTIFICATE REGISTRATION PROCESS FOR THE SIGNATURE OF THE MEDICAL CERTIFICATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1659 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1659. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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*House Bill No. 1659* was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, *House Bill No. 1677* was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1677 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1677. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1677, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1677 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1623 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL NOTICE AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE IN ALL QUI TAM LAWSUITS INVOLVING STATE FUNDS BROUGHT UNDER THE FEDERAL FALSE CLAIMS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1623 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Mark Johnson spoke for the Bill.

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1623. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1623 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Tucker moved House Bill No. 1172 be held in the Chamber. Motion carried.

House Bill No. 1172 held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1688 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1688
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCLURE, BRAGG, WOMACK
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JOINT COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT TO REQUIRE THAT COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL MEMBERS HAVE BUDGETARY APPROVAL AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1688 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1688.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1688 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rice, House Bill No. 1775 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE INDEMNIFICATION BY THE STATE FOR CERTAIN ACTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1775 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1775. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 31

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ..................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1775 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 530 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 50 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 121 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 444 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 447 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 5, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 395, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514, BY REPRESENTATIVE MEEKS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 631
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING HARD CIDER; TO ESTABLISH A HARD CIDER DIRECT SHIPPER PERMIT; TO AUTHORIZE A HARD CIDER MANUFACTURER TO SHIP AND TO DELIVER HARD CIDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 632  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAAK, BROWN, D. FERGUSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH THE ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 632 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT ENERGY.

SENATE BILL NO. 633  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION ACT OF 1997; TO ADD TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDERS OR PERSONS CHARGED WITH A SEX OFFENSE SUBJECT TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 634
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT STATE AGENCIES, COUNTIES, AND MUNICIPALITIES FROM RESTRICTING THE RIGHT OF A LANDOWNER TO PERFORM TREE MAINTENANCE ON THE LANDOWNER'S PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 634 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 635
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DATES FOR CERTAIN SPECIAL ELECTIONS; TO PROMOTE VOTER TURNOUT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 635 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF "POLICY CANCELLATIONS" AS USED IN THE BUSINESS OF INSURANCE; TO CLARIFY THE MINIMUM NOTICE REQUIREMENTS FOR CANCELLATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY AND CASUALTY POLICIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1243 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967 TO PERMIT AN EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR CONSIDERING CERTAIN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS; TO PERMIT A GOVERNING BODY’S ATTORNEY TO ATTEND CERTAIN EXECUTIVE SESSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1280 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1390
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH ARKANSAS AS A SECOND AMENDMENT SANCTUARY STATE; CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF A PERSON WHO POSSESSES A FIREARM; TO REQUIRE RATIFICATION TO RECOGNIZE FEDERAL FIREARMS LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1390 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1459
As Engrossed: H2/23/21 H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENZO, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT ALL HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS ARE REIMBURSED FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES BY THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1459 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1520
As Engrossed: H3/22/21 H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES F. ALLEN, SCOTT
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING OCCUPATIONAL CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS; TO ENSURE THAT LICENSEES WHO WERE LICENSED PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF ACTS 2019, NO. 990, ARE ALLOWED TO MAINTAIN THEIR LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1520 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1585
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE EMPLOYEES OF CERTAIN HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS TO HAVE A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1585 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 5-73-122; CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "FACILITY" AS IT IS USED IN REGARD TO THE POSSESSION OF A FIREARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1598 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS; TO ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS TO USE FUNDING TO PROVIDE FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS AT NO CHARGE IN EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1611 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  
AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "SAFE TRAILS ACT"; TO PRESERVE, PROMOTE, AND SUSTAIN AN EXCELLENT QUALITY OF LIFE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1625 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  
AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "PERSON" IN THE ARKANSAS CRIMINAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1646 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1664
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE RESOURCE ACT; TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE OFFICER AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL VIOLATIONS CITED BY ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICERS; TO CLARIFY THE JUDICIAL VENUE WHERE CITATIONS ARE REQUIRED TO BE FILED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1664 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1675
As Engrossed: H3/30/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO REPEAL THE PROVISIONS CONCERNING CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO MODIFY THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1675 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680
As Engrossed: H3/11/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RICHARDSON, SLAPE, DOTSON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRITICAL INCIDENT DEBRIEFING FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1680 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1689
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, GAZAWAY, M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE STUDY ON MENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TRUST CODE CONCERNING CREDITOR CLAIMS AGAINST PROPERTY HELD IN SPENDTHRIFT AND DISCRETIONARY TRUSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OCCUPATIONAL OR PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE FOR CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1735 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1739
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BROOKS, BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, C. COOPER, CRAWFORD, MILLIGAN, RICHMOND, RYE, SCOTT, B. SMITH, WING, WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE VIOLATION OF A NO CONTACT ORDER ISSUED BY A COURT IN RELATION TO CERTAIN OFFENSES, INCLUDING SEX TRAFFICKING-RELATED AND TERRORISTIC THREATENING OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1739 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1740
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BROOKS, BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, C. COOPER, CRAWFORD, MILLIGAN, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH, WING, WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO COMBAT SEX TRAFFICKING OF MINORS; TO PROTECT THE CHILDREN OF ARKANSAS FROM SEXUAL PREDATORS AND PEDOPHILES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1740 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1741
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, SPEAKS, RYE, CLOUD, BENTLEY, MCGREW, HOLLOWELL, M. BERRY, MILLIGAN, CRAWFORD, BRYANT, HAAK, BROOKS, BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, C. COOPER, RICHMOND, SCOTT, B. SMITH, WING, WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CONDITIONS OF RELEASE ON BAIL FOR PERSONS ARRESTED FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING-RELATED OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1741 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1753
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING NEW APPOINTMENTS AND COMPENSATION PLANS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POSITION POOLS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1753 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE RESTRICTED LIFETIME MASTER ELECTRICIAN LICENSE; TO CREATE A RESTRICTED LIFETIME JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1756 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ARKANSAS DISTILLERIES; TO AUTHORIZE SELF-DISTRIBUTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1763 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODERNIZE AND STRENGTHEN NURSING FACILITY STAFFING STANDARDS AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; TO ELIMINATE OUTDATED AND EXTRANEOUS STATE REQUIREMENTS THAT DUPLICATE HIGHLY PROSCRIPTIVE FEDERAL STAFFING AND DATA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS THAT ALL MEDICARE AND MEDICAID NURSING FACILITIES FOLLOW; TO PROVIDE FOR A MINIMUM AVERAGE NUMBER OF DIRECT CARE HOURS PER RESIDENT PER DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN SIGNS AND MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1776 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

House Bill No. 1825 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1836
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; TO REPEAL THE PENALTY FOR THE KNOWING REFUSAL OF RIGHT OF ENTRY AND INSPECTION TO DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1836 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 5, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 466, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 607, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502, BY REPRESENTATIVE FITE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1545, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1765, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1797, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR HICKEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 5, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 5, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1237, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1678, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1750, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 139
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AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1429
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 50
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HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1243
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1390
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1836
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 6, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:
 BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Hickey asked leave for Senator Clark. Leave granted.

Senator Beckham asked leave for Senator Gilmore. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Sister Debra Troillett, Mount St. Mary Academy.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 10 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 10

Amend Senate Bill No. 10 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "ten percent (10%)" and substitute "three percent (3%)" 

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 10 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 242 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 242

Amend Senate Bill No. 242 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Wardlaw as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13, and substitute the following:
"CAPITOL POLICE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF A STATE ENTITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 18 through 22, and substitute the following:
"STATE CAPITOL POLICE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF A STATE ENTITY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. Transfer of State Capitol Police from Secretary of State to Department of Public Safety.

(a)(1) The State Capitol Police is transferred from the Secretary of State to the Department of Public Safety.

(2) The State Capitol Police shall be a division of the Department of Public Safety known as the "Division of State Capitol Police".

(b) The administrative functions of the State Capitol Police are transferred by a cabinet-level department transfer under § 25-43-1402 from the Secretary of State to the Department of Public Safety.

(c) The statutory authority, powers, duties, functions, records, personnel, property, vehicles, equipment, office materials, including without limitation file cabinets, desks, chairs, and video monitoring equipment, and the functions of budgeting and purchasing of the State Capitol Police are transferred to the
Department of Public Safety.

(d) The prescribed powers, duties, and functions of the State Capitol Police, including without limitation rulemaking, regulation, and licensing; promulgation of rules; and the rendering of findings, orders, and adjudications are transferred to the Secretary of the Department of Public Safety.

(e)(1) The transfer of the State Capitol Police under this section does not affect the orders, rules, regulations, directives, or standards made or promulgated prior to the effective date of the transfer under this section.

(2) The orders, rules, regulations, directives, or standards under subdivision (e)(1) of this section shall continue with full force and effect until amended or repealed under authority given by law.

(f) The Secretary of State shall provide the office space utilized by the State Capitol Police on the effective date of this act and other areas of the State Capitol utilized by the State Capitol Police, including without limitation areas used for monitoring equipment, at no cost to the Department of Public Safety for the continued use of the Division of State Capitol Police.

(g) The Secretary of State shall continue to provide cleaning and general maintenance of the office space and areas of the State Capitol utilized by the Division of State Capitol Police.

(h) The Secretary of State and the Department of Public Safety shall work cooperatively as necessary to enable the Division of State Capitol Police to provide for the security of the State Capitol.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-60-213(a)(1)(A), concerning reduced tuition for certain police officers, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A) “Covered police officer” means:

(i) An employee of the Division of Arkansas State Police who:

   (a) Holds the rank of state trooper or a higher rank; and
   (b) Has been an employee of the Division of Arkansas State Police for ten (10) or more years;

(ii) A highway police officer who has been an employee of the Arkansas Highway Police Division of the Arkansas Department of Transportation for ten (10) or more years;

(iii) An officer of the Division of State Capitol Police who has been an employee of the Division of State Capitol Police for ten (10) or more years;

(iv) A wildlife officer who has been an employee of the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission for ten (10) or more years; or

(v) An officer of the Division of Law Enforcement Standards and Training who has been an employee of the Division of Law Enforcement Standards and Training for ten (10) or more years.
SECTIONS 3. Arkansas Code § 12-9-208 is amended to read as follows:

12-9-208. Division of State Capitol Police — Training course.

All commissioned members of the Division of State Capitol Police shall satisfactorily complete the basic training course for law enforcement officers at the Arkansas Law Enforcement Training Academy that is certified by the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training within nine (9) months of their hire date or any extension granted by the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training commission.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 12-14-101 is amended to read as follows:


(a) In such a manner as will most effectually secure the citizens and their property in and around the State Capitol, the Secretary of State, the Department of Public Safety may:

(1) Establish the Division of State Capitol Police;
(2) Organize the Division of State Capitol Police;
(3) Prescribe the Division of State Capitol Police’s duties; and
(4) Define the Division of State Capitol Police’s powers.

(b)(1) The Secretary of State may designate and appoint one (1) or more of his or her employees as State Capitol Police, who shall be peace officers under the laws of the state and shall have and possess all the powers provided by the law for Arkansas State Police, city police, and county sheriffs to be exercised as required for the protection of the State Capitol grounds, together with such other duties as may be assigned by the Secretary of State.

(2) An officer of the Division of State Capitol Police may act in his or her official capacity and exercise his or her powers anywhere within the boundaries of the State of Arkansas.

(c) None of the present jurisdiction or powers of the Department Division of Arkansas State Police, county police, or city police shall be ceded to the Division of State Capitol Police over the land or property which constitutes the State Capitol grounds or within the boundaries of the State of Arkansas.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 12-14-102 is amended to read as follows:

12-14-102. Duties — Authority.

(a) Except to the extent otherwise limited by the Secretary of State, the Department of Public Safety, State Capitol Police appointed pursuant to the authority contained in this chapter shall:

(1) Protect property;
(2) Preserve and maintain proper order and decorum;
(3) Prevent unlawful assemblies and disorderly conduct;
(4) Exclude and eject persons from and prevent trespass upon and in all of the State Capitol grounds and other grounds, buildings, improvements, streets, alleys, and sidewalks under control of the Secretary of State; and
(5) Have the authority to regulate the operation and parking of motor
vehicles upon the State Capitol grounds and other grounds under control of the Secretary of State and upon all streets adjoining and traversing the State Capitol grounds, as long as it does not impede normal traffic patterns.

(b) The Division of State Capitol Police officers shall have and exercise police supervision on behalf of the Secretary of State the Department of Public Safety and are authorized as peace officers to arrest, with or without warrant, any person upon or in the areas described in this section or within the boundaries of the State of Arkansas who is or is reasonably believed to be committing an offense against any laws of the State of Arkansas or against the ordinances of the city where the State Capitol grounds are located, and to deliver the person before any court of competent jurisdiction to be dealt with according to law.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 12-14-103 is amended to read as follows:

12-14-103. Rules.

The Secretary of State the Department of Public Safety is hereby authorized and empowered to promulgate rules, and to amend or change the same from time to time as he or she shall deem necessary, providing for the operation and organization of the Division of State Capitol Police, so long as such rules are not arbitrary or capricious.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 12-14-105(b), concerning the prosecution of actions arising from the State Capitol Police, is amended to read as follows:

(b) All fines which may be collected by any court on account of the violation of this chapter shall be remitted by the tenth day of each month to the Administration of Justice Funds Section of the Office of Administrative Services of the Department of Finance and Administration on a form provided by that office, to be deposited into the State Treasury and placed to the credit of the Division of State Capitol Police.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 12-14-106 is amended to read as follows:

12-14-106. Additional salary payments.

(a) In the event that sufficient revenues in the judgment of the Secretary of State the Department of Public Safety exist, the Secretary of State secretary may make additional salary payments from those funds to those employees who have attained law enforcement certification above the basic certificate level, as defined by the Arkansas Commission on Division of Law Enforcement Standards and Training.

(b) It is the intent of this section that the payment shall be optional, at the discretion of the Secretary of State secretary, dependent on sufficient revenues, and shall not be implemented using funds specifically set aside for other programs within the office of the Secretary of State Department of Public Safety.

(c)(1) Employees shall be eligible for all or a portion of additional salary payments scheduled as follows:

(A) General certificate — three hundred dollars ($300) annually;
(B) Intermediate certificate — six hundred dollars ($600) annually;
(C) Advanced certificate — nine hundred dollars ($900) annually; and

(D) Senior certificate — one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200) annually.

(2) Payment of the additional salary amounts under this section:

(A) May be made monthly, quarterly, semiannually, or annually, depending upon the availability of funding; and

(B) Is restricted to full-time law enforcement officers.

(2) Payment of additional salary payments may be made monthly, quarterly, semiannually, or annually depending upon the availability of revenues and shall be restricted to the following classifications:

(A) State Capitol Police Chief;

(B) State Capitol Police Assistant Chief;

(C) State Capitol Police sergeant; and

(D) State Capitol Police corporal.

(d)(1) Payments made under this section which are awarded as partial or lump-sum payments shall not be considered as salary for purposes of retirement benefits but shall be subject to withholding of all applicable federal and state taxes.

(2) Payments made under this section shall not be construed as exceeding the maximum annual salary of the employee.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 12-14-107 is amended to read as follows:

12-14-107. Assignment of officer to Senate.

(a)(1) Upon request, one (1) member of the Division of State Capitol Police shall be assigned to the Senate.

(2) The officer shall be selected by the Chair of the Senate Efficiency Committee or his or her designee in charge of security procedures for the Senate.

(b) The officer shall remain a full-time employee of the State Capitol Police division with accrued benefits and remain on duty with the State Capitol Police division when not on call with the Senate.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 12-14-108 is amended to read as follows:

12-14-108. Award of pistol upon retirement or death.

When a Division of State Capitol Police officer retires from service or dies while still employed with the State Capitol Police division, in recognition of and appreciation for the service of the retiring or deceased officer, the Secretary of State the Department of Public Safety may award the pistol carried by the officer at the time of his or her death or retirement from service to:

(1) The officer; or

(2) The officer's spouse if the spouse is eligible under applicable state and federal laws to possess a firearm.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 12-14-109 is amended to read as follows:

A record or other information related to the operations, emergency procedure, and security personnel of the Division of State Capitol Police is confidential and not subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., including without limitation:

(1) Records or other information that upon disclosure could reasonably be expected to be detrimental to the public safety, including without limitation records or other information concerning emergency or security plans, State Capitol Building or Capitol Hill apartment complex safety plans, monitoring capabilities, procedures, risk assessments, studies, measures, or systems; and

(2) Records or other information relating to the number of licensed security officers, certified Division of State Capitol Police officers, or other security personnel, as well as any personal information about a security officer, certified Division of State Capitol Police officer, or other security personnel.

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code, Appendix - Title 19 Bond Issues, 12., § 13(d)(2), concerning the Capitol Mall Facility, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Upon completion of the construction phase of the Capitol Mall Facility project, the State Building Services shall develop parking regulations which will maintain equitable parking among the tenants of the Capitol Mall Facility and the public, and may establish reasonable rental or other charges for parking therein. The Division of State Capitol Police shall provide the necessary traffic patrols and policing of the Capitol Mall Facility parking areas.

SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 22-3-216(b)(1), concerning the Law Enforcement Officers’ Memorial, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The Governor shall designate a representative from the Division of Arkansas State Police, the Arkansas Sheriffs’ Association, the Arkansas Fraternal Order of Police Foundation, Inc., and the Arkansas Municipal Police Association, who, together with a member of the Division of State Capitol Police who is designated by the Secretary of State the Department of Public Safety, shall constitute the Law Enforcement Officers’ Memorial Design Committee.

SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 22-3-403(b), concerning penalties for violations of the traffic and parking rules of the Capitol Parking Control Committee, is amended to read as follows:

(b) All fines which may be collected on account of violation of this subchapter shall be paid into the State Treasury and placed to the credit of the Division of State Capitol Police.

SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 22-3-404 is amended to read as follows:

22-3-404. Enforcement.

(a) In order that the provisions of this subchapter might be enforced, the Director of the Division of Arkansas State Police may assign one (1) state police officer or more to the State Capitol and its grounds, which may include assignments
for sessions of the General Assembly, and the Secretary of State the Department of Public Safety is directed to assign one (1) Division of State Capitol Police officer or more. It shall be the responsibility of the Secretary of State Division of State Capitol Police to assure that at least one (1) certified law enforcement officer is on duty on the State Capitol grounds twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week.

(b) Each Division of State Capitol Police officer so assigned is authorized to issue, upon determining a violation, a uniform traffic citation that shall be returnable in the Pulaski County District Court.

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 22-3-1503 is amended to read as follows:

22-3-1503. Parking rules.

(a) The Building Authority Division shall develop parking rules which will maintain equitable parking among the state agency tenants in the area described in § 22-3-1501 and for the public and may establish reasonable rental or other charges for parking therein.

(b) The Division of State Capitol Police shall provide the necessary traffic patrols and policing of the parking facility.

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 24-4-101(34)(B)(i)(b), concerning the definition of "public safety member", is amended to read as follows:

(b) "Police officer" includes a wildlife officer of the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission, a drug enforcement officer of a judicial drug taskforce, a civilian firefighter of the Department of the Military covered under § 24-4-1004, and all officers and the Chief of the Division of State Capitol Police within the office of the Secretary of State Department of Public Safety.

SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 25-43-1402(a), concerning state entities transferred to the Department of Public Safety, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(18) The State Capitol Police, created under § 12-14-101, now known as the "Division of State Capitol Police".

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 27-24-701 is amended to read as follows:

27-24-701. Purpose.

The purpose of this subchapter is to continue the procedure which existed prior to April 13, 2005, for issuing special license plates to the elected members of the General Assembly. These special license plates are issued to honor the elected members of the General Assembly and to assist in making parking rules for the State Capitol more enforceable by the Division of State Capitol Police.

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 27-24-801 is amended to read as follows:

27-24-801. Purpose.

The purpose of this subchapter is to continue the Constitutional Officer special license plates that existed before April 13, 2005, to honor the elected
members of each constitutional office in the State of Arkansas and to make the parking rules for the State Capitol more enforceable by the Division of State Capitol Police.

SECTION 21. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the State Capitol Police preserves the public peace, health, and safety by virtue of the critical role that it plays in providing security for the State Capitol Building; that this act provides for the transfer of the State Capitol Police to the Department of Public Safety; and that this act should become effective on July 1, 2021, to coincide with the appropriation bills of the Department of Public Safety and the Secretary of State and ensure that the State Capitol Police continues to provide its vital services as the transfer is implemented and does not experience any issues with funding under the transfer. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2021."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 242 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 315 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 315

Amend Senate Bill No. 315 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 16, Chapter 10, Subchapter 10, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

16-10-1007. Court security review — Court security fee.

(a) The district court judge responsible for the district court facility may submit a request to the Director of Security and Emergency Preparedness for a court security review which shall consist of a comprehensive review of the current security measures of that district court, including all courtrooms, courthouses, judges’ chambers, and administrative offices that are part of the district court, as applicable.

(b)(1) The Director of Security and Emergency Preparedness shall review the security measures and shall promptly prepare a report detailing any notable lack of security measures or areas where security may be present but insufficient.

(2) The report shall also include recommendations for additional security measures that would rectify any lack of or insufficient security measures, as well as an estimated cost of establishing and maintaining those additional security measures.

(c)(1) After the completion of the security review described under subsection (b) of this section, the Director of Security and Emergency Preparedness shall deliver a copy of the report under subsection (b) of this section to the district court judge responsible for the district court facility, the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court for review.

(2) If the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court determine that the district court facility of the district judge requesting the security review has insufficient security measures, the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court may authorize the district court judge responsible for the district court facility to assess a court security fee to subsidize and maintain additional security measures for the district court facility.

(3) The court security fee authorized under this subsection shall be reviewed by the Director of Security and Emergency Preparedness, the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court periodically while it is implemented and may be modified or deauthorized by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court when the district court judge responsible for the district court facility is able to maintain sufficient security measures independent of the court security fee subsidy.

(d)(1) A court security fee under this section shall be assessed:

(A) On every conviction for a misdemeanor or violation in the district court; and

(B) Upon the filing of a civil case or small claims case in the district court.
(2) The amount of the court security fee under this section shall be set by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court upon review of an initial recommendation by the district court judge responsible for the district court facility, but shall not be more than ten dollars ($10.00) per conviction or civil case or small claims filed, where applicable.

(3)(A)(i) The collecting officer of the court security fee under this section shall remit the court security fees by the tenth of each month to the treasurer of the administrative jurisdiction of the district court.

(ii) The treasurer shall deposit the court security fees into the district court security fee fund.

(B)(i) The funds under this subsection shall be appropriated by the governing body of the administrative jurisdiction of the district court.

(ii) Expenditures from the funds shall be approved by the district court judge responsible for the district court facility and shall be authorized and paid by laws governing the payment of county or municipal claims.

(C) The court security fee shall be used solely for district court security measures identified in the court security report described under subsection (b) of this section.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 315 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 353

Amend Senate Bill No. 353 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 12, delete "CORRECTIONS; AND" and substitute "CORRECTIONS; TO CREATE A TASK FORCE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ABATE OR ELIMINATE THE COLLECTION OF OUTSTANDING MISDEMEANOR FINES, FEES, AND COSTS ORDERED TO BE PAID BY A PERSON WHO IS IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; TO CREATE A TASK FORCE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 16, Chapter 90, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

Subchapter 15 — Inmate Misdemeanor Offense Reconciliation

16-90-1501. Legislative intent.
The General Assembly intends to create a framework, consistent with Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 80, and the constitutional prerogatives of the state’s prosecuting attorneys and judges, to enable persons who are incarcerated or who will soon be incarcerated in the Department of Corrections to dispose of all pending misdemeanor offenses committed within this state and to have fines, fees, and costs resulting from those misdemeanor offenses abated due to the person’s incarceration.

(a) A person who is currently or has been sentenced to be incarcerated in the Department of Corrections may request of the department and shall be provided by the department a complete compilation of all outstanding arrest warrants, criminal summons, and pending misdemeanor cases for that person.

(b) The department shall provide information under subsection (a) of this section from information made available to the Arkansas Crime Information Center and the Administrative Office of the Courts."
16-90-1503. Option to resolve pending misdemeanor matters.
(a) As used in this section, "assistance" means the Department of Corrections shall make available means of communication between a person, the prosecuting attorney, the court, local law enforcement agencies, and the person’s attorney, if applicable, to help facilitate the entry of pleas remotely from the department, addressing outstanding misdemeanor arrest warrants, and, when required by the court, attendance at the court for the purposes of entry of pleas, hearings, or trials.

(b)(1) A person incarcerated in the department, with the assistance of the department, or a person who has been sentenced to be incarcerated in the department may petition a court for a quick resolution of a misdemeanor offense pending in the court.

(2) The person may also request to be served with any outstanding misdemeanor arrest warrant in order to begin the process of resolving the misdemeanor arrest warrant.

(c) Local law enforcement agencies shall also help facilitate transportation of the person to and from the department to the court or local law enforcement agency when the court requires it.

(a) Subject to the rules of the judiciary and the local rules of the court, a person who has opted to resolve pending misdemeanor matters under this chapter may enter a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any outstanding or pending misdemeanor charges remotely from where he or she is incarcerated.

(b) A remote plea may be given only through a real-time medium with both an audio and visual feed.

16-90-1505. Negotiated pleas to run concurrent.
(a) When the court permits, a negotiated plea entered into between the state and a person using the procedures under this chapter shall run concurrent with the sentence that the person is currently serving.

(b) The court is also encouraged to refrain from fining a person and instead sentencing the person to a period of incarceration only.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. TEMPORARY LEGISLATION.

(a) There is created the Criminal Justice Task Force on Offender Court Costs and Collections.

(b) The purpose of this task force is to study the methods used to collect and record fines, fees, restitution, and other financial obligations of persons in the criminal justice system.

(c) The task force shall study the feasibility of notice to outside entities in the event that a person with financial obligations to a court wins a lottery prize, sells property, or is being released from parole or probation early.

(d)(1) The task force shall be composed of the following members:

(A) Two (2) citizen representatives to be appointed by the Governor;

(B) Two (2) members of the Senate, one (1) member to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and one (1) member to be appointed by the Chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee;

(C) Two (2) members of the House of Representatives, one (1) member to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and one (1) member to be appointed by the Chair of the House Committee on Judiciary;

(D) Two (2) members appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, one (1) of whom is a circuit court judge and one (1) of whom is a district court judge;
(E) Two (2) members to be appointed by the Secretary of the Department of Corrections;

(F) One (1) member representing the Association of Arkansas Counties;

(G) One (1) member to be appointed by the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts;

(H) One (1) member of the Board of Corrections to be appointed by the Chair of the Board of Corrections;

(I) One (1) member representing the Arkansas Sheriffs’ Association;

(J) One (1) member representing the Office of the Prosecutor Coordinator; and

(K) One (1) member to be appointed by the Director of the Arkansas Crime Information Center.

(2) If a vacancy occurs on the task force, the vacancy shall be filled by the same process as the original appointment.

(e)(1) The legislative members of the task force shall be paid per diem and mileage as authorized by law for attendance at meetings of interim committees of the General Assembly.

(2) Nonlegislative members of the task force shall not be compensated but may be reimbursed under § 25-16-901 et seq. for expenses actually incurred in the performance of their duties.

(f) The task force shall establish rules and procedures for conducting its business.

(g)(1) Ten (10) members of the task force shall constitute a quorum for transacting business of the task force.

(2) An affirmative vote of a majority of a quorum present shall be required for the passage of a motion or other task force action.

(h) The Department of Corrections shall provide staff, meeting space, and materials for the task force.

(i) The task force shall meet on or before July 15, 2021, at the call of the member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and organize itself by electing one (1) of its members as chair and other officers as the task force may consider necessary.

(j) The task force shall prepare and submit a report of its findings to the Cochair of the Legislative Council and the Chair of the House Committee on Judiciary and the Chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

(k) The report is due by October 31, 2022.

(l) The task force shall expire on December 31, 2022.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Criminal Justice Task Force on Offender Court Costs and Collections has a large task ahead of it concerning the study it is required to conduct and the report it is required to complete. Because of this, the task force needs to begin work in July of 2021, before the normal effective date of this act. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist with regard to Section 2 of this act, and Section 2 of this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 405 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 405

Amend Senate Bill No. 405 as originally introduced:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 22 through 25, and substitute the following:

"(a) The General Assembly finds that:
   (1) John R. "Johnny" Cash was born in Kingsland, Arkansas;
   (2) John R. "Johnny" Cash was a legendary musician, citizen of the State of Arkansas, and contributed to the musical history of the United States and Arkansas;
   (3) The childhood home of John R. "Johnny" Cash in Dyess,Arkansas;"
Arkansas, had a significant impact on his life and music; and

(4) The Historic Dyess Colony contains the restored family home of John R. "Johnny" Cash as part of the preservation of the story of the Dyess Colony, part of a 1934 New Deal program and the nation's largest farming resettlement community during the Great Depression.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 405 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 569 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 569

Amend Senate Bill No. 569 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 24, delete "adrenal insufficiency or"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "adrenal insufficiency or"

AND

Page 1, delete line 35, and substitute the following:

“(6) Treat low cortisol symptoms.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 18, Subchapter 7, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-18-717. Administration of medication and treatment for adrenal insufficiency.

(a) Upon written request of a parent or guardian of a student with adrenal insufficiency and authorization by the treating physician of the student, the student in
the classroom, in another area designated at the school, on school grounds, or at a
school-related activity may:

(1) Possess on his or her person the necessary supplies and
equipment to perform adrenal insufficiency monitoring and treatment;

(2) Administer medication for adrenal insufficiency; and

(3) Treat low cortisol symptoms.

(b) A student shall have access to a private area to perform adrenal
insufficiency monitoring and treatment upon request of the parent or guardian of the
student, as outlined in the student's health plan.

(c) A public school employee may volunteer to be trained to administer and
may administer hydrocortisone to a student with adrenal insufficiency in an
emergency situation as permitted under § 17-87-103(11)."

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "SECTION 2" and substitute "SECTION 3"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 569 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1788 was withdrawn from the
Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second
reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1788

Amend House Bill No. 1788 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 26, delete "service;" and substitute "service and deemed a special-
purpose unit of local government under 41 C.F.R. § 105-50.001-4;"

AND

Page 5, line 28, delete "and"
AND

Page 5, delete line 32, and substitute the following:
"the area; and

(4) May receive federal, state, county, or municipal funding through grants, transfers, appropriations, and other legal forms of payment to accomplish the purposes of this section.

(c) A party may receive federal, state, county, or municipal funding through grants, transfers, appropriations, and other legal forms of payment to accomplish the purposes of this section."

AND

Page 5, line 33, delete "(c)" and substitute "(d)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1788 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 341, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 447, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
SENATE BILL NO. 444, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 50, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:38 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 341
SENATE BILL NO. 447
SENATE BILL NO. 444
SENATE BILL NO. 121
SENATE BILL NO. 50

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this sixth day of April, 2021 at 9:38 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 10, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 10 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 242, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 242 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 315, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 353, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 315 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 405, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,**

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 405 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 569, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,**
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 569 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1788, BY REPRESENTATIVE FITE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1788 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1755, BY REPRESENTATIVE JEAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1774, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 171, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 467, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 573, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1416, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1745, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCGREW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Joint Budget, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 67, by Joint Budget Committee,
Senate Bill No. 110, by Joint Budget Committee,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Jonathan Dismang, Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Joint Budget, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 108, by Joint Budget Committee,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Jonathan Dismang, Chairman
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE BILL NO. 606, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 636
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; TO SUBJECT CERTAIN CONTRACTS OF THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 636 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 637
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS UNPAVED ROADS PROGRAM ACT; TO TRANSFER DUTIES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO PROMULGATE RULES AND AWARD GRANT FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 637 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE RURAL SPECIAL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM AS THE CLASS 1A STATE CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 19 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Hester, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1063 at this time.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Resolution No. 10 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: SENATOR IRVIN**

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE MOUNT ST. MARY ACADEMY FOR 170 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 10 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 458 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 458 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 576 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senator Ingram moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1172 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.
On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 388 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 388

Amend Senate Bill No. 388 as engrossed, S3/23/21:

Add Senators Gilmore, Rapert, G. Stubblefield, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Bentley, Crawford, Gazaway, Penzo, Ray, Wooten as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 574 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 574

Amend Senate Bill No. 574 as originally introduced:
Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-19-107(a), concerning self-insured religious denomination organizations under the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Any person or religious denomination which may qualify as a self-insurer by obtaining a certificate of self-insurance issued by the Office of Motor Vehicle as described in subsection (b) of this section if:

(1) The person is someone in whose name more than twenty-five (25) vehicles are registered in this state or any political subdivision or municipality of this state, individually or collectively; or

(2) The religious denomination:

(A) Has more than twenty-five (25) members who own motor vehicles registered in this state and which prohibits its members from purchasing insurance of any form as being contrary to its religious tenets, or any person in whose name more than twenty-five (25) vehicles are registered in this state or any political subdivision or municipality of this state, individually or collectively, may qualify as a self-insurer by obtaining a certificate of self-insurance issued by the Office of Motor Vehicle as provided in subsection (b) of this section; or

(B)(i) Shares liability among members for liability insurance purposes.

(ii) The religious denomination described in subdivision (a)(2)(B)(i) is considered an insurer for motor vehicle liability insurance purposes."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 574 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 614 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 614

Amend Senate Bill No. 614 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 30, and substitute the following:
"resident of this state.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-9-109, concerning the form of verification for petitions and the penalty for false statements, is amended to add additional subsections to read as follows:
(e) A canvasser who witnesses signatures on a petition part but knowingly allows another canvasser who did not witness all signatures on a petition part to execute a false verification affidavit with respect to that petition part commits a Class D felony.
(f) A sponsor, sponsor’s agent, or representative commits a Class D felony if a sponsor, sponsor’s agent, or representative:
(1) Knowingly pays a canvasser for petitioner signatures on a petition part not personally witnessed by that paid canvasser; or
(2) Knowingly submits to the Secretary of State a petition part where the verifying canvasser has not witnessed each signature on that petition part.”

AND

Page 2, delete line 14, and substitute the following:
"paid canvasser to be registered with the Secretary of State.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 7-9-601(b), concerning the hiring and training of paid canvassers, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:
(5) The sponsor shall bear the ultimate burden of proving that a paid canvasser registered by the sponsor does not have a disqualifying conviction in an administrative proceeding or judicial proceeding.”

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 622 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 622

Amend Senate Bill No. 622 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete lines 6 through 12, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 5.  Arkansas Code § 16-93-612, concerning the date when a felony offense was committed and which parole eligibility statutes apply, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

    (g) Notwithstanding any law allowing the award of meritorious good time or any other law to the contrary, if the felony is an offense that is subject to delayed release under § 5-4-405 and was committed on or after the effective date of this act, the person shall not be eligible for parole or community correction transfer until the person serves a minimum of eighty percent (80%) of the term of imprisonment to which the person is sentenced."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 622 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

Amend House Bill No. 1063 as engrossed, S3/17/21:

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 35, and substitute the following:

"State Medical Board; or

(i) The healthcare professional who is licensed in Arkansas has access to a patient’s personal health record maintained by a healthcare professional and uses any technology deemed appropriate by the healthcare professional, including the telephone, with a patient located in Arkansas to diagnose, treat, and if clinically appropriate, prescribe a noncontrolled drug to the patient.

(ii) For purposes of this subchapter, a health record may be created with the use of telemedicine and consists of relevant clinical information required to treat a patient, and is reviewed by the healthcare professional who meets the same standard of care for a telemedicine visit as an in-person visit;"

AND

Page 5, line 4, delete “plan; or” and substitute “plan;”

AND

Page 5, delete line 8, and substitute the following:

"choice; or

(5) A copayment, coinsurance, or deductible that is not equally imposed upon telemedicine providers as those imposed on network providers."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered engrossed.
House Bill No. 1570 returned from the House having overridden the Governor's veto.

Senator Flippo moved to reconsider House Bill No. 1570 notwithstanding the Governor's veto.

Senator Tucker spoke against the motion.

Senator T. Rice moved for immediate consideration. Motion carried. Roll call ensued.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 25

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 33

Necessary to the override of the veto........................................ 18

Motion to override the Governor's veto passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1570 was returned to the House as passed, having overridden the Governor's veto.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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   (ii) For purposes of this subchapter, a health record may be created with the use of telemedicine and consists of relevant clinical information required to treat a patient, and is reviewed by the healthcare professional who meets the same standard of care for a telemedicine visit as an in-person visit;"

AND

Page 5, line 4, delete "plan; or" and substitute "plan;"

AND

Page 5, delete line 8, and substitute the following:

"choice; or

   (5) A copayment, coinsurance, or deductible that is not equally imposed upon telemedicine providers as those imposed on network providers."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 466 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 466
As Engrossed: S3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITTE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REGULATION OF PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 466 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 466. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

Total ............................................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 466 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 553 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 553
As Engrossed: S3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, K. HAMMER, HILL, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, BECK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS STATE CAPITOL AND HISTORICAL MONUMENT PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 553 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................23
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

   Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Dismang, English.

   Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

   Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

   Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 395 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 395
As Engrossed: S4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, D. FERGUSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE ANNUAL CAP ON DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY SERVICES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 395 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 395. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ....................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ....................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark, Gilmore.

Total ....................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ....................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 395 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 607 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 607
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A PEER SUPPORT SPECIALIST IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; TO REMOVE A REFERENCE TO THE ARKANSAS SUBSTANCE ABUSE CERTIFICATION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 607 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 607. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 607 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1053 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053
As Engrossed:  H2/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON
BY:  SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DIRECTOR OF THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION; TO ALLOW THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO APPOINT THE DIRECTOR OF THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION AND TO STATE THAT THE APPOINTEE MEETS THE LEGAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE POSITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1053 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Bledsoe, Eads, English, Hendren, Leding, Sturch.
Total .............................................................................................................7

Total .............................................................................................................21

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Hickey, B. Johnson.
Total .............................................................................................................3

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.
Total .............................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .............................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast ..............................................................................30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1053 was returned to the House as having failed to pass.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1502 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT CLEAR FACE MASK COVERINGS BE WORN BY CERTAIN PERSONS IF INTERACTING WITH AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS DEAF OR HARD OF HEARING DURING CERTAIN DISASTER EMERGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1502 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1502. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................................0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1502 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1514 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A DATA COMPANY FROM PREVENTING AUTHORIZED ACCESS BY A PUBLIC ENTITY TO THE PUBLIC ENTITY’S DATA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1514 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1514. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.
Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1514 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ingram, House Bill No. 1545 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1545
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. DAVIS, L. JOHNSON, ET AL
BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING LANGUAGE ASSOCIATED WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1545 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Ingram moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1545. Motion carried.


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1545 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1717 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1717**

*As Engrossed: H3/23/21*

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SICK LEAVE FOR MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1717 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1717. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Clark, Gilmore.

Total ................................................................. 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1717 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1765 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1765
As Engrossed: S4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; TO MODIFY THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE PROGRAM TO PREVENT, DETECT, AND RECOVER UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE FRAUD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1765 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1765. Motion carried.

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1765, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1765 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1766 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1766
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE STATE CONTRIBUTION TO THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1766 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1766. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................................. 31

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

Total .................................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson, Sample.

Total .................................................................................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1766 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1797 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1797
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL PROVISIONS OF THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY REVIEW BOARD TO PROMULGATE OR ENFORCE CERTAIN RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1797 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sullivan moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1797. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark, Gilmore.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1797 was returned to the House as passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 638
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS MILITARY CHILD SCHOOL TRANSITIONS ACT OF 2021; TO ADVANCE ACHIEVEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS ON BEHALF OF CHILDREN OF MILITARY FAMILIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 638 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 639
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OFF-LABEL USE OF DRUG TREATMENTS TO TREAT PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH PEDIATRIC ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME AND PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 639 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 640
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR MEDICAL DEBT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 640 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 641
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BOND COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 641 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 574, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1063, by Representative Dotson,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson
Chairman

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor.

Senate Bill No. 642
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
By: Senator G. Leding

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: An Act to Create the Strong Families Act; To Create an Income Tax Credit for Employers That Provide Paid Family and Medical Leave for Certain Employees; and for Other Purposes.

Senate Bill No. 642 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on Revenue & Taxation.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1240, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1243, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1804, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 27 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 65 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 120 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 152 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 160 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 299 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 306 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 308 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 387 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 394 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 446 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 451 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 474 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 491 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 504 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 521 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 524 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 548 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 588 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 143 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 309 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 417 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 291 was returned from the House as passed, Emergency Clause having failed of adoption.

SENATE BILL NO. 643
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 643 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 498, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 535, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 557, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1626, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1691, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1730, BY REPRESENTATIVE JEAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1752, BY REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1806, BY REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAUGH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CELEBRATE THE FIFTIETH
ANNIVERSARY OF ARKANSAS SKY OBSERVATORIES.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was read the first time, rules
suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1274
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER POLICE OFFICERS IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1274 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1665
As Engrossed: H3/15/21 H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS AFFORDABLE ENERGY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1665 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388
As Engrossed: H2/25/21 H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR VOLUNTARY POST-ADOPTION CONTACT AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1388 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF STATE TAX RECORDS AND OTHER REVENUE INFORMATION; TO ALLOW THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH TO HAVE DIRECT ACCESS TO STATE TAX RECORDS AND OTHER REVENUE INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1469 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1684
As Engrossed: H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONTRIBUTIONS TO AN ABLE ACCOUNT UNDER THE ACHIEVING A BETTER LIFE EXPERIENCE PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1684 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1728
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GODFREY, CLOWNEY, A. COLLINS
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO ALLOW CAMPAIGN FUNDS TO PAY CHILDCARE EXPENSES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1728 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1743
As Engrossed:  H3/30/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY:  SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; TO AUTHORIZE TAX CREDITS OR REBATES TO BE ISSUED UNDER THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; TO EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE FOR THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1743 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1780
As Engrossed:  H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING MEDICATION ASSISTIVE PERSONS; TO ALLOW EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES IN CERTAIN FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1780 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE PRESCRIPTION LIMITATIONS IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; TO EXEMPT LONG-TERM MEDICATION FROM BEING COUNTED TOWARDS A PRESCRIPTION LIMITATION IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1781 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING UNFAIR PRACTICES RELATED TO RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE REPAIR CONTRACTS; TO PROHIBIT A PROMISE TO PAY OR TO REBATE AN INSURANCE POLICY DEDUCTIBLE UNDER A RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE REPAIR CONTRACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1802 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1813
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO COUNSEL UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; CONCERNING A PUTATIVE PARENT'S RIGHT TO COUNSEL UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1813 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1814
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD IN CERTAIN HEARINGS HELD UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PARENT" UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1814 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1815
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DEPENDENCY-NEGLECT PETITIONS, HEARINGS, AND THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AS IT RELATES TO A PUTATIVE PARENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1815 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1824
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECORDERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNIFORM FEE FOR RECORDING INSTRUMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1824 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TIME-SHARE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1834 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1860
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COUNTY APPROPRIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1860 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 644
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE INVESTIGATION OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAW; TO ESTABLISH AN ELECTION LAW VIOLATION HOTLINE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INVESTIGATIONS BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 644 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 395
SENATE BILL NO. 466
SENATE BILL NO. 553
SENATE BILL NO. 607
HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING OVERRIDDEN THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

HOUSE BILL NO. 1570

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
HOUSE BILL NO. 1545
HOUSE BILL NO. 1717
HOUSE BILL NO. 1766
HOUSE BILL NO. 1797

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1765 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 27
SENATE BILL NO. 65
SENATE BILL NO. 120
SENATE BILL NO. 152
SENATE BILL NO. 160
SENATE BILL NO. 299
SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED, EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING FAILED OF ADOPTION

SENATE BILL NO. 291 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 143 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 309 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 417 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL RETURNED BY THE HOUSE
HAVING OVERRIDEN THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

HOUSE BILL NO. 1570
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274
HOUSE BILL NO. 1388
HOUSE BILL NO. 1469
HOUSE BILL NO. 1665
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1780
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1802
HOUSE BILL NO. 1813
HOUSE BILL NO. 1814
HOUSE BILL NO. 1815
HOUSE BILL NO. 1824
HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
HOUSE BILL NO. 1860

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, April 7, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLED SOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Sullivan requested leave for Senator Clark. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sullivan.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARAKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 191

Amend Senate Bill No. 191 as engrossed, S4/1/21:

Page 1, line 16, delete "STUDENTS AND TEACHERS" and substitute "MEMBERS OF THE CAMPUS COMMUNITY"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE FORUM ACT; TO AMEND THE RESTRICTIONS AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION MAY IMPOSE ON FREE EXPRESSION; AND TO AMEND THE AREAS THAT CONSTITUTE A PUBLIC FORUM FOR MEMBERS OF THE CAMPUS COMMUNITY."

AND

Page 4, line 34, delete "members of the campus community students and teachers" and substitute "members of the campus community"

AND

Page 5, line 1, delete "member of the campus community student or teacher" and substitute "member of the campus community"

AND

Page 5, line 11, delete "campus community member student or" and substitute "campus community member"

AND
Page 5, line 12, delete "teacher"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 462 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 462

Amend Senate Bill No. 462 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 12, delete "RESPECT TO" and substitute "RESPECT TO BASIC ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE LAW WITH RESPECT TO BASIC ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR AWARDS GRANTED UNDER THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM — PART 2."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 32, and substitute the following:

“(12) The applicant has achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.”

AND

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after July 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 462 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 489 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 489

Amend Senate Bill No. 489 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Page 5, delete line 5, and substitute the following:
"five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh), and if the electric utility has"

AND

Page 6, line 9, delete "§ 23-4-1205(c)(3)" and substitute "§ 23-4-1205(c)"

AND

Page 6, delete line 11, and substitute the following:
"follows:
   (c)(1)(A) A electric or natural gas public utility that has filed a notice of intent or has an application for a general change in rates and charges pending under § 23-4-401 et seq. that contains a notice of election to be regulated under a formula rate review effective March 27, 2015, shall be regulated under this subchapter.
   (B)(i) A water or sewer public utility that has filed a notice of intent or has an application for a general change in rates and charges pending under § 23-4-401 et seq. that contains a notice of election to be regulated under a formula rate review effective March 27, 2015, may request that the water or sewer public utility be regulated under this subchapter."
(ii) Upon a public interest determination, the commission may authorize the water or sewer public utility’s request under subdivision (c)(1)(B)(i) of this section to be regulated under this subchapter.

(2)(A) A public utility shall not file for an initial formula rate review until at least one hundred eighty (180) days after rates have become effective pursuant to the final order on the application for a general change in rates.

(B) A public utility that has filed a notice of intent or has an application for a general change in rates and charges pending under § 23-4-401 et seq, that contains a notice of election to be regulated under a formula rate review effective March 27, 2015, may file for the initial formula rate review one hundred fifty (150) days after rates have become effective pursuant to the final order in the general rate case."

AND

Page 6, line 21, delete "seven"

AND

Page 6, delete line 22, and substitute the following:
"five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh), the commission shall, and for all other utilities the commission may approve changes"

AND

Page 7, delete line 3, and substitute the following:
"support any portion of the electing public utility’s projected data through the"

AND

Page 9, line 20, delete "(g)(2)" and substitute "(g)(4)"

AND

Page 9, line 21, delete "(a)(4)" and substitute "(a)(2)(A)(ii)"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 24 and 25, and substitute the following: "factors unique to the public utility.

(2) The Arkansas Public Service Commission shall not make any adjustments to the rates that are approved in the application for a general change in rates and charges during the formula rate review term except for those made under § 23-4-1205(c)(3)(B).

(3) If a public utility has designated its formula rate review test period as based on a projected year under § 23-4-1205(a)(2), the public utility shall be allowed to recover its allowance for funds used during construction that is determined according to the uniform system of accounts adopted by the Arkansas Public Service Commission and any applicable accounting guidance issued by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and conforms with generally accepted accounting principles, through rates developed using a projected year.

(4) Unless the Arkansas Public Service Commission finds that it is in the public interest and makes specific findings in support, the Arkansas Public Service Commission shall not approve any"
charges, including a review of all of the components of a public
AND
Page 10, delete line 1 and 2
AND
Page 10, delete lines 9 through 17, and substitute the following:
"rates or charges, except that an adjustment shall not be approved under this subsection that is inconsistent with other provisions of this chapter."
AND
Page 10, delete lines 31 and 32, and substitute the following:
"usage for the class as a whole in excess of five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh), the commission shall, and for all other utilities the commission may, adjust the cost allocation, with"
AND
Page 11, delete lines 18 and 19, and substitute the following:
"years beyond the initial term.
   (ii) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2)(A)(iii) of this section, as part of granting any extension of the initial term of a formula rate mechanism, the public utility may propose and the commission may make the following adjustments, consistent with this subchapter and other applicable statutory provisions for a public utility or any other party to a proceeding subject to the commission's jurisdiction that may be proposed, and the commission may approve:
   (a) Reasonable and necessary revisions to the formula rate plan mechanism proposed by the parties that are necessary to ensure that the mechanism is consistent with the public interest but that do not materially change the provisions of the formula rate plan mechanism; and
   (b) An increase or decrease to the utility's authorized return on equity by no more than ten (10) basis points based upon consideration of § 23-4-410(c)-(e), including making any required findings.
   (iii) For an electric utility if the electric"
AND
Page 11, delete line 23, and substitute the following:
"the class as a whole in excess of five million megawatt hours (5,000,000"
AND
Page 12, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"in excess of five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh), the commission"
AND
Page 12, delete line 15, and substitute the following:
"the class as a whole in excess of five million megawatt hours (5,000,000"
AND
Page 12, delete line 29, and substitute the following:
"excess of five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh):"

AND

Page 14, delete line 21, and substitute the following:
"five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh):"

AND

Page 14, delete lines 32 through 34, and substitute the following:
"(C) The target return rate in effect during the five-year term of the formula rate review mechanism shall be set equal to an amount that is ten (10) basis points lower than the target return rate in effect during the initial five-year term of the formula rate review mechanism;"

AND

Page 15, delete line 18, and substitute the following:
"five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh), to the extent practicable, the"

AND

Page 17, delete line 24, and substitute the following:
"(B) If the public utility, during the five-year term of an extension, for an electric public utility with a formula rate review mechanism that uses a test period based on a projected year with an initial five-year term that was approved an in effect by the commission before March 15, 2021, for an electric utility whose largest class of customers with the highest level of consumption per customer that has rates that include a demand component, and any successors to such a class, as they existed on January 1, 2021, has an annual usage for the class as a whole in excess of five million megawatt hours (5,000,000 MWh), does not file an application for"

AND

Page 17, line 27, delete "the public utility" and substitute "the electric utility"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 576 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 576

Amend Senate Bill No. 576 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 14, and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO ADOPT ATTENDANCE POLICY REQUIREMENTS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENDING SCHOOL VIRTUALLY OR REMOTELY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO ADOPT ATTENDANCE POLICY REQUIREMENTS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENDING SCHOOL VIRTUALLY OR REMOTELY."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-18-213(a)(2), concerning an attendance record kept by each school district, is amended to read as follows:

(A) This basic record, showing the daily attendance and absence of each student for the school year, shall be kept by a teacher or other officially designated person who notes the attendance or absence of each student on a daily basis.

(B) Each school district and open-enrollment public charter school shall have a policy detailing how a record of pupil attendance shall be kept for public school students who attend school via virtual or remote learning programs if the method for detailing attendance is different from the method required under subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-18-222(b)(3), concerning suspension of the motor vehicle operator's license of a student fourteen (14) years of age or older who is no longer in school, is amended to read as follows:

(3) This section applies with the same force and effect to students attending school via virtual or remote learning programs.

(4) The department shall have the power to may promulgate rules to carry out the intent of this section and shall distribute to each public, private, and
parochial school and each adult education program a copy of all rules adopted under this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 576 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 630 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 630

Amend Senate Bill No. 639 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35, and substitute the following:
"(A) Is eligible to attend a public school in this state;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 8, and substitute the following:
"school in this state in the previous school year;"
AND

Page 2, line 13, delete "subchapter" and substitute "subchapter in the previous school year"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 630 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 631

Amend Senate Bill No. 631 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 9

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "TO SHIP AND"
AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING HARD CIDER; AND TO AUTHORIZE A HARD CIDER MANUFACTURER TO DELIVER HARD CIDER."

AND

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
"THE QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE IN AN ELECTION; AND PROVIDING THAT A PERSON WHO IS SEVENTEEN (17) YEARS OF AGE AND OTHERWISE QUALIFIED TO VOTE MAY VOTE IN A PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION AND GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION AT WHICH ONE (1) OR MORE NOMINEES ARE CHOSEN TO BE VOTED UPON AT A GENERAL ELECTION IF THE
PERSON WILL BE EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE ON OR BEFORE THE DATE OF THE GENERAL ELECTION."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 31, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 3, §1(a), concerning the qualifications of electors, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Except as otherwise provided by this Constitution, any person may vote in an election in this state who is:

(1)(A) A citizen of the United States;
(2)(B) A resident of the State of Arkansas;
(3)(C) At least eighteen (18) years of age; and
(4)(D) Lawfully registered to vote in the election.

(2) A person who is seventeen (17) years of age and otherwise qualified to vote in an election in this state may vote in the following elections at which one (1) or more nominees are chosen to be voted upon at a general election if the person will be eighteen (18) years of age on or before the date of the general election:

(A) A preferential primary election; and
(B) A general primary election.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment is effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this joint resolution shall be the ballot title; and
(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Provide that a Person who is Seventeen (17) Years of Age and Otherwise Qualified to Vote May Vote in Primary Elections At Which Nominees Are Chosen to be Voted Upon at a General Election if the Person Will Be Eighteen (18) Years of Age On or Before the Date of the General Election".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1777 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1777

Amend House Bill No. 1777 as engrossed, H3/30/21:

Add Representative Dotson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "except registered" and substitute "except the address of registered"

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "excluding registered" and substitute "excluding the address of registered"

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "excluding" and substitute "excluding the address of"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "excluding" and substitute "excluding the address of"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "excluding" and substitute "excluding the address of"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "excluding registered" and substitute "excluding the address of registered"
AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "excluding registered" and substitute "excluding the address of registered"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1777 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 186 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 186 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Hammer.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 199 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 199 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bledsoe.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 530 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 530 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Wallace.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
Asa Hutchinson
Governor

April 6, 2021

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 6, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 196 - ACT 572
- Senate Bill No. 119 - ACT 573
- Senate Bill No. 204 - ACT 574
- Senate Bill No. 283 - ACT 575
- Senate Bill No. 511 - ACT 576
- Senate Bill No. 531 - ACT 577
- Senate Bill No. 554 - ACT 578
- Senate Bill No. 50 - ACT 579
- Senate Bill No. 444 - ACT 580
- Senate Bill No. 121 - ACT 581
- Senate Bill No. 447 - ACT 582

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 27, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 120, BY BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 160, BY SENATOR BART HESTER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 299, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 306, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 387, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 394, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 446, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 474, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 491, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 504, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 521, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 524, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 548, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 451, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:38 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 27
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SENATE BILL NO. 451

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this seventh day of April, 2021 at 9:38 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 462, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 630, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 462 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 576 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 630 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 631, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12,
BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1777, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1777 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1329, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1598, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1731, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 543, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCLURE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1048, BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1050, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 559 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senator Stubblefield moved to remove Senate Bill No. 242 from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS. Motion failed.

Senator Stubblefield moved to expunge the failure of the motion. Motion to expunge passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 242 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 242 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Concurrent Resolution Bill No. 7 at this time.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7**
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDGE, B. DAVIS, J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, BARKER, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE PURSUIT OF NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE DESIGNATION BY THE WINTHROP P. ROCKEFELLER CANCER INSTITUTE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senator Irvin moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 291 emergency clause passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, PERRY
BY: SENATOR M. PITSCH

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO EMPHASIZE THE VALUE OF WATERFOWL AND WATERFOWL HABITAT IN ARKANSAS TO THE ECONOMY, RECREATION, HERITAGE, AND QUALITY OF LIFE IN THE STATE; AND TO SUPPORT EFFORTS THAT BOOST THIS CRITICAL PART OF THE STATE’S ECONOMY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 61 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 61

Amend Senate Bill No. 61 as engrossed, S2/24/21:

Add Representative C. Fite as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 61, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 61 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 61
As Engrossed: S2/24/21 H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITI

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE COLLEGE AND CAREER COACHES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 61 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 61. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .......................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 61 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 226 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 226

Amend Senate Bill No. 226 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "OVERSIGHT" and substitute "ADVISORY"

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "PERFORM OVERSIGHT FUNCTIONS" and substitute "PROVIDE ADVICE"

AND
Delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"REQUIRING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF
THE MEDICAL MARIJUANA ADVISORY
SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE
COUNCIL TO PROVIDE ADVICE
RELATED TO ARKANSAS
CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98."

AND

Page 1, line 26, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"Marijuana Advisory Subcommittee, which shall provide advice on all matters"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "shall" and substitute "may"

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND

Page 2, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"Medical Marijuana Advisory Subcommittee considers necessary to provide its"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "oversight of" and substitute "advice on"

AND

Page 2, line 29, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

AND
Page 3, line 6, delete "Oversight" and substitute "Advisory"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD
(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LES WARREN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 226, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 226 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 226
As Engrossed: H3/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO ESTABLISH THE MEDICAL MARIJUANA ADVISORY SUBCOMMITTEE TO PROVIDE ADVICE RELATED TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 226 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 226. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:  Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:  Beckham.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast........................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 226 was and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 417 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.
Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as engrossed, S3/11/21:

Add Representative Richmond as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 417, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 417 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 417
As Engrossed: S3/11/21 H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING A PERSON CONVICTED OF AN ANTITRUST VIOLATION OR OTHER UNLAWFUL BUSINESS PRACTICE TO LAWFULLY POSSESS A FIREARM UNDER STATE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 417 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 417. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................ 31

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers.

Total ............................................................................................ 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ............................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 418 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 418

Amend Senate Bill No. 418 as originally introduced:

Add Representative L. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 418, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 418 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 418

Amend Senate Bill No. 418 as engrossed, H3/18/21:

Page 2, line 8, delete "(4)" and substitute "(4)(A)"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "by up to fifty percent (50%)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 14, and substitute the following: "long-term sustainability of the state parks system." (B) Fees, rates, tolls, charges, and rentals may be increased by up to twenty percent (20%) or decreased by up to fifty percent (50%) under subdivision (a)(4)(A) of this section.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 418, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 418 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 418
As Engrossed: H3/18/21 H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING
THE STATE PARKS, RECREATION, AND TRAVEL COMMISSION; TO AMEND
THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE PARKS, RECREATION, AND TRAVEL
COMMISSION RELATED TO FEES FOR SERVICES; TO AUTHORIZE THE
STATE PARKS DIVISION TO UTILIZE DYNAMIC PRICING FOR EVENTS,
SERVICES, AND OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 418 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 418.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Sample,

Total ......................................................................................... 31

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1243 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1243

Amend House Bill No. 1243 as engrossed, H4/1/21:

Page 11, line 31, delete "(15)(B)" and substitute "(15)(C)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1243 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 171 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEES FOR A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; TO WAIVE FEES FOR MILITARY VETERANS AND ACTIVE UNITED STATES MILITARY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 171 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 171. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total .................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total .................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 171 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 388 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 388
As Engrossed: S3/8/21 S3/23/21 S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BECKHAM, D. SULLIVAN, GILMORE, RAPERT,
G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLOUD, LUNDSSTRUM, BENTLEY, CRAWFORD,
GAZAWAY, PENZO, RAY, WOOTEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY LAWS CONCERNING
ABORTION CLINICS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 388 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 388. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 467 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 467
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING AN EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN TO POSSESS AND CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN WITHOUT A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 467 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 467. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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Total number of votes cast: 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 467 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 498 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 498**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**


**BY: REPRESENTATIVES WING, BARKER, ET AL**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ELECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 498 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 498 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 535 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 535
As Engrossed: S4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE GOVERNMENT INTERACTION WITH NONPROFIT ENTITIES ACT; TO REGULATE PUBLIC AGENCY INTERACTION WITH A NONPROFIT ENTITY; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION MAINTAINED BY NONPROFIT ENTITIES; TO CREATE A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF PRIVATE INFORMATION OF A NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 535 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 535. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................ 29

**NEGATIVE:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 1

**EXCUSED:** Clark.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 1

**VOTING PRESENT:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 3

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*Senate Bill No. 535* was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
April 7, 2021

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this letter as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of ethics and to comply with full disclosure.

**SENATE BILL NO. 535 OF 2021**

I am a member of the board of directors of the Arkansas Behavioral Health integration Network (ABHIN).

Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Senator Kim Hammer
Assistant Pro Tempore
District 33
April 7, 2021

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this letter as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of ethics and to comply with full disclosure. Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06-3 (a,b,c), the following disclosure is provided:

**SENATE BILL NO. 535 OF 2021**

This bill addresses issues related to non-profit entities and disclosure requirements. I am a board member and/or officer of multiple 501(c)3 entities currently.

Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Jason Rapert  
State Senator  
District 35
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 557 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 557
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF MEMBERS OF A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF COUNTY EMPLOYEES DESIGNATED AS ELECTION OFFICIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 557 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 557. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................27

NEGATIVE:  Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................................6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Teague.

Total .............................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:  Clark.

Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 557 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 573 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 573
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PLACES WHERE A PERSON MAY POSSESS AND CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN WITH A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 573 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 573. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 28
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 573 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 574 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 574
As Engrossed: S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RECOGNIZE A LIABILITY SHARING ORGANIZATION AS AN INSURER FOR MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 574 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 574. Motion carried.


Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 574 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 606 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 606
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A DRIVER'S INSTRUCTION PERMIT BY THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 606 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 606. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................: 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 606 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 614 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 614
As Engrossed: S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PAID CANVASSERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE COMPENSATION OF PAID CANVASSERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 614 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 614. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 614, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 26
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 622 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 622
As Engrossed: S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HICKEY, A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT DELAYING RELEASE FROM PRISON FOR CERTAIN OFFENDERS UNTIL THE OFFENDER HAS SERVED AT LEAST EIGHTY PERCENT (80%) OF HIS OR HER SENTENCE; CREATING PENALTIES FOR FALSE REPORTING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT; CREATING A REGISTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 622 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.  
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.  
Senator Rapert spoke on the bill.  
Senator Hickey closed for the bill.  

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  22

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.
Total ...........................................................................................  7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT: Gilmore, Hill, M. Johnson, Rapert, Stubblefield.
Total ...........................................................................................  5

Total number of votes cast.........................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 622 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ingram, House Bill No. 1172 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172

As Engrossed: H2/2/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOLLETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT WAIVERS; TO REQUIRE CERTAIN NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION UPON THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S REVIEW OF WAIVERS GRANTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1172 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 28
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)   ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1172 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1237 at this time.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1237 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1237

Amend House Bill No. 1237 as originally introduced engrossed, H3/15/21:

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED)   SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)   ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1237 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1327 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327
As Engrossed: H2/22/21 H2/24/21 S3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A CURRENT OR FORMER JUDGE’S ABILITY TO LAWFULLY CARRY A HANDGUN WHERE CARRYING A HANDGUN WOULD OTHERWISE BE PROHIBITED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1327 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1327. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1327 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1240 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1240
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATORS M. PITSCH, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE ARKANSAS CREDIT FOR REINSURANCE LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1240 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Pitsch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1240. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1240, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1240 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1375 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1375
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCGREW, COZART, WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE STATE HIGHWAY 5, KNOWN AS THE HOT SPRINGS BYPASS EXTENSION, IN GARLAND COUNTY AS A SCENIC HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1375 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senators Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1375. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1375 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1416 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE HOME-BASED ENTREPRENEURSHIP; TO REMOVE UNNECESSARY BARRIERS TO WORKING FROM HOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1416 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1416. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 30

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:  Beckham, Elliott, Flowers, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 4
Total number of votes cast ...............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1416 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1559 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1559
As Engrossed:  H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY:  SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AUDITS AND DUTIES OF THE INTERNAL AUDIT SECTION; TO GRANT THE INTERNAL AUDIT SECTION SUBPOENA POWER; TO REQUIRE UNIFORMITY IN ALL AUDITS CONDUCTED IN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1559 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1559. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1559 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1626 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1626
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, SCOTT
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO PERMIT A RECORDS CUSTODIAN TO DISCLOSE A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE’S GROSS SALARY AMOUNT WITHOUT ADVANCED NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE; TO PROVIDE THAT A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE IS NOT ENTITLED TO SEEK THE ATTORNEY GENERAL’S REVIEW OF A RECORDS CUSTODIAN’S DECISION TO DISCLOSE ONLY THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE’S GROSS SALARY AMOUNT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1626 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1626. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1626 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1678 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE F. ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE HIGHLY QUALIFIED PROFESSOR AND TEACHER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1678 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1678.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1678 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ingram, House Bill No. 1745 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1745
As Engrossed: H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCGREW
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER TRAINING FOR CERTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE COMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1745 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1745. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1745 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1750 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1750
As Engrossed: H3/22/21 H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOMACK, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE VOLUNTARY CONSOLIDATION OF AN AFFECTED DISTRICT; TO ALLOW A CONTIGUOUS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO CONSOLIDATE WITH AN AFFECTED DISTRICT UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1750 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1750. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1750 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, *House Bill No. 1755* was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1755**
*As Engrossed:  H3/31/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: REPRESENTATIVES JEAN, FIELDING**
**BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, BECKHAM**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE TAX TREATMENT OF PRODUCING MINERALS; TO DEFINE AND SET THE TAX TREATMENT FOR OIL WELLS AND PRODUCTION EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

*House Bill No. 1755* was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on *House Bill No. 1755*. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .......................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Clark.

Total .......................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1755 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, House Bill No. 1774 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1774
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98, ALSO KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA AMENDMENT OF 2016"; TO MODIFY REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING A PHARMACIST CONSULTANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1774 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1774. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................................................29

NEGATIVE: Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ...........................................................................................................................................1

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ...........................................................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Gilmore, Hammer.

Total ...........................................................................................................................................3

Total number of votes cast .........................................................................................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................................................................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1774 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1804 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1804
As Engrossed: H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY AUDIT BILL OF RIGHTS; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER LICENSURE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1804 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1804. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1804 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1806 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1806
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAUGH
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS; TO ALLOW AN AGENCY TO SUBMIT A REQUEST FOR A SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR PROMOTIONAL ITEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1806 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1806. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1806 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:
HOUSE BILL NO. 1237, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1237 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1237
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SCHOOL START DATE AND THE DEFINITION AND LENGTH OF A SCHOOL DAY; TO ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS TO ELECT TO IMPLEMENT AN ALTERNATE SCHOOL CALENDAR; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF A SCHOOL DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1237 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1237. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Davis, Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1237 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 51 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 51

JBC 4/1/21 (1b)

Amend Senate Bill No. 51 as engrossed, S3/22/21:

Page 3, line 15, delete “GS05” and substitute “GS07”

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 51 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 108 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.
Amend Senate Bill No. 108 as engrossed S3/8/21:

Page 12, line 18, delete " $50,000" and substitute " $100,000"

AND

Page 22, insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 47 to read as follows:
" SECTION 48. APPROPRIATION - FULL INDEPENDENT PRACTICE CREDENTIALING COMMITTEE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Health, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses and the payment of mileage and per diem of the Department of Health - Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the sum of.................................$350,000."

AND

Page 24, line 9, delete "fifty" and substitute "fiftyone hundred"

AND

Page 24, line 10, delete "($50,000)" and substitute "($50,000)($100,000)"

AND

Page 24, insert additional SECTIONS immediately following SECTION 53 to read as follows:
" SECTION 54. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 6-81-1405 is amended to read as follows:
6-81-1405. Amount of loans - Maximum.
(a) The Arkansas State Board of Nursing may make a loan to any applicant in an amount calculated to pay the applicant's tuition, maintenance, and other education expenses while he or she is enrolled in a program of nursing education as described in this subchapter.
(b) The total of the loans made to any one (1) student under this subchapter shall not exceed twenty forty thousand dollars ($20,000) ($40,000).

SECTION 55. SPECIAL LANGUAGE - CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code Title 17, Chapter 87, Subchapter 3, is amended to add additional sections to read as follows:
17-87-315. Fees and disposition of fees related to Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee.
(a) The Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee shall establish fees relating to application, certification, endorsement, certification for prescriptive authority, certification renewal, and other reasonable services as determined by the committee.

(b) The committee may promulgate rules as necessary to administer the fees, rates, or charges for application, certification, endorsement, certification for prescriptive authority, certification renewal, and other reasonable services.

(c)(1) Revenue collected under § 17-87-314 shall be deposited into the State Treasury as cash funds to be known as the Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee Fund to be used as set out in § 17-87-314.

(2) The cash fund established in this section shall be maintained and administered by the committee and shall be used for the payment of personal services, operating expenses and for the payment of mileage and per diem of committee members for attendance at meetings, briefings and hearings.

SECTION 56. SPECIAL LANGUAGE - CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 25-16-903, concerning stipend authorization of sixty dollars ($60) for state boards, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(70) The Full Independent Practice Credentialing Committee.”

AND

Appropriately renumber the SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 111 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 111

Amend Senate Bill No. 111 as engrossed, S3/4/21: Page 2, SECTION 1, immediately following line 7, insert a new line to read as
follows:

" (14.1) E001N ADE COORDINATOR SPECIAL PROGRAMS 1 GRADE GS13"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "56" and substitute "57"

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete "$3,920,566" and substitute "$3,998,566"

AND

Page 3, line 12, delete "1,191,387" and substitute "1,203,387"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete " $5,221,953" and substitute " $5,311,953".

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered engrossed.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on JOINT BUDGET Senate Bill No 110 and Senate Bill No. 178. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 67 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 67
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 S4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 110 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 110
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 S3/8/21 S3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 110 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 110, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEW, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 178 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 178
As Engrossed: S3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY APPROVED CLAIMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 178 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 178, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ..........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ..........................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 178 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on JOINT BUDGET
House Bill No. 1077 and House Bill No. 1088. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1077 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1077
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1077 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
    Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark. ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1077, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1077 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1088 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1088 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1088, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1088 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1753 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1753
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING NEW APPOINTMENTS AND COMPENSATION PLANS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POSITION POOLS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1753 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:  Clark.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:  Garner.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

Total number of votes cast.......................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1753, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Garner.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1753 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1243, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM OCTOBER 2021 RETT SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH.

Senate Resolution No. 20 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 645  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, CALDWELL, K. INGRAM, M. JOHNSON,  
D. SULLIVAN  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES V. FLOWERS, BOYD, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PATH TO RESTORATION OF THE RIGHT TO POSSESS A FIREARM UNDER STATE LAW AFTER A CERTAIN TIME PERIOD HAS PASSED SINCE A PERSON CONVICTED OF CERTAIN FELONIES HAS COMPLETED HIS OR HER SENTENCE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISCHARGE, DISMISSAL, AND SEALING OF A FELONY CONVICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 645 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 646  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE V. FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TEMPORARILY EXTENDING THE STATUTES OF LIMITATION FOR ALL CIVIL ACTIONS DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 646 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 647
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ANNUAL AUDITS AND PROCEDURES OF WATER AND SEWER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 647 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 648
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRAGG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CHALLENGE PLUS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 648 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 649
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BECKHAM, ELLIOTT, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOMACK, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A CERTAIN PERCENTAGE OF LOTTERY PROCEEDS BE NET PROCEEDS THAT ARE USED FOR SCHOLARSHIPS; TO REQUIRE THAT THE PERCENTAGE OF NET PROCEEDS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS INCREASE YEAR BY YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 649 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 650
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ASSET LIMITS FOR THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; TO ALLOW FOR AN ADJUSTMENT TO THE ASSET LIMIT BASED UPON INFLATION; TO INCLUDE AN AUTOMATIC INFLATION ADJUSTMENT; TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO REQUEST A BROAD-BASED CATEGORICAL ELIGIBILITY WAIVER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 650 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 651
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE POLITICAL ACTIVITY OF A CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 652
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 652 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 653
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND BUSINESS CORPORATION LAW; TO MODIFY THE ARKANSAS BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT OF 1987; TO ENSURE FAIR WORKER REPRESENTATION ON A CORPORATE BOARD OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 653 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 654
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO EXTEND THE PERIOD OF A VISITING QUALIFYING PATIENT REGISTRY IDENTIFICATION CARD FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 654 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 655
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GODFREY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE EDUCATION FOR HEALTHY YOUTH ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 655 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 656
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL PERSONNEL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT REQUIREMENT CONCERNING TEEN SUICIDE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS TO DEVELOP PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES CONCERNING MENTAL HEALTH PROMOTION AND INTERVENTION, SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION, AND SUICIDE PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 656 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

APRIL 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 108, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

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ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1446, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1464, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1744, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE MELBOURNE HIGH SCHOOL LADY BEARKATZ FOR WINNING THE CLASS 2A BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Senate Resolution No. 21 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE “BROADWAY JOE” BOOKER FOR HIS EFFORTS IN ENCOURAGING ARKANSANS TO RECEIVE THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINE AND FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1034
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BEATY JR., JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECORDS MAINTAINED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT CONCERNING EXCEPTIONS TO THE PROHIBITION AGAINST THE DISCLOSURE OF TAXPAYER INFORMATION; TO DESIGNATE THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION AS THE OFFICIAL CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS FOR THE OFFICE OF MOTOR VEHICLE AND THE OFFICE OF DRIVER SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1034 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MILLIGAN, JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “EMPLOYER” UNDER THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING ACT OF 1965; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1039 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1298
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE
ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES'
RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1298 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1300
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MURDOCK, WARREN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS
OF TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING RETIREMENT AND
PENSIONS; CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF PARTICIPANTS IN SUMMER
YOUTH WORK PROGRAMS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT
SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EMPLOYEE"; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1300 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1325
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE AND CLARIFY RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT AMONG THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RETIREMENT SYSTEMS GENERALLY; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1325 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1418
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE AUTHORIZED TO OPERATE ON A STATE HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1418 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
As Engrossed: H3/11/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MURDOCK, F. ALLEN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS L. CHESTERFIELD, ELLIOTT, S. FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO HAVE AN EMERGENCY PLAN IN PLACE FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES OR THE ELDERLY DURING CERTAIN WEATHER EVENTS; TO REQUIRE AN ELECTRIC UTILITY TO DIRECTLY NOTIFY LOCAL GOVERNMENTS OF PLANNED POWER OUTAGES AND OTHER EMERGENCY MEASURES TO REDUCE ENERGY CONSUMPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1557 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1560
As Engrossed: H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REMOVAL OR IMMOBILIZATION OF UNATTENDED OR ABANDONED VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1560 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1592
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS
STUDENT PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1592 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1668
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTIES
FOR THE OFFENSE OF STALKING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1668 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1669
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSES OF DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE SECOND DEGREE AND DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE THIRD DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1669 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1670
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMMENCEMENT OF A PROSECUTION AND CONCERNING THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1670 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1701
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CREATIONISM AS A THEORY OF HOW THE EARTH CAME TO EXIST TO BE TAUGHT IN KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE TWELVE CLASSES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1701 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1704
As Engrossed: H3/23/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO PROHIBIT MUNICIPALITIES AND COUNTIES FROM RESTRICTING THE USE OF AUXILIARY CONTAINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1704 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1736
As Engrossed: H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FURMAN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHT OF A JUVENILE TO REMAIN IN FOSTER CARE AFTER REACHING THE AGE OF MAJORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1736 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BECK, BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF HIGHWAY REVENUE INTEREST INCOME; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FUTURE TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH FUND AND THE TRANSPORTATION-RELATED GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1782 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE PATHWAY PILOT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1794 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND OCCUPATIONAL CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1796 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1842
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, WATSON, ET AL
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE AT A RAILROAD CROSSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1842 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1846 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 570, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 621, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1141, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1427, BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER
HOUSE BILL NO. 1723, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1735, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1756, BY REPRESENTATIVE CRAWFORD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1776, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 218 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 420 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 481 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 494 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 505 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 584 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 593 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 555 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 555 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 110
SENATE BILL NO. 171
SENATE BILL NO. 178
SENATE BILL NO. 388
SENATE BILL NO. 467
SENATE BILL NO. 498
SENATE BILL NO. 535
SENATE BILL NO. 557
SENATE BILL NO. 573
SENATE BILL NO. 574
SENATE BILL NO. 606
SENATE BILL NO. 614
SENATE BILL NO. 622

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1077
HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
HOUSE BILL NO. 1172
HOUSE BILL NO. 1240
HOUSE BILL NO. 1375
HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559
HOUSE BILL NO. 1626
HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
HOUSE BILL NO. 1745
HOUSE BILL NO. 1753
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SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 555 AS AMENDED NO. 1
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, April 8, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Sullivan requested leave for Senator Clark. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Dr. Derek Collins, Gethsemane Baptist Church, Walnut Ridge.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 337 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 337

Amend Senate Bill No. 337 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 22 through 36, and substitute the following:

“(3) Subdivision (a)(2) of this section does not apply to an Arkansas city or incorporated town:

(A) That is separated by a navigable river from a city in another state that is located in a metropolitan statistical area designated by the United States Bureau of the Census as having a population of at least one million (1,000,000); or

(B) Whose corporate borders adjoin a city that meets the criteria under subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Page 4, delete lines 20 through 36, and substitute the following:

“(3) Subdivision (a)(2) of this section does not apply to an Arkansas city or incorporated town:

(A) That is separated by a navigable river from a city in another state that is located in a metropolitan statistical area designated by the United States Bureau of the Census as having a population of at least one million (1,000,000); or

(B) Whose corporate borders adjoin a city that meets the criteria under subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section.”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 5, line 3, delete “(5)(A)” and substitute “(4)(A)”

AND

Page 5, line 4, delete “(a)(2)-(4)” and substitute “(a)(2) and (3)”

AND

Page 5, line 10, delete “(a)(2)-(4)” and substitute “(a)(2) and (3)”
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 337 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 539 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 539

Amend Senate Bill No. 539 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 6, add a new subsection to read as follows:
"(d) Subsections (a)-(c) of this section do not apply to the recoupment of an overpayment of wages by an employer when the overpayment of wages:
   (1) Is discovered after only one (1) pay period; or
   (2) Has been paid to an employee who is employed in a grant-funded position."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 539 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 582 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"(iii)(a) A deputy county clerk;
(b) A deputy county clerk is eligible to participate in a campaign if the deputy county clerk is a candidate but shall not perform any duties of an election official related to the election for which the deputy county clerk is a candidate."

AND

Page 4, delete line 7, and substitute the following:

"in the campaign for county clerk if the county clerk is a candidate but shall designate a deputy clerk to fulfill the duties of a clerk related to the election for which the clerk is a candidate for reelection."

AND

Page 5, delete line 14, and substitute the following:

"(E) A county election coordinator.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 7-4-109(e)(2), concerning the qualifications of state and county commissioners, election officials, poll workers, and certified election monitors, is amended to read as follows:
(2)(A) The State Board of Election Commissioners shall determine the method and amount of compensation for attending the training.
(B) A person receiving the training shall take and pass an examination of essential skills as determined by the State Board of Election Commissioners to receive compensation.
(C) A person who passes an examination under subdivision (e)(2)(B) of this section shall receive a certificate of completion.
(D) The State Board of Election Commissioners shall promulgate rules under the Administrative Procedures Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., concerning the training requirements, materials, and examination of essential skills."

AND

Page 5, line 25, delete "designated" and substitute "designated to take the required training"
Page 5, line 28, delete "person" and substitute "person not employed by a county in any capacity"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 587 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 587

Amend Senate Bill No. 587 as engrossed, S4/5/21:

Page 1, line 36, delete "and approval"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 587 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 591 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 591

Amend Senate Bill No. 591 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-4-108 is amended to read as follows:
5-4-108. Sentencing for person who committed an offense when he or she was less than eighteen (18) twenty-one (21) years of age.
A defendant shall not be sentenced to death or life imprisonment without the possibility of parole for an offense if the defendant was less than eighteen (18) twenty-one (21) years of age at the time the offense was committed.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 16-93-613(c), concerning parole eligibility for Class Y, Class A, and Class B felonies, is amended to read as follows:
(c) Except as provided for under § 16-93-621, for an offense committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017 the effective date of this act, a person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of committing an offense listed under subsection (a) of this section is eligible for release on parole under this section.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 16-93-614(d), concerning parole eligibility for offenses committed after January 1, 1994, is amended to read as follows:
(d) Except as provided for under § 16-93-621, for an offense committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017 the effective date of this act, a person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of committing an offense listed under subsection (c) of this section is eligible for release on parole under this section.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 16-93-618(f), concerning parole eligibility for certain Class Y felony offenses and certain methamphetamine offenses and the serving of seventy percent (70%) of a person's sentence, is amended to read as follows:
(f) Except as provided for under § 16-93-621, for an offense committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017 the effective date of this act, a person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of committing an offense listed under subsection (a) of this section is eligible for release on parole under this section.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 16-93-621 is amended to read as follows:
16-93-621. Parole eligibility — A person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of committing an offense that was committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017 the effective date of this act.
(a)(1) A minor person less than twenty-one (21) years of age who was convicted and sentenced to the Department of Correction or Division of Correction for an offense committed before he or she was eighteen (18) twenty-one (21) years of age and in which the death of another person did not occur is eligible for release on parole no later than after twenty (20) years of incarceration, including any applicable sentencing enhancements, and including an instance in which multiple sentences are to be served consecutively or concurrently, unless by law the minor person less than twenty-one (21) years of age is eligible for earlier parole eligibility.

(2)(A) A minor person less than twenty-one (21) years of age who was convicted and sentenced to the department or the division for an offense committed before he or she was eighteen (18) twenty-one (21) years of age, in which the death of another person occurred, and that was committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017, the effective date of this act is eligible for release on parole no later than after twenty-five (25) years of incarceration if he or she was convicted of murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102, or no later than after thirty (30) years of incarceration if he or she was convicted of capital murder, § 5-10-101, including any applicable sentencing enhancements, unless by law the minor person less than twenty-one (21) years of age is eligible for earlier parole eligibility.

(B) Subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section applies retroactively to a minor person less than twenty-one (21) years of age whose offense was committed before he or she was eighteen (18) twenty-one (21) years of age, including minors persons less than twenty-one (21) years of age serving sentences of life, regardless of the original sentences that were imposed.

(3) Credit for meritorious good time shall not be applied to calculations of time served under this subsection for minors a person less than twenty-one (21) years of age convicted and sentenced for capital murder, § 5-10-101(c), or when a life sentence is imposed for murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102.

(4) The calculation of the time periods under this subsection shall include any applicable sentence enhancements to which the minor person less than twenty-one (21) years of age was sentenced that accompany the sentence for the underlying offense.

(b)(1) The Parole Board shall ensure that a hearing to consider the parole eligibility of a person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of the offense that was committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017, the effective date of this act takes into account how a minor offender an offender less than twenty-one (21) years of age is different from an adult offender and provides a person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of the offense that was committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017, the effective date of this act with a meaningful opportunity to be released on parole based on demonstrated maturity and rehabilitation.

(2) During a parole eligibility hearing involving a person who was a minor less than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of the offense that was committed before, on, or after March 20, 2017, the effective date of this act the board shall take into consideration in addition to other factors required by law to be considered by the board:

(A) The diminished culpability of minors persons less than twenty (21) years of age as compared to that of adults;

(B) The hallmark features of youth;

(C) Subsequent growth and increased maturity of the person during incarceration;

(D) Age of the person at the time of the offense;

(E) Immaturity of the person at the time of the offense;

(F) The extent of the person's role in the offense and whether and to what extent an adult was involved in the offense;

(G) The person's family and community circumstances at the time of the offense, including any history of abuse, trauma, and involvement in the child welfare system;
(H) The person’s participation in available rehabilitative and educational programs while in prison, if those programs have been made available, or use of self-study for self-improvement;

(I) The results of comprehensive mental health evaluations conducted by an adolescent mental health professional licensed in the state at the time of sentencing and at the time the person becomes eligible for parole under this section; and

(J) Other factors the board deems relevant.

(3) A person eligible for parole under this section may have an attorney present to represent him or her at the parole eligibility hearing.

(c)(1)(A) The board shall notify a victim of the crime before the board reviews parole eligibility under this section for an inmate convicted of the crime and provide information regarding victim input meetings, as well as state and national victim resource information.

(B) If the victim is incapacitated or deceased, the notice under subdivision (c)(1)(A) of this section shall be given to the victim’s family.

(C) If the victim is less than eighteen (18) years of age, the notice under subdivision (c)(1)(A) of this section shall be given to the victim’s parent or guardian.

(2) Victim notification under this subsection shall include:

(A) The location, date, and time of parole review; and

(B) The name and phone number of the individual to contact for additional information.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 591 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 594

Amend Senate Bill No. 594 as engrossed, S3/29/21:
Page 1, delete line 30, and substitute the following:
"lease with a purchase right and except when temporarily prevented by an act of God, the"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"requirement that a dwelling unit or single-family residence have, both at the time"

AND

Page 2, delete line 2, and substitute the following:
"agreement and throughout the term of the lease or rental agreement;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 6, and substitute the following:
"(4) A sanitary sewer system and plumbing that conform to applicable building"

AND

Page 2, delete line 18, and substitute the following:
"of subsection (a) of this section;"

AND

Page 3, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"equity upon a tenant's default under a lease or rental agreement; or"

AND

Page 4, delete line 2, and substitute the following:
"18-16-110.

(g) Except as otherwise provided by this chapter, a landlord or tenant shall not agree in a lease or rental agreement to waive or forego any of the rights, duties, or remedies available under this chapter.

(h) This section does not relieve the landlord from having to comply with any stricter applicable housing standard of a local government with jurisdiction."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 631

Amend Senate Bill No. 631 as engrossed, S4/7/21:

Page 1, line 25, delete "alcoholic beverages" and substitute "hard cider"
AND
Page 1, line 29, delete "alcoholic beverages" and substitute "hard cider"
AND
Page 1, line 31, delete "Alcoholic beverages" and substitute "Hard cider"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1543 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1543

Amend House Bill No. 1543 as engrossed, H3/15/21:
Delete all senators as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senators Teague, B. Sample, G. Stubblefield, Rice, B. Ballinger, Bledsoe, Hill, Irvin, B. Johnson as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "of each property"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1543 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1770 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1770

Amend House Bill No. 1770 as engrossed, H3/31/21:

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "(a)(1) Beginning" and substitute "(a) Beginning"

AND

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"contain only the following information:"

AND
Page 1, delete lines 32 through 36
AND
Page 2, line 10, delete "(a)(1) Beginning" and substitute "(a) Beginning"
AND
Page 2, delete lines 13 and 14, and substitute the following:
"or identification badge shall contain only the following information:"
AND
Page 2, delete lines 18 through 22

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1770 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, House Bill No. 1836 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1836

Amend House Bill No. 1836 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "REPEAL" and substitute "AMEND"
AND
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; AND TO AMEND THE PENALTY FOR THE KNOWING REFUSAL OF RIGHT OF ENTRY AND
INSPECTION TO DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERSONNEL:"

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 8-1-107(f), concerning the penalty for the knowing refusal of right of entry and inspection to Division of Environmental Quality personnel, is amended to read as follows:

(f) Penalties. Any knowing refusal of right of entry and inspection to division personnel as set out in this section is a violation subject to a fine of up to twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) or civil penalties up to twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1836 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 473 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 473 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Irvin.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 503 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 503 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Irvin.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 623 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 623 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Irvin.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 7, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 18 - ACT 604
Senate Bill No. 386 - ACT 605
Senate Bill No. 349 - ACT 606

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  61, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 218, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 420, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 481, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 494, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 505, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 584, BY SENATOR HICKEY, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 593, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:44 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO.  61
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SENATE BILL NO. 420
SENATE BILL NO. 481
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 337, BY SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 337 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 539, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 539 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 587, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 587 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 591, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 591 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1543, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1543 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1770, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1770 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1836 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 637, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1575, BY REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 610, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 624, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1690, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1763, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1788, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 221, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 657
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR G. LEDING
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WATERCRAFTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 657 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 658
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. LEDING, ELLIOTT, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A DRIVER'S LICENSE TO CERTAIN APPLICANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 658 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Resolution No. 20 was called up for third reading.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROCLAIM OCTOBER 2021 RETT SYNDROME AWARENESS MONTH.

Senate Resolution No. 20 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was called up for third reading.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK  
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CELEBRATE THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF ARKANSAS SKY OBSERVATORIES.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was read the third time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1098 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1098

Amend House Bill No. 1098 as engrossed, H3/4/21:

Add Senator K. Hammer as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO CERTAIN PERSONS WHEN A SEX OFFENDER IS ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; CONCERNING THE PRESENCE OF A SEX OFFENDER ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO CERTAIN PERSONS WHEN A SEX OFFENDER IS ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; AND CONCERNING THE PRESENCE OF A SEX OFFENDER ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 12, Subchapter 9, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

12-12-930. Notice requirement when owner, operator, lessee, or administrator of childcare facility is married to sex offender.

(a) As used in this section, "sex offender" means a:

(1) Level 2 sex offender whose information is made public under § 12-12-913(j)(1)(B);
(2) Level 3 sex offender; or
(3) Level 4 sex offender.

(b) If an owner, operator, lessee, or administrator of a childcare facility is married to a sex offender, the owner, operator, lessee, or administrator shall provide notification in writing or by email to the parent, legal guardian, person having lawful control, or person standing in loco parentis of a child who attends the childcare facility that:

(1) The owner, operator, lessee, or administrator is married to a sex offender; and
(2) The sex offender will not be present on the premises of the childcare facility while children are present."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1098 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Eads reported results of Rules Committee. The Rules Committee approved the Governor's appointment of Dr. Jose Romero as Secretary of the Department of Health.

Senator Eads moved to suspend the rules to consider Dr. Jose Romero's confirmation.
By voice vote, the motion passed.

Rules suspended.

On motion of Senator Eads, the confirmation of Dr. Jose Romero by the Governor was presented.

Senator Rapert spoke against the confirmation.
Senator Bledsoe spoke for the confirmation.
Senator Garner spoke against the confirmation.
Senator M. Johnson spoke on the confirmation.
Senator Flowers spoke for the confirmation.

Roll Call:

Total .........................................................................................  25

NEGATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Garner, Gilmore, M. Johnson, Rapert, Stubblefield, Sullivan
Total ...........................................................................................  8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  B. Johnson
Total ...........................................................................................  1

EXCUSED:  Clark.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the appointment confirmation..........18

The Governor's appointment as Secretary of the Department of Health passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
January 11, 2021

Ann Cornwell, Director
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Director Cornwell:

This letter is a request that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., President Pro Tempore of the Senate, confirm the following appointment:

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Thank you for your kind attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR

AH/lr
August 5, 2020

The Honorable Jim Hendren
President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Mr. President and Members of the Senate:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, I am pleased to submit the name of Jose Romero of Pulaski County as the Secretary of the Department of Health, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor.

I respectfully propose the name of this qualified individual to your Honorable Body and request confirmation.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON

AH/Ir
April 8, 2021

The Honorable Asa Hutchinson  
Governor of Arkansas  
Executive Chambers  
State Capitol  
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Governor Hutchinson:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly 2021, on a motion of Senator Lance Eads, confirmed the following appointment:

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Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, Director  
Secretary of Senate

AC/nr

cc: The Honorable John Thurston, Secretary of State  
    Lindsey Mathis, Director of Boards and Commissions
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 339 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 339
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN PERMIT HOLDERS TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES DIRECTLY TO CONSUMERS TO BE CONSUMED OFF-PREMISES OR DELIVERED TO THE CONSUMER AT A LOCATION OFF-PREMISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 339 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 339. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 21


Total ......................................................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Rice, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 339 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 532 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 532
As Engrossed: S3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DEFFENBAUGH, EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING WATER BOTTLE FILLING STATIONS; TO REQUIRE ALL NEWLY CONSTRUCTED PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND EXISTING PUBLIC SCHOOLS UNDERGOING ADDITIONS OR TOTAL RENOVATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR WATER BOTTLE FILLING STATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 532 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Mark Johnson spoke on the Bill (Disclosure).
Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 532.

Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 23


Total ................................................................. 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rice.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang, B. Johnson, Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 3

Total number of votes cast.................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 532 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 543 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 543
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, M. HODGES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR WASTE REDUCTION, REUSE, OR RECYCLING EQUIPMENT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “QUALIFIED SPECIALTY STEEL PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING FACILITY”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 543 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 543. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Beckham.
Total .......................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .......................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 543 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1120 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120
As Engrossed: H2/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRIMINAL DETENTION FACILITIES REVIEW COMMITTEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1120 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1120. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Davis.

Total .............................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total .............................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1120 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1243 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF "POLICY CANCELLATIONS" AS USED IN THE BUSINESS OF INSURANCE; TO CLARIFY THE MINIMUM NOTICE REQUIREMENTS FOR CANCELLATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY AND CASUALTY POLICIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1243 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Pitsch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1243. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1243 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1274 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274
As Engrossed: H3/2/21 H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER POLICE OFFICERS IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1274 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1274. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1274 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1298 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1298
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1298 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1298. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1298 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1300 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1300
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MURDOCK, WARREN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS; CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF PARTICIPANTS IN SUMMER YOUTH WORK PROGRAMS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EMPLOYEE"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1300 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1300. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1300 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1329 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1329
As Engrossed: H2/24/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMPREHENSIVE CRIMINAL RECORD SEALING ACT OF 2013; CONCERNING SEALING A FELONY CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE CONVICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1329 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1329. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18  

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.  

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY  

House Bill No. 1329 was returned to the House as passed.  

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1446 was called up for third reading and final disposition.  

HOUSE BILL NO. 1446  
As Engrossed: H3/1/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY  
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; TO MAKE CHILDREN OF MEMBERS OF THE UNIFORMED SERVICES ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP UNDER THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

House Bill No. 1446 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?  

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1446. Motion carried.  

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Clark.
Total .................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  Chesterfield.
Total .................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast...............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1446 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1464 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1464
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD TO THE ARKANSAS CODE A PROVISION AFFORDING AN OPPORTUNITY TO CHALLENGE INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS AND ASSOCIATED EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1464 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1464. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1464 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1598 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1598
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 5-73-122; CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "FACILITY" AS IT IS USED IN REGARD TO THE POSSESSION OF A FIREARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1598 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1598. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 26
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1598 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1665 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1665
As Engrossed: H3/15/21 H4/5/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS AFFORDABLE ENERGY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1665 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1665. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .............................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .............................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Clark.

Total .............................................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1665 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 1691 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1691
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SEX OFFENDER ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1691 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1691. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1691 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1730 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1730
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CAPITOL ARTS AND GROUNDS COMMISSION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO THE CAPITOL ARTS AND GROUNDS COMMISSION; TO ALLOW THE CAPITOL ARTS AND GROUNDS COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1730 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1730. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1730 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1731 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1731
As Engrossed: H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES UNDERWOOD, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SENTENCING PROCEDURE DURING A CAPITAL MURDER TRIAL IN THE EVENT OF ERROR OCCURRING DURING THE SENTENCING PHASE OF THE TRIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1731 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1731. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Clark.
Total ..................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1731 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1752 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1752
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FORTNER
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENABLE THE ARKANSAS RACING COMMISSION TO REQUIRE CERTAIN EMPLOYEES TO APPLY FOR A LICENSE; TO REQUIRE BACKGROUND CHECKS ON AN APPLICANT FOR A LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1752 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1752. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:  Hester.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Clark.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1752 was returned to the House as passed.
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1098, by Representative Wooten,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson, Chairman

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 4
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session


By: Representatives L. Fite, et al

Senate Memorial Resolution to Remember Senator Jim Argue and to Recognize His Contributions to the State of Arkansas and His Local Community.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION TO ENTER INTO INTERNATIONAL RECIPROCITY AGREEMENTS FOR MEDICATIONS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and sent to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 659
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE NORTHEAST ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT, INC.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 659 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 660
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A NETWORK OF CERTIFIED ACADEMIC LANGUAGE THERAPISTS TO PROVIDE A SPECIALIZED DYSLEXIA INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DYSLEXIA OR RELATED READING AND WRITTEN-LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 660 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 661
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. INGRAM, CALDWELL, B. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE, J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. FERGUSON, NICKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ASPIRE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING CASINO GAMING AND RESULTING FROM THE ARKANSAS CASINO GAMING AMENDMENT OF 2018, ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 100; TO DIRECT THE DISTRIBUTION OF CERTAIN NET CASINO GAMING RECEIPTS TAX REVENUES; TO DIRECT THE DISTRIBUTION OF CERTAIN NET CASINO GAMING RECEIPTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 661 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Senate Bill No. 69 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 110 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 166 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 178 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 288 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 550 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 586 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 613 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 346 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 479 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 542 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
SENATE BILL NO. 662
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HILL, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A DAY OF PRAYER FOR ARKANSAS STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 662 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 663
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; TO DEFER THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES CONCERNING THE HOSPITALS WITHOUT WALLS PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 663 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, C. FITHE

TO RECOGNIZE THAT ABUSE AND NEGLECT OF CHILDREN IS A SIGNIFICANT PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM; TO COMMEND THE IMPORTANT WORK BEING DONE TO COMBAT THIS SERIOUS PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM; AND TO PROCLAIM APRIL 11, 2021, AS “CHILDREN’S ADVOCACY CENTER DAY” IN ARKANSAS AS PART OF NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1422 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL POSSESSION, TRANSPORTATION, AND USE OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1525 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION PROCEDURES; TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTION OFFICIALS; TO AMEND THE LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE VOTER REGISTRATION LIST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1615 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1748
As Engrossed: H3/29/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. WHITAKER, MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON, BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON SUNDAY; TO ALLOW THE GOVERNING BODY OF A CITY OR COUNTY TO CALL A REFERENDUM ELECTION FOR THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON SUNDAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1748 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1749
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT REQUIRING PUBLIC SCHOOL AND STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION EMPLOYEES FROM ADDRESSING A STUDENT BY A PRONOUN, TITLE, OR OTHER WORD THAT IS USED TO IDENTIFY THE STUDENT AS MALE OR FEMALE AND THAT IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE STUDENT'S BIOLOGICAL SEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1749 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A CHANGE TO A DESIGNATED OR NAMED BENEFICIARY OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY OR ANNUITY CONTRACT THROUGH A WILL; TO CLARIFY THAT ONLY A CHANGE TO A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY OR ANNUITY CONTRACT CAN CHANGE THE DESIGNATED OR NAMED BENEFICIARY OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY OR ANNUITY CONTRACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1801 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROPERTY OWNER’S RIGHT TO REPAIR ANY DEFECT OR DISREPAIR ON THE PREMISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1805 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A TOW BUSINESS TO GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO ALLOW PUBLIC NOTICE TO BE GIVEN ON A WEBSITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1811 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1830
As Engrossed: H3/31/21 H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DOTSON, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BREAUX, VAUGHT, B. SMITH, TOLLETT, DEFFENBAUGH, EVANS, WOMACK, LOWERY, S. MEEKS, SPEAKS, BROWN, L. JOHNSON, COZART, BECK, BRAGG
BY: SENATORS BECKHAM, B. BALLINGER, T. GARNER, RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE RELIGIOUS VIEWPOINT ANTIDISCRIMINATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1830 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING MICROBREWERY-RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUBS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ADVERTISING BY MICROBREWERY-RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUBS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1845 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; TO PROVIDE CLARITY, EQUITY, AND CONSISTENCY IN THE PROCUREMENT LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1853 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1865
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, CHRISTIANSEN, MCCOLLUM, M. HODGES
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE TRAINING CONCERNING A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER’S DUTY TO INTERVENE WHEN THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OBSERVES THE USE OF EXCESSIVE FORCE BY ANOTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1865 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 664
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT-QUALIFIED HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES FROM CERTAIN INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS; TO CLARIFY THE COVERAGE OF DIAGNOSTIC EXAMINATIONS FOR BREAST CANCER UNDER CERTAIN PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 664 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, G. LEDING  

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS MEN'S AND WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAMS ON INCREDIBLE SEASONS AND QUALIFYING FOR THE NCAA TOURNAMENTS.  

Senate Resolution No. 22 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.  

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE  
AS PASSED  
SENATE BILL NO. 532  
SENATE BILL NO. 543  

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE  
AS PASSED AS AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1243 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120
HOUSE BILL NO. 1274
HOUSE BILL NO. 1298
HOUSE BILL NO. 1300
HOUSE BILL NO. 1329
HOUSE BILL NO. 1446
HOUSE BILL NO. 1464
HOUSE BILL NO. 1598
HOUSE BILL NO. 1665
HOUSE BILL NO. 1691
HOUSE BILL NO. 1730
HOUSE BILL NO. 1731
HOUSE BILL NO. 1752

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 69
SENATE BILL NO. 110
SENATE BILL NO. 166
SENATE BILL NO. 178
SENATE BILL NO. 288
SENATE BILL NO. 550
SENATE BILL NO. 586
SENATE BILL NO. 613
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 346 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 479 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 542 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
HOUSE BILL NO. 1525
HOUSE BILL NO. 1615
HOUSE BILL NO. 1748
HOUSE BILL NO. 1749
HOUSE BILL NO. 1801
HOUSE BILL NO. 1805
HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
HOUSE BILL NO. 1830
HOUSE BILL NO. 1845
HOUSE BILL NO. 1853
HOUSE BILL NO. 1865

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1 p.m., Monday, April 12, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers and Senator Garner.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sample.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 460 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 460

Amend Senate Bill No. 460 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 12, delete "AND EXAMINATIONS"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 21 and 22, and substitute the following: "PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR INSTRUCTORS."

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete "license;" and substitute "license; and"

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete "States; and" and substitute "States."

AND

Page 2, delete line 8

AND

Page 2, line 29, delete "instruction" and substitute "instruction approved by the director"

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete "approved" and substitute "and approved"

AND
Page 4, line 12, delete "additional subsections" and substitute "an additional subsection"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 13 through 16

AND

Page 4, line 17, delete "(g)" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Delete SECTION 5 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 658 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 658

Amend Senate Bill No. 658 as originally introduced:

Delete Representative Richardson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Godfrey, Richardson as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 658 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1426

Amend House Bill No. 1426 as engrossed, S3/29/21:

Page 2, delete line 34, and substitute the following: "subchapter.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1426 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 8, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 474 - ACT 609
- Senate Bill No. 496 - ACT 610
- Senate Bill No. 160 - ACT 611
- Senate Bill No. 341 - ACT 612

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 166, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 178, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 288, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 339, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 550, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 586, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 613, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we
find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:25 a.m. delivered them to the
Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 110
SENATE BILL NO. 166
SENATE BILL NO. 178
SENATE BILL NO. 288
SENATE BILL NO. 339
SENATE BILL NO. 550
SENATE BILL NO. 586
SENATE BILL NO. 613

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twelfth day of April, 2021 at 9:25 a.m.

(SIGNED)   ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED)  KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 658, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 658 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:
HOUSE BILL NO. 1426, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT ENERGY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 632, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1834, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

- HOUSE BILL NO. 1034, BY REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1360, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BERRY,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1543, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  

April 8, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 340, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 644, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1715, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1803, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

- HOUSE BILL NO. 1595, BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLIGAN,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1675, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVANS,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1680, BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHARDSON,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1728, BY REPRESENTATIVE GODFREY,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1777, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1825, BY REPRESENTATIVE DALBY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. MCELROY

SENATE CONCURRENT TO COMMEND EUODORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON BEING NAMED A NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 665
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE STATUTES CONCERNING COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 665 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 666
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AN INSURER'S RIGHT TO SUBROGAION AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 666 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 667
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE INCOME TAX LAWS; TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A BUSINESS THAT INSTALLS A CHANGING TABLE WITHIN ITS PLACE OF BUSINESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 667 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 668
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACTS 2021, NO. 558, TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF FAILURE TO REMAIN AT THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT THAT RESULTS IN DEATH OR PHYSICAL INJURY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 668 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 669
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW AUTHORIZING LOCAL STANDARDS FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 669 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 670
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING RESIDENT HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION TO PROMULGATE RULES ALLOWING FEE ADJUSTMENT BASED ON CERTAIN CRITERIA; TO REQUIRE REVIEW BY AND REPORTS TO THE GAME AND FISH/STATE POLICE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 670 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 671
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE IDENTIFICATION OF COST SAVINGS BY CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 671 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE “BROADWAY JOE” BOOKER FOR HIS EFFORTS IN ENCOURAGING ARKANSANS TO RECEIVE THE CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINE AND FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield the Senate recessed until 1:20 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 479 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 479

Amend Senate Bill No. 479 as engrossed, S3/29/21:

Add Representatives A. Collins, Eaves as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator J. Dismang as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 479, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 479 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 479
As Engrossed: S3/22/21 S3/29/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVES A. COLLINS, EAVES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO PROVIDE RELIEF FOR RESTAURANTS; TO ALLOW RESTAURANTS TO EXPAND OUTDOOR DINING WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL FROM THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION; TO DELAY THE PAYMENT OF RESTAURANT SALES TAXES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 479 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 479. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 479, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 479 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 542 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 542

Amend Senate Bill No. 542 as originally introduced:

Add Representative McNair as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RON MCNAIR

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 542, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 542 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 542
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCNAIR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 542 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 542. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 542 was ordered enrolled.

Senator Mark Johnson moved the suspension of the Senate Temporary
Emergency Procedures Rule Section No. 3.

Section No. 3. Admittance to Senate Chamber. Unless circumstances
require otherwise, when the Senate is in session, only the following individuals will
be allowed in the Senate Chamber: Senators, the Lieutenant Governor, staff, and
no more than two (2) members of the media at a time.

Motion passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 517 was withdrawn from the
Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 517 was
recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC
HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 518 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 518 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 625 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 625

Amend Senate Bill No. 625 as originally introduced:

Page 24, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:

“(7) Proof of malpractice or liability insurance;
(8) A detailed curriculum to be approved by the department; and
(9) A licensure fee of eight hundred fifty dollars ($850)."

AND

Page 25, line 5, delete "state; and" and substitute "state;"

AND

Page 25, delete line 16, and substitute the following:

"submitted to the department; and

(4) Submits a renewal fee of one hundred dollars ($100)."
AND

Page 26, line 2, delete "or bth" and substitute "or both"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 625 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Resolution No. 22 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SENATORS IRVIN, G. LEDING

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS MEN'S AND WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TEAMS ON INCREDIBLE SEASONS AND QUALIFYING FOR THE NCAA TOURNAMENTS.

Senate Resolution No. 22 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

Amend House Bill No. 1063 as engrossed, S4/6/21:

Page 5, line 2, delete “telemedicine providers” and substitute “commercial telemedicine providers”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered engrossed.

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 570 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 570
As Engrossed: S3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPIRE THE TERMS OF THE CURRENT MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 570 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke against the bill.
Senator Sullivan closed on the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 13

Total ......................................................................................... 19

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, English, Hammer.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*** EXPUNGED ***

Senator Sullivan moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 570 failed be expunged. By voice vote, a majority could not be determined.
Roll call made: Motion to expunge:

Total .................................................................................................................. 24

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Flowers, Hendren.
Total .................................................................................................................. 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Dismang, Elliott, Ingram, Irvin, Leding, Teague.
Total .................................................................................................................. 7

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................... 28
Necessary to the passage of the motion to expunge ..................................... 18

Motion to expunge passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 570 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 12, 2021.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 572 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEDICAL CORPORATION ACT; TO ALLOW A NONLICENSED PERSON TO BE AN OFFICER, DIRECTOR, OR SHAREHOLDER OF A MEDICAL CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 572 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe spoke against the bill.
Senator Irvin spoke against the bill.
Senator Sullivan closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 13

Total ................................................................. 16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Davis, Dismang, Eads, English, Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 6

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................... 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................... 18
So the bill failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Flippo, Senate Bill No. 610 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 610
As Engrossed: S4/5/2021
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUBLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 610 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 610. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 610 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 621 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 621
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO HAVE ALL CONSENT DECREES RECONSIDERED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 621 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 621. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Irvin, Leding.

Total .......................................................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 621 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 624 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 624
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROGRAMS PROVIDING FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO COUNTIES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 624 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 624. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 624 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 637 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 637
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS UNPAVED ROADS PROGRAM ACT; TO TRANSFER DUTIES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO PROMULGATE RULES AND AWARD GRANT FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 637 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 637. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 637 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1043 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCLURE, JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE WAIVER OF CERTAIN AD VALOREM TAXES ON UTILITIES AND CARRIERS; TO CREATE A STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS ON THE COLLECTION OF CERTAIN AD VALOREM TAXES ON UTILITIES AND CARRIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1043 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1043. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:** Beckham.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1043 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 656 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 656 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1048 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MILLIGAN, JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CLAIM FOR A REFUND OF OVERPAYMENT OF TAX; TO AUTHORIZE THE OFFSET OF A TAX REFUND TOWARD A TAX DELINQUENCY WHEN A FINAL ASSESSMENT OF TAX HAS BEEN ISSUED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1048 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1048. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1048 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1050 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
As Engrossed: H3/2/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX WITHHOLDING ACT OF 1965 TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES REQUIRED TO MANDATE THE ELECTRONIC FILING OF ANNUAL WITHHOLDING STATEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1050 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Caldwell, Flowers, Hickey, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Sample, Sturch, Wallace.
Total .................................................................9

Total .................................................................21

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson.
Total .................................................................3

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Eads.
Total .................................................................2

Total number of votes cast................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEW, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1050 was returned to the House as having failed to pass.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1098 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOOTEN, EVANS
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO CERTAIN PERSONS WHEN A SEX OFFENDER IS ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; CONCERNING THE PRESENCE OF A SEX OFFENDER ON THE PREMISES OF A CHILDCARE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1098 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1098. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
  Total .......................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
  Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1098 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
April 13, 2021

Ms. Ann Cornwell
Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I was called out of the chamber when House Bill No. 1098 was passed on April 12, 2021, using the rolled vote process. I would like a letter for the record showing I would have voted "NO" on this bill. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED)  Joyce Elliott
State Senator
District 31
Ms. Ann Cornwell  
Director, Arkansas Senate 
Secretary of the Senate 
State Capitol Building, Room 320 
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201 

Dear Ms. Cornwell: 

This letter serves as written notification that I was called out of the chamber when House Bill No. 1098 was passed on April 12, 2021, using the rolled vote process. I would like a letter for the record showing I would have voted "NO" on this bill. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Clarke Tucker  
State Senator  
District 32
On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1152 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1152**

As Engrossed: H1/25/21 S3/29/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, D. FERGUSON, LADYMAN, FORTNER

BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled :AN ACT TO CREATE GABO’S LAW; TO ALLOW FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE TO BE PROVIDED TO INJURED POLICE DOGS; TO PROVIDE IMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1152 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1152. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1152 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1313 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DAMAGE TO BUILDINGS ON THE STATE CAPITOL GROUNDS, ON THE CAPITOL MALL, AND AT THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION; CONCERNING DESTRUCTION OR VANDALISM TO OBJECTS ON THE STATE CAPITOL GROUNDS, ON THE CAPITOL MALL, AND AT THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1313 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1313. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1313 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1325 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1325  
As Engrossed:  H4/6/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO DEFINE AND CLARIFY RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT AMONG THE PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT RETIREMENT SYSTEMS GENERALLY; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

House Bill No. 1325 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?  

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1325. Motion carried.  

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:  


Total .........................................................................................  35  

NEGATIVE:  
Total ...........................................................................................  0  

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ...........................................................................................  0  

EXCUSED:  
Total ...........................................................................................  0  

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ...........................................................................................  0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1325, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1325 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 492 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 492 was withdrawn by the author, Senator English.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1427 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1427**  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE IN-HOME CAREGIVERS FOR MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES TO PASS REGISTRY RECORDS CHECKS IN ORDER TO BE PAID WITH MEDICAID FUNDS; TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRY RECORDS CHECKS AND CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR IN-HOME CAREGIVERS OF MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1427 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1427. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1427 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1575 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1575
As Engrossed: H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO THE DISPOSAL OF FOWL CARCASSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1575 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1575. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.............................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1575 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1690 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF HIGHWAY TURNBACK FUNDS BY A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1690 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1690. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1690 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1722 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1722
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CORONER'S INVESTIGATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1722 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1722. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1722 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1633 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633
As Engrossed: H3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES UNDERWOOD, BEATY JR., BRYANT, CARR,
FORTNER, HAAK, MCCOLLUM, TOLLETT, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICES OF CITIES OF THE FIRST
CLASS, CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS, AND INCORPORATED TOWNS; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1633 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1633. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1633 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1723 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1723
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR DATA COLLECTION AND EVALUATION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE AND INITIAL TIME-CRITICAL DIAGNOSES AND PROCEDURES; TO ENSURE CONFIDENTIALITY TO HELP IMPROVE HEALTH OUTCOMES AND PROMPT TREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1723 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1723. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Bledsoe.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1723 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1735 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1735
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OCCUPATIONAL OR PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE FOR CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1735 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1735. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34
NEGATIVE: Garner.  
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1735 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1756 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1756  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CRAWFORD  
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE RESTRICTED LIFETIME MASTER ELECTRICIAN LICENSE; TO CREATE A RESTRICTED LIFETIME JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1756 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1756. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:** Garner.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1756 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1763 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ARKANSAS DISTILLERIES;  TO AUTHORIZE SELF-DISTRIBUTION;  TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1763 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1763. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 18


Total ........................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Beckham, Flippo, Rice, Stubblefield, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Chesterfield, Clark, Gilmore, B. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1763, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................18

**NEGATIVE:** Bledsoe, Dismang, Hammer, Hester, Pitsch, Rapert, Sullivan, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................8

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Beckham, Flippo, Rice, Stubblefield, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................5

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Chesterfield, Clark, Gilmore, B. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................................4

Total number of votes cast.........................................................................30

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...............................24

So the Emergency Clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *
The record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on House Bill No. 1763 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 12, 2021.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1776 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1776
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVANS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODERNIZE AND STRENGTHEN NURSING FACILITY STAFFING STANDARDS AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; TO ELIMINATE OUTDATED AND EXTRANEOUS STATE REQUIREMENTS THAT DUPLICATE HIGHLY PROSCRIPTIVE FEDERAL STAFFING AND DATA REPORTING REQUIREMENTS THAT ALL MEDICARE AND MEDICAID NURSING FACILITIES FOLLOW; TO PROVIDE FOR A MINIMUM AVERAGE NUMBER OF DIRECT CARE HOURS PER RESIDENT PER DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1776 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1776. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................32

NEGATIVE: Leding, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott.

Total ........................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1776 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Eads moved that the record by which the emergency clause to House Bill No. 1763 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed. Motion carried.

Senator Eads made a motion to reconsider the vote by which the emergency clause to House Bill No. 1763 failed. Motion failed.

Senator Eads moved to expunge the failure of the motion to reconsider. Motion passed.

Senator Eads moved to reconsider the emergency clause to House Bill No. 1763. Motion passed.
There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1763, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

ROLL CALL ON EMERGENCY CLAUSE


Total ................................................................. 30

NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Stubblefield, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 32
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........ 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1763 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1788 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1788
As Engrossed:  S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY:  SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH BROADBAND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1788 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1788. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:  Beckham.
Total ...........................................................................................  1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:
Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................  0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1788 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 625, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 672
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PAYOR PARITY BETWEEN HOSPITAL OUTPATIENT SURGERY CENTERS AND AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 672 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
SENATE BILL NO. 673
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTORY FORECLOSURE ACT OF 1987; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 673 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 674
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES V. FLOWERS, ENNETT, MCCULLOUGH, D. WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE UNIFY ARKANSAS COMMISSION; TO PROMOTE RACIAL HEALING IN THE STATE; TO ESTABLISH THE OFFICIAL OBSERVANCE OF THE NATIONAL DAY OF RACIAL HEALING IN THE STATE; TO ENCOURAGE THE CREATION OF A COMMUNITY REMEMBRANCE COMMITTEE IN EACH COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 674 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 675
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE CLEAN ELECTRICITY REPORTING ACT; TO REQUIRE ELECTRIC UTILITY COMPANIES TO CALCULATE AND REPORT CARBON INTENSITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 675 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 676
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, WING, DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE “JUSTICE FOR VULNERABLE VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ABUSE ACT”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 676 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 677
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 677 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 678
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A FIRE DEPARTMENT APPLICANT TO SUBMIT TO A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 678 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE EXEMPTION FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX DUE ON CERTAIN MOTOR VEHICLES, TRAILERS, AND SEMITRAILERS; TO INCREASE THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR A USED MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1160 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1380
As Engrossed:  H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES RAY, DOTSON
BY:  SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS LEGAL INSURANCE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1380 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1405
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
BY:  SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE "QUINCY'S LAW"; TO PROVIDE FOR CONSIDERATION OF A DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS IN AN INVESTIGATION INVOLVING ABUSE UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1405 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING INSURANCE PROCEEDS OF LIFE, HEALTH, ACCIDENT, AND DISABILITY POLICIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1590 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE TAKING OF FINGERPRINTS, A DNA SAMPLE, AND PHOTOGRAPH FOR A PERSON ARRESTED FOR A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1696 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE HVACR LICENSING BOARD TO ESTABLISH CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A SPECIFIC CLASS OF LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1712 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS PHOENIX ACT OF 2021"; CONCERNING THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR OFFENSES INVOLVING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE; CONCERNING THE TRAINING GIVEN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR SITUATIONS IN WHICH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IS SUSPECTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1721 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1760
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERJURISDICTIONAL COMPACT IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1760 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1779
As Engrossed: H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOOTEN, K. FERGUSON
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE IDENTIFICATION AND ELIMINATION OF UNUSED AND UNNECESSARY POSITIONS FROM THE BUDGETS OF STATE AGENCIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1779 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1810
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BEATY JR., ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN REIMBURSEMENT RATES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR VAGUS NERVE STIMULATION THERAPY SYSTEM DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1810 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1816
As Engrossed:  H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY THE TYPES OF FLAGS THAT MAY BE FLOWN ON PUBLIC SCHOOL CAMPUSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1816 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARITY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES IS REQUIRED TO PROMULGATE RULES TO ESTABLISH ELIGIBILITY FOR LONG-TERM CARE NURSING FACILITY PLACEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1828 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1831 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, B. BALLINGER, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS OBSERVE A MOMENT OF SILENCE FOLLOWING THE RECITATION OF THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE; TO REQUIRE THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS RECITE THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AT SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES AND SPORTING EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1832 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1835
As Engrossed: H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTOR'S LIEN NOTICE REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1835 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1862
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT REQUIRING CERTAIN REFERRALS FROM A PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER IN ORDER FOR A BENEFICIARY IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM TO RECEIVE MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1862 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1875
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE EARN AND LEARN ACT; TO ALLOW INDIVIDUALS TO WORK AND EARN A PAYCHECK WHILE ALSO FULFILLING LICENSING REQUIREMENTS AND GAINING THE SKILLS TO FILL THE NEEDS OF AN EXPANDING WORKFORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1875 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1878
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES OF FENTANYL AND HEROIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1878 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 679
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE RETAIL CHOICE TO CUSTOMERS OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITIES; TO ESTABLISH THE MUNICIPAL RETAIL CHOICE PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 679 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 680
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, A. CLARK,
T. GARNER, HESTER, GILMORE, HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON,
RAPERT, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, D. WALLACE, B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRAGG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE A TAX CREDIT FOR
ELIGIBLE CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO A SPONSOR-GRANTING
ORGANIZATION UNDER THE PHILANTHROPIC INVESTMENT IN ARKANSAS
KIDS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 680 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 681
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROOKS, ENNETT, MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE THE CLEAN
ELECTRICITY JOBS TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 681 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 292 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 402 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 610
SENATE BILL NO. 621
SENATE BILL NO. 624
SENATE BILL NO. 637

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043
HOUSE BILL NO. 1048
HOUSE BILL NO. 1313
HOUSE BILL NO. 1325
HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
HOUSE BILL NO. 1575
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1763
HOUSE BILL NO. 1776

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1152 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1788 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1160
HOUSE BILL NO. 1380
HOUSE BILL NO. 1405
HOUSE BILL NO. 1590
HOUSE BILL NO. 1696
HOUSE BILL NO. 1712
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1835
HOUSE BILL NO. 1862
HOUSE BILL NO. 1875
HOUSE BILL NO. 1878

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 292 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 402 AS AMENDED NO. 1
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 13, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o’clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Clark.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 566 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment Nos. 1 and 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 566

Amend Senate Bill No. 566 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Jett, M. Hodges, Rye as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR DAVE WALLACE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 566 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 566

Amend Senate Bill No. 566 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 36, delete "2017;" and substitute the following: "2017;"
SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 15-4-2706(c)(3), concerning a business’s application for a retention tax credit, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(E) Retention tax credits earned between forty-nine (49) and seventy-two (72) months after the commission approved the financial incentive agreement may be taken only:

(i) On and after July 1, 2023;

(ii) After the Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission has determined, based on evidence provided by the applicant, that the applicant’s investment in the part of the qualified project to be completed between forty-nine (49) and seventy-two (72) months after the commission approved the financial incentive agreement will generate a return that will likely be equal to or greater than the amount of retention tax credits under this subdivision (c)(3)(E); and

(iii) For an application filed with the commission between June 22-28, 2017.

(F) The maximum amount of retention tax credits under this subdivision (c)(3)(E) that may be used in any fiscal year by a qualified applicant is seven hundred fifty thousand dollars ($750,000).”

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 566 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 626 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARMS. SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 626

Amend Senate Bill No. 626 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Scott as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 626 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 645 was withdrawn from
the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second
reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 645

Amend Senate Bill No. 645 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 1 in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-73-103(a) and (b), concerning the offense
of possession of a firearm by certain persons, are amended to read as follows:
(a) Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section or unless authorized
by and subject to such conditions as prescribed by the Governor, or his or her
designee, or the United States Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and
Explosives, or other bureau or office designated by the United States Department of
Justice, no a person shall not possess or own any a firearm who if he or she has
been:
   (1) Convicted of a felony;
   (2) Adjudicated mentally ill; or
   (3) Committed involuntarily to any a mental institution.
(b)(1) Except as provided in subdivisions (b)(2) and (3) of this section, a
determination by a jury or a court that a person committed a felony constitutes a
conviction for purposes of subsection (a) of this section even though the court
suspended imposition of sentence or placed the defendant on probation.
   (2) Subdivision (b)(1) of this section does not apply to a person whose
case was dismissed and expunged under § 16-93-301 et seq. or § 16-98-303(g).
   (3) The determination by the jury or court that the person committed a
felony does not constitute a conviction for purposes of subsection (a) of this section
if the person is subsequently granted a pardon explicitly restoring the ability to possess a firearm or if the conviction is discharged, dismissed, and sealed under § 16-90-1501 et seq.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-73-309(5), concerning licensing requirements for a license to carry a concealed handgun, is amended to read as follows:

(5) Has not been convicted of a felony in a court of this state, of any other state, or of the United States unless:

(A) The applicant is subsequently granted a pardon by the Governor or the President of the United States explicitly restoring his or her ability to possess a firearm;

(B) The applicant was sentenced prior to March 13, 1995, and the record of conviction has been sealed or expunged under Arkansas law; or

(C) The applicant's offense was dismissed and sealed or expunged under § 16-93-301 et seq. or § 16-98-303(g); or

(D) The applicant's offense was discharged, dismissed, and sealed under § 16-90-1501 et seq.;

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 645 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 672 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARQUKSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 672

Amend Senate Bill No. 672 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO REQUIRE FAIR MARKET PAY FOR AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO REQUIRE FAIR MARKET PAY FOR AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTERS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "(B)(i)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 20, and substitute the following:

"for the state in which the outpatient surgery center licensed under §§ 20-9-214 and 20-9-215 is located.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that ambulatory surgery centers do not receive fair market pay for the healthcare services provided to patients in this state; that an urgent need exists to clarify the policy for reimbursement for healthcare services under an insurance policy; and that this act is immediately necessary because patients in this state deserve access to healthcare services offered by ambulatory surgery centers that provide quality care and should be reimbursed and paid at fair market value. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 672 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 12, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 504 - ACT 679

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
STATE OF ARKANSAS

Asa Hutchinson
Governor

April 12, 2021

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 12, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 494 - ACT 627
- Senate Bill No. 481 - ACT 628
- Senate Bill No. 420 - ACT 629
- Senate Bill No. 218 - ACT 630
- Senate Bill No. 417 - ACT 631
- Senate Bill No. 226 - ACT 632
- Senate Bill No. 61 - ACT 633
- Senate Bill No. 152 - ACT 634
- Senate Bill No. 593 - ACT 635
- Senate Bill No. 584 - ACT 636
- Senate Bill No. 387 - ACT 637
- Senate Bill No. 306 - ACT 638
- Senate Bill No. 65 - ACT 639
- Senate Bill No. 27 - ACT 640
- Senate Bill No. 588 - ACT 641
- Senate Bill No. 548 - ACT 642
- Senate Bill No. 521 - ACT 643
- Senate Bill No. 451 - ACT 644
- Senate Bill No. 446 - ACT 645
- Senate Bill No. 524 - ACT 646
- Senate Bill No. 491 - ACT 647
- Senate Bill No. 394 - ACT 648
- Senate Bill No. 299 - ACT 649
- Senate Bill No. 120 - ACT 650
- Senate Bill No. 505 - ACT 651
- Senate Bill No. 418 - ACT 652
- Senate Bill No. 308 - ACT 653

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 479, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 542, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 479
SENATE BILL NO. 542

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twelfth day of April, 2021 at 9:55 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 566, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 566 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 626 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 13, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 645, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 645 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 672, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 672 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 659, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
SENATE BILL NO. 670, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1525, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 628, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 631, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO. 647, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422, BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1463, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1704, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1845, BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1860, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 662, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 629, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 501, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 564, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 595, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 640, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 650, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 539, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
ARKitANS SENATE
NINETEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
HOUSE BILL NO. 1664, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1682, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1780, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1781, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1794, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1796, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1836, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 12, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1689, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE-CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007,  
BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN,  
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010,  
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAUK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSoE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1560, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1811, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1842, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 13, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, VICE CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 153 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 307 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 527 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 568 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 580 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 622 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 475 for further consideration.
April 13, 2021

The Honorable Sherry Stacks
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Stacks:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 475.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, Director
Secretary of Senate
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1743 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1743 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 572 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 4 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 4
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION


BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. FITE, DALBY, ET AL

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER SENATOR JIM ARGUE AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 4 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, C. FITE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THAT ABUSE AND NEGLECT OF CHILDREN IS A SIGNIFICANT PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM; TO COMMEND THE IMPORTANT WORK BEING DONE TO COMBAT THIS SERIOUS PUBLIC HEALTH PROBLEM; AND TO PROCLAIM APRIL 11, 2021, AS “CHILDREN’S ADVOCACY CENTER DAY” IN ARKANSAS AS PART OF NATIONAL CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 340

Amend Senate Bill No. 340 as engrossed, S3/9/21:

Add Representative Penzo as a cosponsor of the bill
AND

Delete SECTION 5 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED)  SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 602 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 602

Amend Senate Bill No. 602 as engrossed, S3/30/21:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING CRANIOFACIAL COVERAGE; TO ESTABLISH WENDELYN'S CRANIOFACIAL LAW — CRANIOFACIAL COVERAGE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING CRANIOFACIAL COVERAGE; TO ESTABLISH WENDELYN'S CRANIOFACIAL LAW — CRANIOFACIAL COVERAGE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following: "Craniofacial Law — Craniofacial Coverage."

AND

Page 1, delete line 35, and substitute the following: "abnormal development of the skull and face:

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 23-79-1501(2)(C), concerning the definition of "health benefit plan" used in the coverage for craniofacial anomaly reconstructive surgery, is amended to read as follows:

(C) "Health benefit plan" does not include:

(i) A disability income plan;
(ii) A credit insurance plan;
(iii) Insurance coverage issued as a supplement to liability insurance;
(iv) Medical payments under an automobile or homeowners' insurance plan;
(v) A health benefit plan provided under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 32, the Workers' Compensation Law, § 11-9-101 et seq., and the Public Employee Workers' Compensation Act, § 21-5-601 et seq.;
(vi) A plan that provides only indemnity for hospital confinement;
(vii) An accident-only plan; or
(viii) A specified disease plan; or
(ix) A plan that provides only dental benefits or eye and vision care benefits; and"

AND

Page 2, delete line 7, and substitute the following: "function of the skull and face."

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "a member" and substitute "a surgical member"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 and 24, and substitute the following:

"(2) For healthcare services to be performed by a nationally approved cleft-craniofacial team, a request for written authorization or approval shall be reviewed by the administrator of the health benefit plan:"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "(i)" and substitute "(A)"
Page 2, line 26, delete "cleft-craniofacial team" and substitute "cleft-craniofacial surgical team"

Page 2, line 28, delete "(iii)" and substitute "(B)"

Page 2, delete lines 29 through 36, and substitute the following: "by a nationally approved cleft-craniofacial surgical team member, for an urgent case.

(3)(A) For healthcare services that are recommended by a surgical member of a nationally approved cleft-craniofacial team that are to be performed by a medical provider that is not on a nationally approved cleft-craniofacial team, a request for written authorization or approval shall be reviewed:

(i) Within two (2) working days from the request by a nationally approved cleft-craniofacial surgical team member, for a nonurgent case; or

(ii) Within twenty-four (24) hours from the request by a nationally approved cleft-craniofacial surgical team member, for an urgent case.

(B) A medical provider that is not a craniofacial specialist shall communicate in a timely manner its proposed healthcare services to the nationally approved cleft-craniofacial surgical team member who initiated the recommendation described in subdivision (c)(3)(A) of this section."

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 12

Page 3, line 18, delete "eye;" and substitute "eye; and"

Page 3, line 20, delete "and"

Page 3, delete line 26, and substitute the following: "implants; and

(3) Every four (4) years, a dehumidifier."

Page 3, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following: "(e)(1) A nationally approved cleft-craniofacial team that is located in other"

Page 3, delete lines 31 through 33, and substitute the following:
“(2) For healthcare services performed outside of this state under this section, the insured or enrollee shall not be penalized for out-of-network charges subject to the terms and conditions of the health benefit plan.”

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 602 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1569 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1569

Amend House Bill No. 1569 as engrossed, H3/15/21:

Page 3, delete line 17

AND

Page 3, delete line 19, and substitute the following:
"eye and vision care benefits; or
(ix) A program or plan authorized and funded under 42 U.S.C. § 1396a et seq.;"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 19 and 20, and substitute the following:
"services from a healthcare insurer;"
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(3)(A) "Health benefit plan" means any individual, blanket, or group plan, policy, or contract for healthcare services issued or delivered by a healthcare insurer in this state.

(B) "Health benefit plan" does not include:

(i) Accident-only plans;
(ii) Specified disease plans;
(iii) Disability income plans;
(iv) Plans that provide only for indemnity for hospital confinement;
(v) Long-term-care-only plans that do not include pharmacy benefits;
(vi) Other limited-benefit health insurance policies or plans;
(vii) Health benefit plans provided under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 32, the Workers' Compensation Law, § 11-9-101 et seq., and the Public Employee Workers' Compensation Act, § 21-5-601 et seq.;
(viii) A plan that provides only dental benefits or eye and vision care benefits; or
(ix) A program or plan authorized and funded under 42 U.S.C. § 1396a et seq.;

(4)(A) "Healthcare insurer" means an insurance company that is

AND

Page 5, line 27, delete "(4)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 5, line 30, delete "(5)" and substitute "(6)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1569 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 489 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 489
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 S4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FORMULA RATE REVIEW ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 489 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 489. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Beckham.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 489, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
    Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Beckham.
    Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
    Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 594
As Engrossed: S3/29/21 S4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT ACT OF 2007; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR UNLAWFUL DETAINER AND FORCIBLE ENTRY AND DETAINER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 594 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott spoke on the bill.
Senator Dismang closed for the bill.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 594. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28
NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 625 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 625
As Engrossed: S4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO INCLUDE MEMBERS FROM THE PERMANENT AND SEMIPERMANENT COSMETIC INDUSTRY AND THE BODY ART INDUSTRY; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR LICENSURE AND REGULATIONS OF PERMANENT COSMETICS AND SEMIPERMANENT COSMETICS PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 625 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 625. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: 
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 625 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 632 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 632
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAAK, BROWN, D. FERGUSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH THE ELECTRIC VEHICLE INFRASTRUCTURE FUND; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 632 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 632. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  32

NEGATIVE:  Beckham, Clark.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT:  Pitsch.

Total ...........................................................................................  1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 632, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................ 32

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Clark.

Total ............................................................................................ 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ............................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 632 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 643 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 643
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 643 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total ................................................................. 25

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.
   Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell.
   Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
   Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.
   Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 643 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 644 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 644
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE INVESTIGATION OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAW; TO ESTABLISH AN ELECTION LAW VIOLATION HOTLINE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INVESTIGATIONS BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

The bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1034 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034
As Engrossed: H3/18/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BEATY JR., JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECORDS MAINTAINED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT CONCERNING EXCEPTIONS TO THE PROHIBITION AGAINST THE DISCLOSURE OF TAXPAYER INFORMATION; TO DESIGNATE THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION AS THE OFFICIAL CUSTODIAN OF RECORDS FOR THE OFFICE OF MOTOR VEHICLE AND THE OFFICE OF DRIVER SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1034 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1034. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1034 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1063 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DOTSON, PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL REIMBURSEMENT FOR TELEMEDICINE VIA TELEPHONE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1063 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1063. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 25


Total ......................................................................................... 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1063, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total ................................................................. 25

Total ................................................................. 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1141 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1141 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke for the bill.
Senator Garner spoke on the bill.

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1141. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................ 24

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:
Total ............................................................................................ 0

Total ............................................................................................ 11
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1141 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1360 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1360
As Engrossed:  S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, BENTLEY, SLAPE,
WARDLAW, WATSON, COOPER
BY:  SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE LAW ENFORCEMENT FAMILY RELIEF CHECK-OFF PROGRAM; TO ESTABLISH THE LAW ENFORCEMENT FAMILY RELIEF TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1360 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1360. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1360 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1543 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1543
As Engrossed: H3/15/21 S4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, ET AL
BY: SENATORS TEAGUE, B. SAMPLE, G. STUBBLEFIELD, RICE, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION TO ISSUE CERTAIN ANNUAL REPORTS REGARDING TAXABLE PROPERTY; TO REQUIRE THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION TO PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORTS OF ANY NEW OR UPDATED ASSESSMENT GUIDELINES; TO PROVIDE THAT A NEW OR UPDATED GUIDELINE ISSUED BY THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION SHALL NOT BE EFFECTIVE UNTIL IT HAS BEEN PROPERLY REPORTED TO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1543 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1543. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1543 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1595 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1595
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MILLIGAN, LADYMAN
    BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING VOTING MACHINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1595 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1595. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1595 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1671 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671  
As Engrossed: H3/22/21  S4/5/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, MCCOLLUM, M. BERRY, BROOKS, BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, COLEMAN, COZART, DALBY, EAVES, EVANS, FORTNER, GODFREY, HILLMAN, M. HODGES, L. JOHNSON, LADYMAN, LYNCH, MADDOX, MCCULLOUGH, M. MCELROY, MCNAIR, PAYTON, PERRY, RYE, SCOTT, S. SMITH, SPRINGER, VAUGHT, WARREN, WATSON, D. WHITAKER, WOOTEN, BEATY JR., CLOWNEY, FIELDING, C. FITE, HUDSON, MCCLURE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS STUDENT-ATHLETE PUBLICITY RIGHTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1671 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke on the Bill.

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1671. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1671 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1675 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1675
As Engrossed: H3/30/21  H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO REPEAL THE PROVISIONS CONCERNING CARRYOVER FUNDS; TO MODIFY THE USE OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1675 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1675. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total ........................................................................................................  26

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Flowers, Hendren, Pitsch.
   Total ........................................................................................................  4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ........................................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:
   Total ........................................................................................................  0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, M. Johnson, Rapert, Rice, Sullivan.
   Total ........................................................................................................  5

   Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
   Necessary to the passage of the bill  ..................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1675 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1680 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680
As Engrossed: H3/11/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RICHARDSON, SLAPE, DOTSON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRITICAL INCIDENT DEBRIEFING FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1680. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
House Bill No. 1715 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1715 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SPOILED BALLOTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1715 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the Bill.

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1715. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

Total ................................................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1715 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 644 at this time.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 644 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 644

Amend Senate Bill No. 644 as originally introduced:

Page 5, line 18, delete "shall" and substitute "may"

AND

Page 6, line 15, delete "shall" and substitute "may"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 644 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Hammer moved to place Senate Bill No. 644 at bottom of calendar after being correctly engrossed. Motion passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1728 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1728
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GODFREY, CLOWNEY, A. COLLINS
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO ALLOW CAMPAIGN FUNDS TO PAY CHILDCARE EXPENSES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1728 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1728. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 24

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Gilmore, Hickey, Hill, Sample, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Hammer, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 5
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1728 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 650 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1744 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM SCORE REQUIRED ON THE UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP CIVICS TEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1744 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1744. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1744 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1777 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1777**  
*As Engrossed: H3/30/21 S4/7/21*  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLOWNEY, EAVES, M. GRAY, VAUGHT, WARDLAW, DOTSON  
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS' VOTER REGISTRATION INFORMATION; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION PROCEDURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1777 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1777. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(Signed) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1777 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1834 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TIME-SHARE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1834 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1834. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


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Total number of votes cast: 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1834 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 13, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 644, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 644 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 644

As Engrossed:  S4/13/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY:  SENATOR K. HAMMER

BY:  REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE INVESTIGATION OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAW; TO ESTABLISH AN ELECTION LAW VIOLATION HOTLINE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INVESTIGATIONS BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 644 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 644. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................32
NEGATIVE: Flowers, Hendren, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

***** EXPUNGED *****

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 644 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 13, 2021.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 519 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 519 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Davis.
Senator Chesterfield moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 644 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Bill No. 644 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 644  
As Engrossed: S4/13/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE INVESTIGATION OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAW; TO ESTABLISH AN ELECTION LAW VIOLATION HOTLINE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INVESTIGATIONS BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 644 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27
NEGATIVE:  Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

Total ............................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 644 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senate Bill No. 475 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 475 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 340, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 682
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSING REQUIREMENTS FOR CHILDCARE FACILITIES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INSPECTIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS OF CHILDCARE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 682 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 683
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN ARKANSAS PLAN PORTAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 683 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 684
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLITICAL PARTY FILING FEES; TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM POLITICAL PARTY FILING FEES FOR CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 684 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 685
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SEALING OF A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE OF DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 685 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 686
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MOTOR CARRIERS; TO REGULATE GROUND TRANSPORTATION AT MUNICIPAL AIRPORTS AND REGIONAL AIRPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 686 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 415 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 415 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 296 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 296 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 69 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 486 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 487 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 488 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 603 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 153, BY SENATORS GILMORE, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 527, BY SENATORS BEN GILMORE, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 568, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 580, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:50 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 153
SENATE BILL NO. 307
SENATE BILL NO. 527
SENATE BILL NO. 568
SENATE BILL NO. 580
SENATE BILL NO. 622

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this thirteenth day of April, 2021 at 3:50 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1181 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES ON HOW REBATES ARE OFFERED BY A PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURER THAT SELLS INSULIN IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1709 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1724
As Engrossed: H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, CLOWNEY
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, BLEDSOE, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDERS OF PROTECTION; CONCERNING COURSE OF CONTROL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1724 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726
As Engrossed: H3/29/21 H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, ET AL
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, GILMORE, BECKHAM, A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE OUACHITA RIVER COMMISSION FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1726 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR JURISDICTIONAL COOPERATION REGARDING ARRESTS, SEARCHES, AND SEIZURES BY FEDERAL EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1789 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT REQUIRING A CORRECTIONAL OR DETENTION FACILITY OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TO ESTABLISH A POLICY TO OFFER MAMMOGRAMS AND PHYSICIAN CONSULTATIONS TO FEMALE INMATES AND DETAINEES OF CERTAIN AGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1793 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1843
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOSH, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VOICE STRESS EXAMINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1843 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1866
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTION EXPENSES FOR THE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS AND THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO PROHIBIT THE ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS, GRANTS, AND GIFTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1866 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 587, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PATSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PATSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1467, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1802, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 405, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 620, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14
BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR BART HESTER, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18
BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10**
**BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13**
**BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,**

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER, MEMBER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1779, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOTEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1853, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1865, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOYD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 489
SENATE BILL NO. 594
SENATE BILL NO. 625
SENATE BILL NO. 632
SENATE BILL NO. 643
SENATE BILL NO. 644
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034
HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
HOUSE BILL NO. 1595
HOUSE BILL NO. 1675
HOUSE BILL NO. 1680
HOUSE BILL NO. 1715
HOUSE BILL NO. 1728
HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
HOUSE BILL NO. 1834

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063 AS AMENDED NOS. 1, 2, 3 & 4
HOUSE BILL NO. 1360 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1543 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1671 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1777 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 69
SENATE BILL NO. 153
SENATE BILL NO. 307
SENATE BILL NO. 486
SENATE BILL NO. 487
SENATE BILL NO. 488
SENATE BILL NO. 527
SENATE BILL NO. 568  
SENATE BILL NO. 580  
SENATE BILL NO. 603  
SENATE BILL NO. 622

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE  
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 296 AS AMENDED NO. 1  
SENATE BILL NO. 415 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 475

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE  
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1181  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1709  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1724  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1726  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1789  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1793  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1843  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1866
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m.,
Wednesday, April 14, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o’clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator M. Johnson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 314 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 314

Amend Senate Bill No. 314 as engrossed, S3/8/21:

Page 1, delete lines 12 and 13, and substitute the following:
"DISTRICT SHALL BE RETURNED TO LOCAL CONTROL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ESTABLISH THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL BE RETURNED TO LOCAL CONTROL."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 33, and substitute the following:
"control if the public school district has been under the authority of the state board under this section for five (5) years."

AND

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

(Signed) Senator Joyce Elliott

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(Signed) Ann Cornwell, Secretary

Senate Bill No. 314 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 377 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 377

Amend Senate Bill No. 377 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 24, delete "(a)  A municipality" and substitute "(a)(1)  A municipality"

AND

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:

"private real or personal property based on content.
(2)  Subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not apply to signage that is not protected under law, including without limitation obscenity, defamation, fraud, incitement, true threats, and speech integral to conduct that is already criminal conduct."

(SIGNED)  SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 638 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 638

Amend Senate Bill No. 638 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 19, delete "§ 6-28-301 et seq." and substitute "§ 6-4-301 et seq."

AND

Page 8, delete line 29, and substitute the following:
"6-4-301 et seq."

AND

Page 14, line 27, delete "§ 6-28-302 Article VIII" and substitute "§ 6-4-302 Article VIII"

AND

Page 19, line 28, delete "§ 6-28-301 et seq." and substitute "§ 6-4-301 et seq."

AND

Page 19, delete lines 34 through 36

AND

Delete pages 20 through 41

AND

Page 42, delete lines 1 through 16, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 6-18-202(b), concerning residency of"

AND

Page 44, delete SECTION 7 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"SECTION 7. Arkansas Code §§ 6-4-303 — 6-4-306 are repealed.
6-4-303. Compact Commissioner for Arkansas.
(a) Under the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children established under this subchapter, the Compact Commissioner for Arkansas shall be the Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education or his or her designee."
(b) The Compact Commissioner for Arkansas is responsible for the administration and management of the state's participation in the compact adopted under this subchapter.

(c) The Compact Commissioner for Arkansas shall cooperate with all departments, agencies, and officers of and in government of this state as well as all school districts and political subdivisions of this state for the administration of this compact, supplementary agreements entered into by the state, or as further directed by law or by the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education or the State Board of Education.

6-4-304. Creation of the State Council.
(a) There is created the State Council for the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children to be composed of the following members:

(1) The Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education or his or her designee, serving as Compact Commissioner for Arkansas as provided under § 6-4-303;

(2) The superintendent of the public school district with the greatest number of children of military families from each Arkansas congressional district as determined every four (4) years;

(3) One (1) member to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Education Association;

(4) One (1) member to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators;

(5)(A) One (1) member selected from the state at large and appointed by the Governor subject to confirmation of the Senate.

(B) The Governor shall consult the Arkansas School Boards Association before making an appointment under subdivision (a)(5)(A) of this section;

(6) The charter school leader of the open-enrollment public charter school with the greatest number of children of military families;

(7)(A) A representative from each federal and state military installation in Arkansas that employs uniformed service members as designated by each military installation commander.

(B) A representative from a federal military installation shall serve as a nonvoting, ex officio member;

(8) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Activities Association, serving as a nonvoting, ex officio member;

(9) The Chair of the Senate Committee on Education and the Chair of the House Committee on Education or designees from each of the committees, serving as nonvoting, ex officio members; and

(10) The United States Department of Defense representative for Arkansas shall have duties and responsibilities as established by United States Department of Defense Instruction Number 1342.29, and shall not be a member of the State Council.

(b)(1) Each appointed member shall have a background or interest in the education of military children.

(2)(A) The terms for the initial appointees to the council shall be staggered as determined by lot with:

(i) One (1) member serving a term of three (3) years;

(ii) One (1) member serving a term of four (4) years; and

(iii) One (1) member serving a term of five (5) years.

(B) Each succeeding appointment to the council shall be for a term of five (5) years, but the member appointed shall serve until the member's successor is appointed.
(3)(A) If a vacancy occurs in an appointed position for any reason, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the official that made the appointment.  

(B) The new appointee shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.

(c)(1) The council shall meet at least quarterly or as decided upon by a majority of its members.

(2) Unless otherwise approved by the Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education, the State Council shall conduct its meetings in Central Arkansas and via teleconference or web conference to allow for scheduling flexibility for council members.

(d)(1) A majority of the members of the council shall constitute a quorum for transacting business of the council.

(2) All actions of the council shall be by a quorum.

(e) The Commissioner of Elementary and Secondary Education or his or her designee serving as Compact Commissioner for Arkansas shall be the chair of the council and be a full-voting member.

(f) Appointments to the council shall be for a term of four (4) years.

(g) All state agencies, school districts, and political subdivisions of the state shall furnish to the council any information and assistance the council may reasonably request.

6-4-305. Duties of the State Council.

(a) Within thirty (30) days from the date the appointments are initially made, the members of the State Council for the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children shall appoint a military family education liaison to assist military families and the state in facilitating the implementation of the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children adopted under this subchapter.

(b) The council may promulgate rules for the administration of this subchapter and provide recommendations to the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education regarding the promulgation of rules applicable to the division and public school districts.

(c) Children of military families under this subchapter shall have equitable access to academic courses and programs and to extracurricular academic, athletic, and social programs.

(d)(1) The State Council shall meet at least annually to hold a public forum in a military community to hear direct feedback from military families regarding the effectiveness of the compact in this state.

(2) Under this subchapter, parents and legal guardians of military families may request the opportunity to:

(A) Speak at the public forum under subdivision (d)(1) of this section; or

(B) Make an online presentation to the State Council during the public forum under subdivision (d)(1) of this section.

(e) The State Council may seek input from the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education regarding the outcome of a case that is brought to the State Council for resolution.

(f) The State Council shall provide annually a report to the Governor, the Senate Committee on Education, and the House Committee on Education that includes without limitation the following:

(1) Information regarding the achievements of the State Council and public school districts regarding the support provided to military families under this subchapter;

(2) Details of the reports regarding the compact in this state that are provided to the Military Interstate Children's Compact Council and actions taken by the Military Interstate Children's Compact Council that impact the state;
(3) Details of cases and the outcomes of the cases brought to the State Council for resolution, in compliance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, as it existed on January 1, 2019, and state student privacy laws;

(4) Information regarding training that is provided to and completed by public school district personnel with respect to this subchapter;

(5) Details regarding plans for future engagement efforts with military families under this subchapter; and

(6) Any other information requested by parents and legal guardians of military families.

6-4-306. Military family education liaison.

(a) The military family education liaison shall be an ex officio member of the State Council for the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children.

(b) The military family education liaison shall have specialized knowledge related to the educational needs of military children and the obstacles that military children face in obtaining an education.

(c) The military family education liaison shall serve a term of four (4) years.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code §§ 6-4-308 and 6-4-309 are repealed.

6-4-308. Immunity not affected.

(a) This subchapter shall not affect the immunity from suit granted to state officials and employees under § 19-10-305 or to the state and its official agencies under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 20.

(b) The exercise of the powers and performance of duties provided for in this subchapter by the Compact Commissioner for Arkansas, the State Council for the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, and the military family education liaison for Arkansas and its officers, agents, and employees are declared to be public and governmental functions, exercised for a public purpose and matters of public necessity, conferring upon each authority governmental immunity from suit in tort.

6-4-309. Children of military families—Student enrollment procedures—Military education coordinators.

(a) A public school with twenty (20) or more children of military families enrolled as students or a public school with a total of three thousand (3,000) or more students enrolled shall:

(1) Incorporate into the policies of the public school specific procedures that outline actions to take in support of students who are the children of military families who transition to and from the public school; and

(2)(A) Designate each public school district a military education coordinator to serve as the primary point of contact for each child of a military family and his or her parent or legal guardian.

(B) The public school military education coordinator shall have specialized knowledge regarding the educational needs of children of military families and the obstacles that children of military families face in obtaining an education.

(b) The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education shall supply relevant resources for the orientation and training of public school military education coordinators under this section.’’

AND

Page 71, line 29, delete “SECTION 8” and substitute “SECTION 9”
Page 79, line 29, delete "SECTION 9" and substitute "SECTION 10"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 638 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 650 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 650

Amend Senate Bill No. 650 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 18, and substitute the following: "Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program shall be double the amount of the asset limit allowable under applicable federal law, as it existed on January 1, 2021."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 650 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1499 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1499

Amend House Bill No. 1499 as engrossed, H3/16/21:

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. Legislative intent. The provisions of this act are not intended to change the current structure of multidisciplinary teams in Arkansas.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-5-103 is amended to read as follows:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:
"funding is appropriated and available, shall The Department of Finance and Administration shall:

1. Distribute grants to one (1) or more child safety centers and an entity receiving funding under this chapter.
2. (A) Retain oversight of all grants distributed under this chapter. The Secretary of the Department of Finance and Administration or his or her designee shall be the agency contact concerning the oversight of grants distributed under this chapter; and
3. Evaluate the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas's quarterly reports concerning funding received by the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas and each child safety center.

(b) The Department of Finance and Administration and the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas shall work together to:
1. (A) Establish the criteria for grant applications and awards under this chapter.
2. (A) Establish the criteria for awarding or denying a grant application under this chapter.
3. Annually evaluate each child safety center for compliance with the program best program practices of the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas, fiscal, and training requirements under this chapter;
4. Promulgate rules and procedures to implement this chapter and the forms for the evaluation of each child safety center;
5. Adopt a uniform system of recordkeeping and reporting to ensure the proper handling of funds by child safety centers and to ensure uniformity and accountability by child safety centers; and
(4)(6) Provide training and technical assistance to child safety centers to ensure best practice standards for forensic interviews, advocacy, prevention, and forensic medical examinations evaluations; and
(7) Coordinate and provide training statewide for multidisciplinary teams.

(b)(c) The commission Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas may enter into contracts with any entity to fulfill its duties under this chapter.

d) A child safety center shall:

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 19
AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas" and substitute "Department of Finance and Administration and the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas"
AND

Page 4, line 15, delete "Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas" and substitute "Department of Finance and Administration"
AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "exclusively" and substitute "exclusively"
AND

Page 4, delete lines 18 and 19, and substitute the following:
"(1) To satisfy contractual obligations made to perform its duties entered into by the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas in order for the duties of the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas under this section to be performed;"
AND

Page 6, delete lines 13 and 14, and substitute the following:
"Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission or its designee Department of Finance and Administration and the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas to ensure proper handling of funds; and"
AND

Page 7, lines 5 and 6, and substitute the following:
"requirements of the Department of Finance and Administration and the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas and receive funding from the commission or its designee Department of Finance and Administration;"
AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:
"the child safety centers that receive funding from the commission or its designee Department of Finance and Administration under this chapter; and"
Page 7, line 31, delete "Children’s Advocacy Centers of Arkansas" and substitute "Department of Finance and Administration"

AND

Page 7, line 33, delete "grant" and substitute "grant"

AND

Page 7, line 35, delete "state" and substitute "state through an annual grant with the Children’s Advocacy Centers of Arkansas"

AND

Page 8, line 35, delete "Children’s Advocacy Centers of Arkansas" and substitute "Department of Finance and Administration"

AND

Page 8, line 36, delete "Department of Finance and Administration" and substitute "Children’s Advocacy Centers of Arkansas"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1499 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 13, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 178 - ACT 698
- Senate Bill No. 110 - ACT 699
- Senate Bill No. 613 - ACT 700
- Senate Bill No. 586 - ACT 701
- Senate Bill No. 550 - ACT 702
- Senate Bill No. 339 - ACT 703
- Senate Bill No. 288 - ACT 704

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 13, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 622 - ACT 681

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 69, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 488, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 486 BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 487, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 603, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:58 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 69
SENATE BILL NO. 488
SENATE BILL NO. 486
SENATE BILL NO. 487
SENATE BILL NO. 603

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this fourteenth day of April, 2021 at 9:58 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 314, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 314 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 638 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 377, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 650, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 650 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1499 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 353, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1466, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARREN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1518, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1653, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1718, by Representative Lundstrum,
House Bill No. 1721, by Representative Gazaway,
House Bill No. 1736, by Representative Furman,
House Bill No. 1739, by Representative Lundstrum,
House Bill No. 1741, by Representative Lundstrum,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Alan Clark, Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO.  26, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 181, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 244, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 680, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)   SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 566, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)   SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

    HOUSE BILL NO. 1374, BY REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS,
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1457, BY REPRESENTATIVE EAVES,
    HOUSE BILL NO. 1743, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOOTEN, VAUGHT, BARKER, ET AL
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, J. DISMANG,
L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, K. HAMMER, IRVIN,
B. JOHNSON, RICE, B. SAMPLE, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE JANUARY 22 AS
THE DAY OF TEARS IN ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was read the third time and concurred
in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was ordered immediately returned to
the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was
called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE UNITED
STATES CONGRESS TO ESTABLISH A MAXIMUM LIMIT OF OPIATE ALKALOID
CONTAMINATION OF POPPY SEEDS AND ENSURE THE SAFETY OF
IMPORTED POPPY SEEDS AND TO ISSUE IMPORT REQUIREMENTS AND
CONDUCT TESTING TO ENSURE THAT IMPORTED SEEDS DO NOT EXCEED
THE MAXIMUM THRESHOLD OF OPIATE CONTAMINATION.
House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 143 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 143

Amend Senate Bill No. 143 as engrossed, S2/4/21:

Page 1, delete lines 12 and 13, and substitute the following: "AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES OF THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM HAVE ACCESS TO NEW PRODUCTS AND LABEL EXPANSIONS APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION."

AND

Page 2, delete line 26, and substitute the following: "conducted a formal clinical review of the product or label expansion."

(c)(1) The Department of Human Services shall appoint two (2) individuals to the Arkansas Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Board.

(2) The individuals appointed under subdivision (c)(1) of this section shall be:

(A) Either physicians or advanced practice registered nurses;
(B) Licensed and practicing in this state; and
(C) Currently treating rare diseases or conditions.
(3) The department shall amend any rules or bylaws of the Arkansas Medicaid Drug Utilization Review Board to implement this section.

AND

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 143, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 143 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 143
As Engrossed: S2/4/21 H3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES OF THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM HAVE ACCESS TO NEW PRODUCTS AND LABEL EXPANSIONS APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 143 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 143. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**
Total ............................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**
Total ............................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**
Total ............................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**
Total ............................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

_Senate Bill No. 143_ was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, _Senate Bill No. 291_ was called up for the purpose of considering _Amendment No. 1_ thereto, adopted by the House.

**HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

Amendment No. 1 to _SENATE BILL NO. 291_

Amend _Senate Bill No. 291_ as engrossed, S3/4/21:
Page 1, delete lines 31 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "6-15-3003" and substitute "6-15-3002"

AND

Page 3, delete line 30, and substitute the following:

"(iii) A community school plan.

(C) Community school strategies require that public schools obtain consent from parents and legal guardians of public school students for services provided;"

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete "without limitation"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 34 and 35, and substitute the following:

"with community resources, and whose primary responsibilities include:"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "services" and substitute "available services"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "6-15-3004" and substitute "6-15-3003"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 19 through 22

AND

Page 4, line 23, delete "(2) Provide targeted professional" and substitute "(1) Provide professional"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "(3)(A)" and substitute "(2)(A)"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:
"(B)(i) Any data required under subdivision (2)(A) of this section shall be protected by all applicable federal and state data privacy laws. (ii) No additional data mining is permitted under this section; and"

AND

Page 5, line 1, delete "(4)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 5, line 9, delete "6-15-3003" and substitute "6-15-3002"

AND

Page 5, line 15, delete "6-15-3003" and substitute "6-15-3002"

AND

Page 5, line 19, delete "6-15-3003" and substitute "6-15-3002"

AND

Page 5, line 28, delete "6-15-3003" and substitute "6-15-3002"

AND

Page 5, line 36, delete "6-15-3003" and substitute "6-15-3002"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 291, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 291 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 291
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SUPPORT ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A COMMUNITY SCHOOL APPROACH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 291 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 291. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 248 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 248

Amend Senate Bill No. 248 as engrossed, S3/3/21:

Delete Senator B. Ballinger as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Add Senators B. Davis, B. Ballinger as cosponsors of the bill
AND
Page 5, delete lines 25 through 35
AND
Page 5, line 36, delete "(2)(A)" and substitute "(1)(A)"
AND
Page 6, line 8, delete "(3)" and substitute "(2)"
AND
Page 6, line 12, delete "(4)" and substitute "(3)"
AND
Page 6, line 17, delete "(5)" and substitute "(4)"
AND
Page 6, line 28, delete "(6)" and substitute "(5)"
AND
Page 6, line 31, delete "(7)(A)" and substitute "(6)(A)"
AND
Page 6, delete line 36
AND
Page 7, line 1, delete "(ii)" and substitute "(i)"
AND
Page 7, line 3, delete "(iii)" and substitute "(ii)"
AND
Page 7, delete lines 4 through 8, and substitute the following:
"(iii) Eggs; and
(iv) Dairy foods;"
AND
Page 7, line 9, delete "(8)" and substitute "(7)"
AND
Page 7, line 13, delete "(9)" and substitute "(8)"
AND
Page 7, line 15, delete "(10)" and substitute "(9)"
AND
Page 8, delete lines 2 through 14, and substitute the following:
"(3) Not involve the sale of meat, poultry, or seafood products;"
AND
Page 8, delete line 25, and substitute the following:
"(1) The date that the homemade food or drink product was manufactured, produced, or processed;
(2) The name, address, and telephone number of the producer of"
AND
Page 8, line 29, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"
AND

Page 8, line 29, delete "number" and substitute "name"

AND

Page 8, line 31, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 8, line 33, delete "(4)" and substitute "(5)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 539 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 539

Amend Senate Bill No. 539 as engrossed, S4/8/21:

Add Representative Pilkington as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 539 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 564 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 564

Amend Senate Bill No. 564 as engrossed, S3/29/21:


AND

Add Representatives Vaught, Brown, Cozart, Eubanks, D. Garner, Godfrey, McCullough, Murdock, Speaks as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 564 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC; TO ALLOW FOR REMOTE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 340 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 340. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT: Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................................1
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 340, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Ingram.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast........................................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 576 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 576
As Engrossed: S4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO ADOPT ATTENDANCE POLICY REQUIREMENTS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENDING SCHOOL VIRTUALLY OR REMOTELY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 576 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 576. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 576 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 602 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 602
As Engrossed: S3/30/21 S4/13/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING CRANIOFACIAL COVERAGE; TO ESTABLISH WENDELYN'S CRANIOFACIAL LAW — CRANIOFACIAL COVERAGE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 602 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 602. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 602, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

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Senate Bill No. 602 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 628 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 628
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “RETAILER”; TO PERMIT ARKANSAS-BASED CIGAR SHOPS TO SELL CIGARS AT RETAIL ONLINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 628 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 628. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 32

NEGATIVE: Rapert, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

EXCUSED: 

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT: 

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 628 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 631
As Engrossed: S4/7/21 S4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING HARD CIDER; TO AUTHORIZE A HARD CIDER MANUFACTURER TO DELIVER HARD CIDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 631. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  19


Total ...........................................................................................  8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Clark, Flippo, Hendren, Irvin, Rice, Sturch.

Total ...........................................................................................  7

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 33 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 33 was withdrawn by the author, Senator English.

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On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 640 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 640
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR MEDICAL DEBT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 640 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 640. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 29

**NEGATIVE:**

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Chesterfield, Dismang, Flowers, Hill, Leding, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................................. 6

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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**EXPUNGED**

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 640 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 14, 2021.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 595 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 595
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES IS THE AGENCY THAT REGULATES LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; TO REMOVE REFERENCES TO THE OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 595 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 595. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: M. Johnson.

Total ................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 595 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 647 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 647
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ANNUAL AUDITS AND PROCEDURES OF WATER AND SEWER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 647 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 647. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................ 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 647 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 662 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 662
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HILL, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A DAY OF PRAYER FOR ARKANSAS STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 662 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 662. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 662 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1044 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ESTIMATED ASSESSMENT OF TAX IF A TAXPAYER FAILS OR REFUSES TO PROVIDE RECORDS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENT TO KEEP AND PRESERVE TAX RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1044 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Chesterfield, Eads, Elliott, Flowers, Sample.
Total ................................................................. 5

Total ................................................................. 21

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Caldwell, Davis, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Rapert, Sturch, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 9

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 26
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

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House Bill No. 1044 was returned to the House as having failed to pass.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1177 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177
As Engrossed: S3/16/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL TO ADMINISTER CERTAIN EMERGENCY PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS TO A PATIENT WHO HAS A SPECIFIC HEALTH CONDITION; TO ALLOW PARTICIPATION IN CARE COORDINATION BY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES; TO ENSURE APPROPRIATE TRANSPORT OF A PATIENT WHO HAS A SPECIFIC HEALTH CONDITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1177 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1177. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1177 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

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On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 S3/29/21 S4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FAIR FOOD DELIVERY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 1426 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the bill.
Senator M. Johnson closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 6

Total ................................................................. 17

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Caldwell, English, Flowers, Hickey, Ingram, Irvin, Leding, Rapert, Sample, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 11

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 24
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill failed of adoption.

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* * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * *

Senator M. Johnson moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1426 failed be expunged.

By voice vote, the Chair ruled the motion failed. Senator M. Johnson requested a roll call. Five hands were seen. Roll call ensued.

Motion to expunge. Roll call:


Total ......................................................................................... 31

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, English, Irvin, Sample.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31

Necessary to the passage of the motion ............................................. 18

So the motion to expunge passed.

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The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1426 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 14, 2021.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1439 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1439
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE ACT; TO INCLUDE THERAPISTS, ADDICTION SPECIALISTS, AND COUNSELORS IN THE VOLUNTEER HEALTHCARE PROGRAM; TO INCREASE CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS UNDER THE VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

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On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1439 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1459 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT ALL HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS ARE REIMBURSED FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES BY THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1459 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1459. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ....................................................................................................0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total .......................................................................................................1

**EXCUSED:**

Total .......................................................................................................0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total .......................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1459 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, House Bill No. 1520 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1520
As Engrossed: H3/22/21 H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES F. ALLEN, SCOTT
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING OCCUPATIONAL CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS; TO ENSURE THAT LICENSEES WHO WERE LICENSED PRIOR TO THE ENACTMENT OF ACTS 2019, NO. 990, ARE ALLOWED TO MAINTAIN THEIR LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1520 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1520. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:  Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  M. Johnson.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1520 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 670 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1569 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDS TRUM, BARKER, BOYD, BRAGG, BROWN, C. COOPER, EVANS, FURMAN, D. GARNER, GAZAWAY, HAAK, HAWKS, LOWERY, MADDOX, MURDOCK, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RAY, SCOTT, S. SMITH, WATSON, D. WHITAKER, WING, WOOTEN, C. FITE, V. FLOWERS, MCCULLOUGH, RYE
BY: SENATORS, RAPERT, L. CHESTERFIELD, GILMORE, M. JOHNSON, TEAGUE, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FAIRNESS IN COST SHARING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1569 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1569. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ............................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total ................................................................................ 1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1569 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 640 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 640 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1585 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1585
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE EMPLOYEES OF CERTAIN HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS TO HAVE A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1585 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1585.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1585 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1664 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1664
As Engrossed:  H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT
BY:  SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE RESOURCE ACT; TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE OFFICER AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL VIOLATIONS CITED BY ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICERS; TO CLARIFY THE JUDICIAL VENUE WHERE CITATIONS ARE REQUIRED TO BE FILED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1664 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1664. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1664 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1682 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1682
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COLOCATION FOR OUTPATIENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1682 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1682. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1682 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1704 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1704
As Engrossed: H3/23/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO PROHIBIT MUNICIPALITIES AND COUNTIES FROM RESTRICTING THE USE OF AUXILIARY CONTAINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1704 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding spoke against the Bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the Bill.
Senator Sullivan closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 24

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Hickey, Irvin, Sample, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 5

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1704 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1780 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1780
As Engrossed: H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING MEDICATION ASSISTIVE PERSONS; TO ALLOW EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSES IN CERTAIN FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1780 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1780. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Bledsoe, Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1780 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1781 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1781
As Engrossed:  H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE PRESCRIPTION LIMITATIONS IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; TO EXEMPT LONG-TERM MEDICATION FROM BEING COUNTED TOWARDS A PRESCRIPTION LIMITATION IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1781 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1781. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total .......................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1781 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, House Bill No. 1794 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1794
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE PATHWAY PILOT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1794 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1794. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
    Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
    Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
    Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
    Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1794, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
    Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
    Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
    Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
    Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
    Total ................................................................. 0
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1794 was ordered returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1796 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1796
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND OCCUPATIONAL CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1796 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1796. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
  Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
  Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1796 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1803 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1803
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, WING
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS BALLOTTING INTEGRITY ACT OF 2021; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTION EXPENSE ALLOCATION; TO AMEND THE COMPLAINT PROCESS FOR ELECTION LAW VIOLATIONS; TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY AND DUTIES OF THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1803 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1803. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1803 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1825 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1825
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN SIGNS AND MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1825 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1825. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1825 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1836 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1836
As Engrossed:  S4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, WARDLAW
BY:  SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; TO AMEND THE PENALTY FOR THE KNOWING REFUSAL OF RIGHT OF ENTRY AND INSPECTION TO DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1836 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1836. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1836 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1842 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1842
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, ET AL
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE AT A RAILROAD CROSSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1842 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1842.

Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1842 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1846 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1846 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1846. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Garner.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ..............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1846 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1860 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1860
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COUNTY APPROPRIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1860 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1860. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1860 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 158

Amend Senate Bill No. 158 as engrossed, S3/22/21:
Page 2, line 17, delete "6,454,524" and substitute "8,702,425"

AND

Page 2, delete line 25 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "7,575,000" and substitute "9,075,000"

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "57,373,600" and substitute "57,446,400"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "13,804,003" and substitute "13,914,003"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 32 and 33 in their entirety and substitute the following:

" (67) YOUTH SHELTERS                                   165,000
(68) TEACHER SALARY EQUALIZATION                           25,000,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED                                 $3,082,396,998"

AND

Appropriately renumber all item numbers in SECTION 1

AND

Page 6, immediately following SECTION 6, insert a new SECTION to read as follows:

" SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL
DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
Department of Education, to be payable from the Division of Elementary and
Secondary Education Public School Fund Account, for grants and aid to local school
districts and special programs of the Department of Education - Division of
Elementary and Secondary Education which shall be supplemental and in addition to
those funds appropriated in Section 1 of Act 154 of 2020, the following:

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<th>ITEM NO.</th>
<th>FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021</th>
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<td>(01) ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURANCE</td>
<td>$20,000,000</td>
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AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill

AND

Page 20, line 9, immediately following "2021" insert ", with the exception that section
7 of this Act shall be effective upon passage and approval,"
AND

Page 20, line 12, immediately following "2021" insert ", with the exception that section 7 of this Act shall be effective upon passage and approval."

AND

Page 20, line 16, immediately following "2021" insert ", with the exception that section 7 of this Act shall be effective upon passage and approval."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 164

JBC 4/8/21 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Page 21, immediately following SECTION 36 insert a new section to read as follows:

"SECTION 37. APPROPRIATION - AGRI FAIR FUNDING PROGRAM."
There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Agriculture, to be payable from the Agri Fair Fund, for fair funding and operating expenses by the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

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AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the Bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills.

Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 51 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 51
As Engrossed: S3/22/21 S4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 51 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 51, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 51 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 67 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 67
As Engrossed: S3/4/21  S4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 67 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 67, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE: 

Total .................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 108 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 108
As Engrossed: S3/8/21 S4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH - LICENSING AND REGULATION BOARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 108 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 108, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................ 0

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 221 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 221  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 221 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 221, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast...........................................................................................................35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..............................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 221 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1181 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1181
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1181 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1181. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1181, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total ............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ............................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ............................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................................................................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1181 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 539, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 564, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 687  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLITICAL PARTY FILING FEES; TO CREATE THE PUBLIC OFFICE FILING FEE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 687 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.  

SENATE BILL NO. 688  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. BALLINGER, L. EADS  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, SCOTT, PILKINGTON, RICHMOND  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING A CORRECTIONAL OR DETENTION FACILITY OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TO ESTABLISH A POLICY TO OFFER PROSTATE EXAMS AND PHYSICIAN CONSULTATIONS TO MALE INMATES AND DETAINES OF CERTAIN AGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

Senate Bill No. 688 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 689
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO ALLOW A MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY TO FINANCE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH STORMS AND RELATED PERILS; TO ALLOW THE FINANCING BY A MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY OF COSTS TO PURCHASE GAS, FUEL, OR POWER IN PREPARATION FOR OR IN RESPONSE TO A STORM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT ENERGY.

SENATE BILL NO. 690
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL OBSOLETE STATE ENTITIES; TO ABOLISH THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; TO ABOLISH THE NUTRIENT WATER QUALITY TRADING ADVISORY PANEL; TO ABOLISH THE ACADEMIC FACILITIES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 690 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 158, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 89 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 139 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 526 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 614 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 691
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO IDENTIFY PAID ADVERTISEMENTS FUNDED BY TAXPAYER FUNDS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ADVERTISING USING THE IMAGE OR VOICE OF AN ELECTED OFFICIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 691 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1054
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SALES TAX REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIAL EVENTS; TO ALLOW THE SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR ISOLATED SALES TO APPLY AT SPECIAL EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1054 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1071 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REGULATORY DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1072 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1105 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR A TEACHER’S QUALIFIED CLASSROOM INVESTMENT EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1157 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN UTILITIES USED BY A POULTRY FARM; TO REQUIRE THE ADOPTION OF RULES RELATED TO THE CREATION OF A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN UTILITIES USED BY A POULTRY FARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1196 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1219 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1220 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1221 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO WORK COLD CASES FOR THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1513 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1547
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, ET AL
BY:  SENATORS B. DAVIS, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, A. CLARK,
T. GARNER, K. HAMMER, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE STATE FROM
MANDATING A VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019
(COVID-19); TO GOVERN REQUIREMENTS FOR A VACCINE OR
IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) EXCEPT IN CERTAIN
CONDITIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1547 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE &
LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1641
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE
TAX EXEMPTION FOR SALES TO THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN
ASSOCIATION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1641 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY INCOME AND PRINCIPAL ACT; TO REPEAL THE UNIFORM PRINCIPAL AND INCOME ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1693 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAXES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DELINQUENT PROPERTY TAXES; TO ALLOW DELINQUENT PROPERTY TAXES TO BE SET OFF AGAINST STATE TAX REFUNDS IN WHOLE OR IN PART; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FEE CHARGED FOR COLLECTION ASSISTANCE IN SETTING OFF CERTAIN DEBTS AGAINST STATE TAX REFUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1767
As Engrossed:  H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ALLOW THE OPERATION OF A PERSONAL DELIVERY DEVICE IN PEDESTRIAN AREAS AND CERTAIN STREETS AND ROADS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1767 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1783
As Engrossed:  H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOLLETT, BROOKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS IN CERTAIN GRADES IN-SCHOOL ACCESS TO VENDING MACHINES OFFERING FOOD AND BEVERAGES THAT MEET THE NUTRITION STANDARDS OF THE FEDERAL SMART SNACKS IN SCHOOL PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1783 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1792
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLAPE, A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF FINES ORDERED TO BE PAID BY A PERSON CONVICTED OF A FELONY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1792 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1826
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL NURSES; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAMS; TO REQUIRE LICENSED REGISTERED NURSES EMPLOYED OR CONTRACTED BY A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO PARTICIPATE IN NURSING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT; TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT AN EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL NURSES; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO PARTICIPATE IN A HEALTH SERVICES SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1826 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY FOR LONG-TERM CARE MEDICAID ASSISTANCE; TO ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES ON THE LOW-INCOME DISABLED WORKING PERSON CATEGORY OF MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CAN TRANSITION TO OTHER CATEGORIES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM UPON RETIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1847 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1849
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WHEN A VEHICLE MAY BE DRIVEN UPON THE LEFT LANE OF A MULTILANE HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1849 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1852
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, ET AL
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, ELLIOTT,
K. HAMMER, K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SET STANDARDS FOR PRESCRIPTIONS DELIVERY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1852 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CRISIS INTERVENTION PROTOCOL ACT OF 2017; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1880 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. COOPER, M. BERRY,
    COZART, B. SMITH
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW DEPENDENTS OF CERTAIN VETERANS TO RECEIVE TUITION WAIVERS TO PRIVATE, NONPROFIT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE; TO CAP THE AMOUNT OF THE TUITION WAIVER FOR DEPENDENTS OF CERTAIN VETERANS ATTENDING PRIVATE, NONPROFIT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1879 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1884
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EAVES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING A COUNTY’S OBLIGATIONS REGARDING THE PRODUCTION OF ELECTRONIC PUBLIC RECORDS IN BULK ON REQUEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1884 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A NETWORK OF CERTIFIED ACADEMIC LANGUAGE THERAPISTS TO PROVIDE A SPECIALIZED DYSLEXIA INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DYSLEXIA OR RELATED READING AND WRITTEN-LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1891 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1898
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE "VEHICLE" AS AN EXTENSION OF A PERSON'S HOME; TO DEFINE THE TERM "JOURNEY" ACROSS ALL APPLICABLE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1898 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO.  51
SENATE BILL NO.  67
SENATE BILL NO. 108
SENATE BILL NO. 221
SENATE BILL NO. 340
SENATE BILL NO. 576
SENATE BILL NO. 595
SENATE BILL NO. 602
SENATE BILL NO. 628
SENATE BILL NO. 631
SENATE BILL NO. 647
SENATE BILL NO. 662

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1181
HOUSE BILL NO. 1459
HOUSE BILL NO. 1520
HOUSE BILL NO. 1585
HOUSE BILL NO. 1664
HOUSE BILL NO. 1682
HOUSE BILL NO. 1704
HOUSE BILL NO. 1780
HOUSE BILL NO. 1781
HOUSE BILL NO. 1794
HOUSE BILL NO. 1796
HOUSE BILL NO. 1803
HOUSE BILL NO. 1825
HOUSE BILL NO. 1842
HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
HOUSE BILL NO. 1860
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1569 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1836 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 89
SENATE BILL NO. 139
SENATE BILL NO. 526

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 614 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1054
HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
HOUSE BILL NO. 1105
HOUSE BILL NO. 1157
HOUSE BILL NO. 1196
HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
HOUSE BILL NO. 1221
HOUSE BILL NO. 1513
HOUSE BILL NO. 1547
HOUSE BILL NO. 1641
HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
HOUSE BILL NO. 1698
HOUSE BILL NO. 1767
HOUSE BILL NO. 1783
HOUSE BILL NO. 1792
HOUSE BILL NO. 1826
HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
HOUSE BILL NO. 1849
HOUSE BILL NO. 1852
HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
HOUSE BILL NO. 1880
HOUSE BILL NO. 1884
HOUSE BILL NO. 1891
HOUSE BILL NO. 1898

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, April 15, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
April 15, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Sturch requested leave for Senator Pitsch. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Ballinger.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 495 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 495

Amend Senate Bill No. 495 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 23, delete "(m)(4)" and substitute "(m)(1)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 25 through 28, and substitute the following:
"(2) "Minor" does not include a person who:
(A) is under twenty-one (21) years of age if the person presents a military identification card establishing that he or she is a member of the United States Armed Forces; or."

AND

Page 1, line 34, delete "(a)(4)" and substitute "(a)(1)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"(2) "Minor" does not include a person who:
(A) is under twenty-one (21) years of age if the person presents a military identification card establishing that he or she is a member of the United States Armed Forces; or."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "age;" and substitute "age."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 12 through 15, and substitute the following:
"(B) "Minor" does not include a person who:
(1) is under twenty-one (21) years of age if the person..."
presents a military identification card establishing that he or she is a member of the United States Armed Forces; or.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 495 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 661 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARGARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 661

Amend Senate Bill No. 661 as originally introduced:

Page 4, lines 7 through 9, and substitute the following: "racing at its facility, the franchise holder shall remit on a monthly basis for calendar year 2023 the:" AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "100; and" and substitute "100, to be distributed as described in subsection (b) of this section; and" AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "100." and substitute "100, to the Greyhound Breeders of Arkansas, Inc. AND

Page 4, delete lines 17 through 23, and substitute the following: "(b) The moneys remitted under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be distributed as follows: (1) Seven hundred fifty thousand dollars ($750,000) to the Breast Milk Bank Special Fund;"
(2) Two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) to the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education Fund Account; and

(3)(A) The remaining moneys to the Arkansas State University System Foundation, Inc.

(B) The moneys remitted to the Arkansas State University System Foundation, Inc., under subdivision (b)(3)(A) of this section shall be invested and used solely for the purpose of:

(i) Scholarships and grants as provided in the ASPIRE Scholarship Program; and

(ii) Funding to endow chairs of excellence at Arkansas State University Mid-South."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 31 and 32, and substitute the following:

"operating a franchise to conduct greyhound racing shall be distributed as follows:

(1) Five million dollars ($5,000,000) to the cash fund as defined under § 19-4-801 for construction, renovation, maintenance, equipment, personal services, and operating expenses of the Division of Agriculture of the University of Arkansas for the purpose of rice research; and

(2) The remaining moneys to the active greyhound breeders in Arkansas under subsection (b) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KEITH INGRAM

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 661 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 673 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 673

Amend Senate Bill No. 673 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Hudson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 673 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1709 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1709

Amend House Bill No. 1709 as engrossed, H4/12/21:

Add Senator K. Hammer as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representative Penzo as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete line 33, and substitute the following: "violation of this section.

(d) This section does not apply to the Arkansas Medicaid Program."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1709 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 672 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 672 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Irvin.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 14, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 479 - ACT 705

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 89, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 139, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 526, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 8:53 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 143
SENATE BILL NO. 291
SENATE BILL NO. 89
SENATE BILL NO. 139
SENATE BILL NO. 526

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this fifteenth day of April, 2021 at 8:53 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 495, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 495 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 661, BY SENATOR KEITH INGRAM,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 661 was ordered re-referred to
the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 673, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we
find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 673 was ordered re-referred to the
Committee on JUDICIARY.
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session
April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1709, by Representative Payton,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson, Chairman

On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1709 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor.

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Ninety-Third General Assembly
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April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 654, by Senator Greg Leding,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019,
BY REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 506, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 669, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 551, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1309, BY REPRESENTATIVE RYE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1824, BY REPRESENTATIVE COLLINS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 501, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1592, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1809, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1831, BY REPRESENTATIVE BERRY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832, BY REPRESENTATIVE BERRY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE-CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1611, BY REPRESENTATIVE ENNETT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT ENTERGY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 689, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 363, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 374, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 398, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
SENATE BILL NO. 403, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 6.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 14, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 612, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 641, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, MEMBER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 555, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN, MEMBER

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1179, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1561, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1586, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1587, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1878, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, MEMBER

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1497, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1590, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1606, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1616, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1813, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1814, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1815, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1740, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11,
BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSoE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 650, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 663, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 677, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 615, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT
SENATE BILL NO. 640, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

- HOUSE BILL NO. 1687, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1760, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1810, BY REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.,
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1875, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1828, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1862, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE-CHAIRMAN
HOUSE BILL NO. 1439, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 657, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
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April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1418, By Representative Beck,
House Bill No. 1782, By Representative Beck,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson, Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
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April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1702, By Representative McCullough,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CREATION OR AMENDMENT OF LOTTERY-FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on RULES.

Senator Hester moved to batch the House Bills at the end of the Calendar. Senator Hickey spoke against the motion. By voice vote, the motion failed.
The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18  
As Engrossed: S3/23/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION UNDER UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE COMPOSED OF NINE (9) JUSTICES.

Subtitle
REQUESTING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE COMPOSED OF NINE (9) JUSTICES.

WHEREAS, United States Constitution, Article 5, provides that the United States Congress, whenever two-thirds (2/3) of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to the United States Constitution to the several states for ratification,
NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the General Assembly requests that the United States Congress propose an amendment to the United States Constitution for ratification by the several states that reads as follows:

“The Supreme Court of the United States shall be composed of nine (9) justices.”

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the General Assembly requests that the legislatures of each of the several states request that the United States Congress propose an amendment to the United States Constitution providing that the Supreme Court of the United States shall be composed of nine (9) justices.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Secretary of the Senate transmit a copy of this joint resolution to the President of the United States Senate, the Secretary of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, the Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, the members of the Arkansas congressional delegation, and the presiding officer of each house of the legislatures in the several states.

/s/A. Clark

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18. was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.
Amend Senate Bill No. 292 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 20, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2.  Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

12-1-103.  Public Safety Equipment Grant Program.
(a)(1)  There is created within the Department of Public Safety the Public Safety Equipment Grant Program to be administered by the Secretary of the Department of Public Safety.
(2)  The secretary may hire personnel necessary to carry out the duties of administering the program.
(3)(A)  The secretary shall establish a grant review committee to evaluate applications and to advise on the awarding of grants under the program.
(B)  The grant review committee shall consist of law enforcement officers and other interested persons as determined by the secretary.
(b)(1)  In consultation with the grant review committee, the secretary shall award grants under the program to law enforcement agencies, detention centers, and corrections agencies for equipment that aids in improving trust and relationships between law enforcement agencies, detention centers, and corrections agencies and the communities that they serve."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 and 5, and substitute the following:

“(4)  As a part of the grant application process and in consultation with the grant review committee, the secretary may:”

(SIGNED)  REPRESENTATIVE WATSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 292, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 292 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 292
As Engrossed: S2/10/21  S3/3/21  S3/15/21  H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WATSON, M. BERRY, HOLLOWELL, MCCLURE,
BENTLEY, BECK, RYE, CRAWFORD, C. COOPER, SLAPE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 292 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 292. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 292, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 309

Amend Senate Bill No. 309 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Page 2, delete line 4, and substitute the following:
"the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and consistent with guidelines issued by the United States Preventive Services Task Force."

AND

Page 4, delete line 8, and substitute the following:
"the Secretary of the Department of Health in consultation with the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and consistent with guidelines issued by the United States Preventive Services Task Force;"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE F. ALLEN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 309, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 309
As Engrossed: S3/2/21 S3/15/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, L. EADS, ELLIOTT, J. ENGLISH, TEAGUE, C. TUCKER, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR COVERAGE FOR COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 309. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 346

Amend Senate Bill No. 346 as engrossed, S3/16/21:

Page 3, line 1, delete "In accordance with" and substitute "Pursuant to"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 through 9, and substitute the following:
"audiovisual media."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following: "visual media, and audiovisual media as provided under this section."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 4, line 5, delete "less to" and substitute "less of personnel and equipment time to"

AND

Page 4, delete line 14, and substitute the following: "not exceed twenty dollars ($20.00) per hour on a prorated basis for each hour of running time of audio media, visual media, or audiovisual media provided to the requestor; and"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BECK

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 346, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 346 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 346
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 S3/15/21 S3/16/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER, D. WALLACE,
J. ENGLISH, GILMORE, M. JOHNSON, HICKEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BECK, BENTLEY, SLAPE, CHRISTIANSEN,
HOLLOWELL, C. COOPER, TOSH, GAZAWAY, RYE, MADDOX, M. MCELROY,
DALBY, EVANS, WATSON, WOOTEN, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING THE USE OF AUDIO MEDIA, VISUAL MEDIA, AND AUDIOVISUAL
MEDIA BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, DISPATCH CENTERS, PUBLIC
SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS, JAILS, AND DETENTION CENTERS; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 346 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 346.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Wallace.
Total .......................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Tucker.
Total .......................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Flowers moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 346 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 346 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 15, 2021.

On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 346 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 346
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 S3/15/21 S3/16/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATORS RAPERT, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, K. HAMMER, D. WALLACE,
                J. ENGLISH, GILMORE, M. JOHNSON, HICKEY
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES BECK, BENTLEY, SLEPE, CHRISTIANSEN,
           HOLLOWELL, C. COOPER, TOSH, GAZAWAY, RYE, MADDOX, M. MCELROY,
              DALBY, EVANS, WATSON, WOOTEN, VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING THE USE OF AUDIO MEDIA, VISUAL MEDIA, AND AUDIOVISUAL
MEDIA BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, DISPATCH CENTERS, PUBLIC
SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS, JAILS, AND DETENTION CENTERS; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 346 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 346.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Davis, Dismang,
Eads, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill,
Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan,
Teague, Wallace.

Total ...........................................................................................................27

NEGATIVE:  Clark.

Total ..................................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.

Total ..............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ..............................................................................................................6
Total number of votes cast: 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill: 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 402 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 402

Amend Senate Bill No. 402 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Page 2, delete lines 12 through 15, and substitute the following:

(a) The Division of Arkansas Heritage shall accept applications for grant funds for the Arkansas Cultural Institutions Trust Fund beginning November 1, 2021.
(b) Applications for grants from the fund shall be reviewed by the Arkansas Cultural Institutions Trust Fund Review Committee in accordance with rules established under § 13-8-303.
(c) The committee shall:
(1) Be created by the Secretary of the Department of Parks, Heritage, and Tourism in accordance with rules established under § 13-8-303; and

(2) Include the:
   (A) Director of the Division of Arkansas Heritage;
   (B) Director of the Tourism Division; and
   (C) Director of an accredited museum within the Division of Arkansas Heritage.

(d) In accordance with rules under § 13-8-303, in evaluating applications, the committee shall consider factors, including without limitation the following:
   (1) The estimated economic and tourism impact of the project;
   (2) Availability of other project funding sources; and
   (3) Overall project cost.

(e) After individual review, the committee shall meet to discuss award recommendations based on the amount of funding available.

(f) The recommendations of the committee shall be submitted to the secretary for approval."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 402, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 402 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 402
As Engrossed: S3/15/21 H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. DISMAN, K. INGRAM, T. GARNER, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS TRUST FUND ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 402 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 402. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.
Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 as engrossed, S3/23/21:

Page 1, line 11, delete "FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT" and substitute "FUNDAMENTAL INDIVIDUAL RIGHT"

AND

Page 1, line 13, delete "PERSONS" and substitute "PERSON"

AND

Page 1, line 21, delete "FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT" and substitute "FUNDAMENTAL INDIVIDUAL RIGHT"

AND

Page 1, line 23, delete "ACCESSORIES" and substitute "ACCESSORIES."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 17, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. An additional amendment is added to the Arkansas Constitution to read as follows:

§ 1. Fundamental individual right to keep and bear arms, ammunition, and accessories.

(a) The citizens of this State have a fundamental individual right to keep and bear arms, ammunition, and accessories typical to the normal function of such arms, for the defense of their homes, person, family, and property, for their common and individual defense, and for hunting and recreational purposes.

(b) The rights guaranteed by this section shall not be denied nor infringed by the State of Arkansas or any political subdivision of the State of Arkansas. The rights guaranteed by this section are unalienable. Any and all restrictions of the rights guaranteed by this section shall be subject to strict scrutiny, and the State of Arkansas and all political subdivisions of the State of Arkansas shall uphold and defend the rights guaranteed by this section and shall under no circumstances decline to protect against their infringement.

(c) This amendment shall not be construed to affect, interpret, or in any way
address Article 2, § 5, of this Constitution regarding the right to bear arms."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 28 through 32, and substitute the following:
"Provide that Citizens of the State of Arkansas Have a Fundamental Individual Right to Keep and Bear Arms, Ammunition, and Accessories Typical to the Normal Function of Such Arms, For the Defense of Their Homes, Person, Family, and Property, For Their Common and Individual Defense, and for Hunting and Recreational Purposes".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 13 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 566 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 566

Amend Senate Bill No. 566 as engrossed, S4/13/21:

Page 2, line 1, delete "January 1" and substitute "June 22"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WALLACE
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 566 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 582

Amend Senate Bill No. 582 as engrossed, S4/8/21:

Delete the title in its entirety, and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND HOW COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TAKE THE OATH; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLL WORKERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:
"TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND HOW COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TAKE THE OATH; AND TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS."

AND

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety

AND
Delete SECTION 4 in its entirety
AND
Delete SECTION 5 in its entirety
AND
Delete SECTION 6 in its entirety
AND
Delete SECTION 7 in its entirety
AND
Page 5, line 27, delete "person receiving" and substitute "person required to receive"
AND
Delete SECTION 11 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 7-5-202(a)(2), concerning service as an election official, deputy county clerk, or additional deputy, is amended to read as follows:

(2) A person shall not serve as an election official if:
   (A) The person is:
       (i) Married to or related within the second degree of consanguinity to a candidate running for office in the election;
       (ii) The spouse of a member of a county board of election commissioners, except the spouse of a member of a county board of election commissioners may work as a poll worker if no objection is made to his or her service as a poll worker to the county board of election commissioners within ten (10) calendar days after posting the list of officials; or
       (iii) A county party chair or his or her spouse, except the county party chair or his or her spouse may work as a poll worker if no objection is made to his or her service to the county board of election commissioners within ten (10) calendar days after posting the list of officials; and
   (B) Another person makes an objection to his or her service to the county board of election commissioners within ten (10) calendar days after posting the list of officials."

AND

 Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 639 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 639

Amend Senate Bill No. 639 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Cloud as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 3, delete lines 23 through 26, and substitute the following:
"et seq., shall provide coverage for off-label use of intravenous immunoglobulin, also known as "IVIG", to treat individuals diagnosed with pediatric acute-onset neuropsychiatric syndrome and pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated with streptococcal infection, or both, on or after January 1, 2022, under a patient-specific treatment plan established by the Childhood Post-infectious Autoimmune Encephalopathy Clinic established by the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in collaboration with Arkansas Children's Hospital."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered engrossed.

SENATE BILL NO. 692
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASK FORCE ON THE EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE TALENT PIPELINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 692 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Bill No. 26 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 26
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REDUCED SALES AND USE TAX RATE FOR UTILITIES USED BY MANUFACTURERS; TO APPLY A REDUCED SALES AND USE TAX RATE TO SALES OF COAL FOR USE IN MANUFACTURING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 26 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 26. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................................. 1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 26 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 181 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 181
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALES TAX HOLIDAY; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN ELECTRONIC DEVICES DURING THE SALES TAX HOLIDAY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 181 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 181. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................33
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 181, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 181 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 244 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 244
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE SALES TAX TREATMENT OF CERTAIN PURCHASES BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS" FOR PURPOSES OF THE SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS PURCHASED BY A SCHOOL; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 244 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 244. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 244, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 244 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 248 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 248
As Engrossed:  S2/8/21  S3/3/21  S4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FOOD FREEDOM ACT; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN PRODUCERS OF HOMEMADE FOOD OR DRINK PRODUCTS FROM LICENSURE, CERTIFICATION, AND INSPECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 248 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................23

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Flowers, Hickey, Sample.

Total ........................................................................................................4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Chesterfield, Dismang, Irvin, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................................5

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Gilmore.

Total ........................................................................................................2

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................29

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 353  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ELIMINATING DEBTORS’ PRISONS; TO ABATE OR ELIMINATE THE COLLECTION OF OUTSTANDING MISDEMEANOR FINES, FEES, AND COSTS ORDERED TO BE PAID BY A PERSON WHO IS IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; TO CREATE A TASK FORCE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 353 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 353. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 26

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 1


Total ................................................................. 8
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 353, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ................................................................................................................ 1


Total ................................................................................................................. 8

Total number of votes cast.................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........................................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 405 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 405
As Engrossed: S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, GILMORE, D. WALLACE, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RYE, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH JOHN R. "JOHNNY" CASH DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 405 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 31

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Dismang, Sample.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 405 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 539 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 539
As Engrossed: S4/8/21 S4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF WAGES; TO ESTABLISH PARAMETERS REGARDING THE RECOUPEMENT OF OVERPAYMENTS BY EMPLOYERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 539 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................13

Total ......................................................................................... 16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, English, B. Johnson, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 564 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 564
As Engrossed: S3/29/21 S4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, CALDWELL,
L. CHESTERFIELD, B. DAVIS, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, GILMORE, J. HENDREN,
HESTER, K. INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, G. LEDING,
G. STUBBLEFIELD, J. STURCH, TEAGUE, C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, BROWN, COZART, EUBANKS, D. GARNER,
GODFREY, MCCULLOUGH, MURDOCK, SPEAKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS TUTORING CORPS ACT; TO SUPPORT THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A SUSTAINABLE TUTORING PROGRAM IN RESPONSE TO LEARNING LOSS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 564 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 564. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 564, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0


Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 564 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 587 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 587

As Engrossed:  S4/5/21 S4/8/21

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY:  SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE BOARD; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 587 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 587.

Motion carried.


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 587, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 587 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 620 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY USED AS A POLLING PLACE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLLING PLACES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 620 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 620. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 620 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 626 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 626
As Engrossed: S4/13/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOYD, SCOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BAIL BOND TRANSPARENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 626 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 626. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE: Sturch.
Total ......................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 626 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 629 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 629
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING; TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT HAS EXPERIENCED A DECLINE IN AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP TO RECEIVE BOTH DECLINING ENROLLMENT FUNDING AND SPECIAL NEEDS ISOLATED FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 629 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 629. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 629 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 659 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 659
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE NORTHEAST ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT, INC.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 659 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson spoke against the bill.
Senator Caldwell spoke for the bill.
Senator Ingram spoke against the bill.
Senator Wallace closed for the bill.


Total ......................................................................................... 16


Total ......................................................................................... 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark, Dismang, Eads, Gilmore, Rapert, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

** ** ** ** ** ** EXPUNGED** ** ** ** ** **

Senator Wallace moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 659 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 659 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 15, 2021.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 680 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 680
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRAGG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TAX CREDIT FOR ELIGIBLE CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO A SPONSOR-GRA NTING ORGANIZATION UNDER THE PHILANTHROPIC INVESTMENT IN ARKANSAS KIDS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................25

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ..........................................................6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch, Teague.

Total ..........................................................2

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ..........................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.

Total ..........................................................1

Total number of votes cast...........................................32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 680 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1499 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1499 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

Adopted in Committee - April 14, 2021

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1499

Amend House Bill No. 1499 as engrossed, S4/14/21:

Add Senator B. Ballinger as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 9, delete line 30, and substitute the following:

“funding to the multidisciplinary team facilitators.

(e)(1) A multidisciplinary team shall have the majority consent for hiring and terminating the multidisciplinary team's multidisciplinary team facilitator.

(2) A multidisciplinary team shall consult with the Children's Advocacy Centers of Arkansas concerning the hiring or termination of the multidisciplinary team's multidisciplinary team facilitator.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1499 was ordered engrossed.
April 15, 2021

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, House Bill No. 1156.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SHERRI STACKS
Chief Clerk
House Bill No. 1156 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1156 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.
April 15, 2021

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, House Bill No. 1641.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SHERRI STACKS
Chief Clerk
House Bill No. 1641 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1641 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1374 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1374
As Engrossed: H2/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS, JETT
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WHEN CERTAIN SALES BY CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS ARE EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX; TO AMEND THE CRITERIA TO DETERMINE WHEN A SALE BY A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION COMPetes WITH A SALE BY A FOR-PROFIT BUSINESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1374 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1374. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1374 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1388 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388
As Engrossed: H2/25/21  H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR VOLUNTARY POST-ADOPTION CONTACT AGREEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1388 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1388. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast…………………………………………………………34
Necessary to the passage of the bill …………………………………………18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1388 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1422 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1422 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1422. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1422 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Hickey moved the plexiglass in the Senate be removed. Motion passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1463 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1463
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL REGULATION OF RESIDENTIAL BUILDING DESIGN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1463 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1463. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:
   Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
   Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:
   Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1463 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1517 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD  
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE VOTER INTEGRITY AND VOTER REGISTRATION MODERNIZATION ACT OF 2021; TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC VOTER REGISTRATION; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 51; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1517 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total …………………………………………………………………………….18


Total …………………………………………………………………………….13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Rapert, Sturch.

Total …………………………………………………………………………….3

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total …………………………………………………………………………….1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total …………………………………………………………………………….0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................24

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Wallace moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1517 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1517 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 15, 2021.

On motion of Senator Ingram, House Bill No. 1467 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS LIFELINE INDIVIDUAL VERIFICATION EFFORT CORPORATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1467 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ingram moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1467. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1467 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1518 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
House Bill No. 1518 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1518. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Pitsch.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1518 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1525 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1525
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL POSSESSION, TRANSPORTATION, AND USE OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the bill was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1560 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1560
As Engrossed: H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REMOVAL OR IMMOBILIZATION OF UNATTENDED OR ABANDONED VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1560 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1560. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch. Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1560 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1582 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1582
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. HODGES, L. JOHNSON, CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A MULTIYEAR LICENSE OR REGISTRATION FOR A PHYSICIAN BY THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1582 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1582. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1582 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1689 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1689  
As Engrossed: H3/29/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES VAUGHT, GAZAWAY, M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE STUDY ON MENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1689 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1689. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:  
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.  
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1689 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1718 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, SCOTT
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TRUST CODE CONCERNING CREDITOR CLAIMS AGAINST PROPERTY HELD IN SPENDTHRIFT AND DISCRETIONARY TRUSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1718 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1718. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1718 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1721 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1721
As Engrossed:  H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, CLOWNEY
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, BLEDSOE, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS PHOENIX ACT OF 2021"; CONCERNING THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR OFFENSES INVOLVING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE; CONCERNING THE TRAINING GIVEN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FOR SITUATIONS IN WHICH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IS SUSPECTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1721 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1721. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
  Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1721 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1736 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1736
As Engrossed: H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FURMAN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHT OF A JUVENILE TO REMAIN IN FOSTER CARE AFTER REACHING THE AGE OF MAJORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1736 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1736. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ............................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch............................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: ........................................................................ 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1736 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1525 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1739 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1739
As Engrossed: H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BROOKS, BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, C. COOPER, CRAWFORD, MILLIGAN, RICHMOND, RYE, SCOTT, B. SMITH, WING, WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE VIOLATION OF A NO CONTACT ORDER ISSUED BY A COURT IN RELATION TO CERTAIN OFFENSES, INCLUDING SEX TRAFFICKING-RELATED AND TERRORISTIC THREATENING OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1739 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1739. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1739 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1741 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CONDITIONS OF RELEASE ON BAIL FOR PERSONS ARRESTED FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING-RELATED OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1741 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1741. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1741 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1743 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1743
As Engrossed: H3/30/21 H4/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; TO AUTHORIZE TAX CREDITS OR REBATES TO BE ISSUED UNDER THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; TO EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE FOR THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1743 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1743. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: 

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1743 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1779 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE IDENTIFICATION AND ELIMINATION OF UNUSED AND UNNECESSARY POSITIONS FROM THE BUDGETS OF STATE AGENCIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1779 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1779. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 29

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hickey.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott.

Total ................................................................. 3

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1779, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total .......................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hickey.

Total .......................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott.

Total .......................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast........................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1779 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1499 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1802 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1802
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING UNFAIR PRACTICES RELATED TO RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE REPAIR CONTRACTS; TO PROHIBIT A PROMISE TO PAY OR TO REBATE AN INSURANCE POLICY DEDUCTIBLE UNDER A RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE REPAIR CONTRACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1802 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Dismang, M. Johnson, Rapert.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Flippo, Flowers, Gilmore,
Total ........................................................................................... 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Davis, Hendren, Hickey,
Ingram, Irving, Leding, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch.
Total ......................................................................................... 12

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Ballinger, Eads, Elliott, English, Garner, Hammer,
B. Johnson.
Total ........................................................................................... 7

Total number of votes cast..................................................................... 22
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator M. Johnson moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which
House Bill No. 1802 failed be expunged.

By voice vote, the motion failed. Senator M. Johnson requested a roll call.
Five hands were seen. Roll call ensued:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Clark, Eads, Elliott, Flippo, Garner,
Total ........................................................................................... 15
NEGATIVE: Flowers, Hill, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, English, Gilmore, Hendren, Hester, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, Leding, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield.
Total ......................................................................................... 16

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 18
Necessary to the passage of the motion ....................................... 18

The motion to expunge the vote failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1802 was returned to the House as having failed to pass.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1811 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, WATSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A TOW BUSINESS TO GIVE PUBLIC NOTICE IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO ALLOW PUBLIC NOTICE TO BE GIVEN ON A WEBSITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1811 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1811. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total .............................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1811 was returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1845 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1845
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING MICROBREWERY-RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUBS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ADVERTISING BY MICROBREWERY-RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUBS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1845 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

        Total ..............................................................................................16

         Total ..............................................................................................8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Flippo, Irvin, Stubblefield, Sturch, Teague.
        Total ..............................................................................................6

EXCUSED:  Pitsch.
        Total ..............................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  Ballinger, Clark, Flowers, Rice.
        Total ..............................................................................................4

Total number of votes cast .................................................................28
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18
So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Leding moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1845 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1845 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 15, 2021.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1853 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1853
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; TO PROVIDE CLARITY, EQUITY, AND CONSISTENCY IN THE PROCUREMENT LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1853 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1853. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................................................ 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.

Total ............................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1853 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1865 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE TRAINING CONCERNING A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER'S DUTY TO INTERVENE WHEN THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OBSERVES THE USE OF EXCESSIVE FORCE BY ANOTHER LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1865 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1865. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Pitsch.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1865 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 15, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 13,
BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 566, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 51 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 59 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 67 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 108 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 221 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 251 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 262 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 295 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 298 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 463 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 466 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 528 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 532 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 536 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 537 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 579 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 607 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 632 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 72 was withdrawn by Senator Sturch.

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**SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 5**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: SENATOR S. FLOWERS**

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER DETECTIVE KEVIN COLLINS AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 693**

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: SENATORS HICKEY, RICE**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE BOARD; TO TRANSFER THE DUTIES OF THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM TO THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE; TO AMEND THE STATE ENTITIES TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 693 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTIONS TO CONGRATULATE MILLS UNIVERSITY STUDIES HIGH SCHOOL FOR WINNING THE CLASS 4A BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Senate Resolution No. 23 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
As Engrossed: H3/1/21/ H3/9/21 H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, GONZALES, VAUGHT, BARKER, BEATY JR., BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BOYD, BRAGG, BREAUX, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CAVENAUGH, M. DAVIS, DOTSON, L. FITE, FURMAN, M. GRAY, HOLLOWELL, M. JOHNSON, LUNDSTRUM, LYNCH, MCCOLLUM, MCGREW, MILLIGAN, PAYTON, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH, UNDERWOOD, BECK, COZART, JEAN, SPEAKS, WARDLAW, WING
BY: SENATORS HESTER, GILMORE, B. BALLINGER, B. DAVIS, RAPERT, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON, BLEDSOE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, TO BE KNOWN AS THE "CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND BALLOT INITIATIVE REFORM AMENDMENT", CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF VOTES REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF CERTAIN MEASURES PRESENTED TO VOTERS; REQUIRING THAT INITIATIVES PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, § 1, AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19,
§ 22, AND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 70, § 2, SHALL BE APPROVED WHEN RECEIVING AT LEAST SIXTY PERCENT (60%) OF THE VOTES CAST ON THE PROPOSED INITIATIVE OR PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT; AND REQUIRING THAT A MEASURE SUBJECT TO A REFERENDUM SHALL BE REPEALED IF THE MEASURE IS REJECTED BY A MAJORITY OF THE ELECTORS VOTING UPON THE MATTER.

House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012
As Engrossed: H3/30/21  H4/7/21
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SCRAP METAL DEALERS; TO REQUIRE BUYERS OF USED CATALYTIC CONVERTERS TO MAINTAIN RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1012 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1314
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1314 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1386
As Engrossed: H3/17/21 H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, PILKINGTON, MCCOLLUM, DOTSON, B. SMITH, RYE, RICHMOND, BRYANT, BENTLEY, CAVENAUGH, FURMAN, M. GRAY, HAWKS, HILLMAN, LADYMAN, LUNDSTRUM, MILLIGAN, UNDERWOOD, WOMACK
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS SECOND AMENDMENT LIBERTIES SAFEGUARDS ACT"; TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES AND PUBLIC OFFICERS TO DISREGARD UNCONSTITUTIONAL OVERREACHES OF POWER; TO PROTECT THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF ARKANSANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1386 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1391
As Engrossed: H3/31/21 H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WING, GAZAWAY, LUNDSTRUM, MCCLURE,
MCGREW, MILLIGAN, RICHARDSON, RYE, C. FITE, L. FITE
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, J. ENGLISH, K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONSUMER PROTECTION OF SENIORS FROM PREDATORY PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1391 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, BARKER, ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, IRVIN, B. SAMPLE, C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT ACT; TO INCREASE THE ANNUAL CAP ON AND EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE OF THE ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT; TO ALLOW THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE TO USE FEES COLLECTED UNDER THE ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT ACT FOR PERSONNEL COSTS RELATED TO ADMINISTERING THE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1596
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, SPEAKS
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES TAX EXEMPTIONS THAT APPLY TO CERTAIN ARTICLES; TO ALLOW THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR SALES FOR RESALE TO APPLY TO ITEMS SOLD FOR USE IN PRINTING; TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1596 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1829
As Engrossed: H4/14/21
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POSTHUMOUSLY CONCEIVED CHILDREN AS IT RELATES TO INTESTATE SUCCESSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1829 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRITICAL INCIDENT DEBRIEFING FOR FIREFIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1877 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE BLUE RIBBON TASK FORCE TO END CHILD ABUSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1894 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1907
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENABLE HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS TO MAKE APPROPRIATE BILLING DECISIONS THAT ARE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF PATIENTS; TO ESTABLISH THE BILLING IN THE BEST INTEREST OF PATIENTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1907 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1913
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE BID THRESHOLDS OF DRAINAGE DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1913 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE ARKANSAS DAY; TO CHANGE CONFEDERATE FLAG DAY TO ARKANSAS DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1916 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR REVIEW AND A SUNSET DATE FOR STATE AGENCY RULES PERTAINING TO MILK AND CATTLE PRODUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1920 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 415, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 529, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN, ACTING CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 664, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1557, BY REPRESENTATIVE MURDOCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1801, BY REPRESENTATIVE MURDOCK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

   HOUSE BILL NO. 1642, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1805, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, VICE CHAIRMAN

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 26
SENATE BILL NO. 181
SENATE BILL NO. 244
SENATE BILL NO. 248
SENATE BILL NO. 353
SENATE BILL NO. 405
SENATE BILL NO. 564
SENATE BILL NO. 587
SENATE BILL NO. 620
SENATE BILL NO. 626
SENATE BILL NO. 680
SENATE BILL NO. 629

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1374
HOUSE BILL NO. 1388
HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
HOUSE BILL NO. 1463
HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
HOUSE BILL NO. 1518
HOUSE BILL NO. 1560
HOUSE BILL NO. 1582
HOUSE BILL NO. 1689
HOUSE BILL NO. 1718
HOUSE BILL NO. 1721
HOUSE BILL NO. 1736
HOUSE BILL NO. 1739
HOUSE BILL NO. 1741
HOUSE BILL NO. 1743
HOUSE BILL NO. 1779
HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
HOUSE BILL NO. 1853
HOUSE BILL NO. 1865
HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1802

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1156
HOUSE BILL NO. 1641

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO.  51
SENATE BILL NO.  59
SENATE BILL NO.  67
SENATE BILL NO. 108
SENATE BILL NO. 221
SENATE BILL NO. 251
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SENATE BILL NO. 537
SENATE BILL NO. 579
SENATE BILL NO. 607
SENATE BILL NO. 632
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012
HOUSE BILL NO. 1314
HOUSE BILL NO. 1386
HOUSE BILL NO. 1391
HOUSE BILL NO. 1555
HOUSE BILL NO. 1596
HOUSE BILL NO. 1829
HOUSE BILL NO. 1877
HOUSE BILL NO. 1894
HOUSE BILL NO. 1907
HOUSE BILL NO. 1913
HOUSE BILL NO. 1916
HOUSE BILL NO. 1920

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, April 19, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Leding requested leave for Senator Flowers.

Senator Bledsoe requested leave for Senator Hendren. Leaves granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Pastor Jamie Staley, First Baptist Church of Crossett.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 478 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 478

Amend Senate Bill No. 478 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 18, and substitute the following: “of transportation.”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 26 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 32

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 676 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 676

Amend Senate Bill No. 676 as originally introduced:

Add Senator T. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representative Maddox as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:

"(3) “Sexual abuse” means the commission of one (1) or more of the following acts or offenses:

(A) Rape, § 5-14-103;
(B) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;
(C) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125;
(D) Engaging children in sexually explicit conduct for use in visual or print medium, § 5-27-303;
(E) Transportation of minors for prohibited sexual conduct, § 5-27-305;
(F) Use of children in sexual performances, § 5-27-401 et seq.;
(G) Unlawful sexual contact with a vulnerable victim; and
(H) Unlawful sexually explicit conduct with a vulnerable victim;

(4) "Sexual contact" means the same as defined in § 5-14-101; and
(5) "Sexually explicit conduct" means the same as in § 5-27-302; and
(6) "Vulnerable victim" means a person who was either disabled."
AND

Page 2, delete lines 21 through 24, and substitute the following:

"(d) The court may award actual damages, compensatory damages, punitive"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 676 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1525 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1525

Amend House Bill No. 1525 as engrossed, H4/7/21:

Page 2, delete lines 4 through 6, and substitute the following:

"(2) Transport medical marijuana in an amount greater than five ounces (5 oz.) unless the person is a licensed transporter, is employed by a cultivation facility or dispensary licensed by the Medical Marijuana Commission, and is in possession"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSoE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1525 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1709 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1709

Amend House Bill No. 1709 as engrossed, S4/15/21:

Add Senators Flippo, Hill, Irvin, Rapert, Rice, D. Wallace as cosponsors of the bill
AND
Add Representative B. Smith as a cosponsor of the bill
AND
Page 2, delete lines 20 through 29
AND
Immediately following SECTION 1, add an additional section to read as follows:
"SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1709 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1880 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1880

Amend House Bill No. 1880 as originally introduced:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1880 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 15, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 568 - ACT 721
Senate Bill No. 307 - ACT 722
Senate Bill No. 603 - ACT 723
Senate Bill No. 580 - ACT 724
Senate Bill No. 153 - ACT 725
Senate Bill No. 69 - ACT 726
Senate Bill No. 488 - ACT 727
Senate Bill No. 486 - ACT 728
Senate Bill No. 487 - ACT 729

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 16, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 166 - ACT 738
- Senate Bill No. 542 - ACT 739

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 67, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 108, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 221, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 251, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY SENATORS RAPERT & B. JOHNSON
SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 298, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, ET AL
SENATE BILL NO. 463, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 466, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 528, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 532, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 536, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 537, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 579, BY SENATORS BALLINGER & STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 607, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 632, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON, ET AL,
report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 8:54 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO.  51
SENATE BILL NO.  59
SENATE BILL NO.  67
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SENATE BILL NO. 579
SENATE BILL NO. 607
SENATE BILL NO. 632
RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this nineteenth day of April, 2021 at 8:54 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 478, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:  
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:  

SENATE BILL NO. 676, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,  

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON  
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 676 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1525 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1709, BY REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1880, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1709 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1880 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 336, BY SENATOR M. JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1314, BY REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1469, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

  HOUSE BILL NO. 1513, BY REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS,
  HOUSE BILL NO. 1555, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
  HOUSE BILL NO. 1596, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
  HOUSE BILL NO. 1684, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE JONESBORO GIRLS AND BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS FOR THEIR SUCCESS IN WINNING THE 5A STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Senate Resolution No. 24 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL NO. 694
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO DEVELOP AN ASYNCHRONOUS MODULE ON THE CONCEPTS OF PERSONAL FINANCE AND MACROECONOMICS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO STUDENTS ENROLLED IN INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 694 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 695
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING THE TYPE AND MANNER OF NOTICE OF A PROPOSED ASSESSMENT THAT MUST BE GIVEN TO A TAXPAYER; TO DEFINE "SERVICE OF NOTICE" FOR PURPOSES OF A PROPOSED ASSESSMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 695 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
SENATE BILL NO. 696
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A FIRE DEPARTMENT APPLICANT TO SUBMIT TO A BACKGROUND CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 696 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 697
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING RESIDENT HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE MAXIMUM RESIDENT HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE FEES CHARGED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION; TO REQUIRE REVIEW BY AND REPORTS TO THE GAME AND FISH/STATE POLICE SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 697 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
SENATE BILL NO. 698
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BAIL BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Chesterfield, Senate Resolution No. 23 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE MILLS UNIVERSITY STUDIES HIGH SCHOOL FOR WINNING THE CLASS 4A BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Senate Resolution No. 23 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 155 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 155

Amend Senate Bill No. 155 as engrossed, S2/3/21:

Add Representatives Brooks, Ennett as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 155, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Davis, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 155 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 155
As Engrossed: S1/21/21 S2/3/21 H3/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, PILKINGTON, CLOUD, LADYMAN,
SCOTT, HAAK, VAUGHT, BROOKS, ENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH LILA’S LAW; TO
PROHIBIT DISCRIMINATION AGAINST INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES
REGARDING ACCESS TO ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION; TO REQUIRE
COVERED ENTITIES TO MAKE REASONABLE MODIFICATIONS TO POLICIES,
PRACTICES, AND PROCEDURES; TO PROVIDE AUXILIARY AIDS AND
SERVICES DURING THE ORGAN TRANSPLANTATION PROCESS; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 155 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 155.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 415 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 415

Amend Senate Bill No. 415 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"Policies Act of 1970, 42 U.S.C. § 4601 et seq., as it existed on January 1, 2021, undertakes any program or"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36, and substitute the following:

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BEATY, JR.

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 415, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Beckham, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 415 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 415
As Engrossed: H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 415 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 415. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .............................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 415 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 555 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 555

Amend Senate Bill No. 555 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete lines 6 through 31, and substitute the following:
"(d) An employer has the right to:
(1) Prohibit a person who is not an employee from storing a firearm in an employee's motor vehicle in the private employer's parking lot; and
(2) Prohibit an employee entering the private employer's place of
business or parking lot because the employee’s private motor vehicle contains a firearm in the following circumstances:

(A) The parking lot is on the grounds of an owner-occupied single-family detached residence or a tenant-occupied single-family detached residence and the single-family detached residence or tenant-occupied single-family detached residence is being used as a residence;

(B) The private employer reasonably believes that the employee is in illegal possession of the firearm;

(C) The employee is operating a private employer-owned motor vehicle during and in the course of the employee’s duties on behalf of the private employer, unless the employee is required to transport or store a firearm as part of the employee’s duties;

(D) The private motor vehicle is not permitted in the parking lot for reasons unrelated to the employee’s transportation, storage, or possession of a firearm;

(E) The employee is the subject of an active or pending employment disciplinary proceeding; or

(F) The employee has been adjudicated mentally incompetent or not guilty in a legal proceeding by reason of mental disease or defect.”

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 555, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 555 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 555
As Engrossed: H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OR STORAGE OF A PERSON’S FIREARM WHEN A PERSON LEAVES HIS OR HER FIREARM INSIDE OF HIS OR HER CAR IN HIS OR HER EMPLOYER’S PARKING LOT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 555 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 555. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 28

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ................................................................. 1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 555 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 452 was placed back on
second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 452

Amend Senate Bill No. 452 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 14 and 15, and substitute the following:
"number of people in the city;

(iii) Accept recommendations from the city for
redistricting city ward lines;

(iv) Where practical, create consistency with other
political boundary lines;

(v) Use the most recent federal decennial census data to
establish the city ward lines;

(vi) Seek reimbursement from the city for the costs
associated with reapportionment or redrawing of city ward lines; and

(vii) Notify the city clerk of the new ward"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 18 and 19, and substitute the following:
"(c) Accept recommendations from the city for
redistricting city ward lines;

(d) Where practical, create consistency with other
political boundary lines;

(e) Use the most recent federal decennial census data to establish the city ward lines;
(f) Seek reimbursement from the city for the costs associated with reapportionment or redrawing of city ward lines; and

(g) Notify the city clerk of the county board

AND

Page 5, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:

"of members of the governing body to be elected from the wards;

(C) Accept recommendations from the city for redistricting city ward lines;

(D) Where practical, create consistency with other political boundary lines;

(E) Use the most recent federal decennial census data to establish the city ward lines;

(F) Seek reimbursement from the city for the costs associated with reapportionment or redrawing of city ward lines; and

(G) Notify the city clerk of the new ward designations no"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following:

"federal decennial census of the population of the city;

(iii) Accept recommendations from the city for redistricting city ward lines;

(iv) Where practical, create consistency with other political boundary lines;

(v) Use the most recent federal decennial census data to establish the city ward lines;

(vi) Seek reimbursement from the city for the costs associated with reapportionment or redrawing of city ward lines; and

(vii) Notify the city clerk of the new ward"

AND

Page 8, line 16, delete "effective." and substitute "effective;"

AND

Page 8, line 21, delete "and"

AND

Page 8, delete line 27, and substitute the following:

"the number of members of the governing body to be elected from districts;

(C) Accept recommendations from the city for redistricting city ward lines;

(D) Use the most recent federal decennial census data to establish the city ward lines;

(E) Seek reimbursement from the city for the costs associated with reapportionment or redrawing of city ward lines; and

(F) Where practical, create consistency with other political boundary lines;"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 19 through 24, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 6. DO NOT CODIFY. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 452 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 501 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 501

Amend Senate Bill No. 501 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, "PUNISHMENT" and substitute "PUNISHMENT WITHOUT PARENTAL CONSENT"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CORPORAL PUNISHMENT WITHOUT PARENTAL CONSENT ON A CHILD WHO HAS AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM."

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "corporal punishment" and substitute "corporal punishment, without consent from a parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis of a child."

AND

Page 1, delete line 35, and substitute the following:
“seq., as it existed on January 1, 2021.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-18-503(b)(3), concerning written student discipline policies, is amended to read as follows:

(3) A school district that authorizes use of corporal punishment under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall not:

(A) Use corporal punishment without consent from a parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis of a child on a child who is:

(i) Is intellectually disabled, nonambulatory, nonverbal, or autistic; or

(ii) Has an individualized education program in accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1400 et seq., as it existed on January 1, 2021; or

(B) Include in its written student discipline policy a provision to allow the use of corporal punishment without consent from a parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis of a child on a child who is:

(i) Is intellectually disabled, nonambulatory, nonverbal, or autistic; or

(ii) Has an individualized education program in accordance with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1400 et seq., as it existed on January 1, 2021.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 501 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 529 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 529

Amend Senate Bill No. 529 as engrossed, S3/22/21:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 18-27-302(1), concerning the definition of "dealer" as it pertains to the Dealer in Secondhand Goods Reform and Disclosure Act, is amended to read as follows:
(1)(A) “Dealer” means an individual or entity that is engaged in the business of:

(A)(i) Lending money upon the security of an article of personal property that is retained by the individual or entity until:

(i)(a) The loan is repaid; or
(ii)(b) The time to repay the loan has expired; or

(B)(ii) Purchasing other than at wholesale or retail an article of personal property for resale in any form.

(B) “Dealer” includes a pawnbroker:

(i) Who is licensed by the Pawnbroker Licensure Commission under the Arkansas Pawnbroker Act, § 17-56-101 et seq.; or
(ii) As defined under § 18-27-204;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 18-27-302, concerning definitions as they pertain to the Dealer in Secondhand Goods Reform and Disclosure Act, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(5) "Fair market value" means the price a willing buyer would pay a willing seller after considering all factors in the marketplace that influence the price of property; and

(6) "Full restitution" means the higher of the following:

(A) The fair market value of the identifiable stolen property; or
(B) The amount for which the identifiable stolen property was sold.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 18-27-303 is amended to read as follows:


(a)(1) An owner of stolen personal property may request that a dealer return the stolen property without charge to the owner or provide full restitution by signing and following the terms of the affidavit in favor of the dealer as described in § 18-27-304(b).

(2)(A) An affidavit described under § 18-27-304(b) shall be filed with the local law enforcement agency having jurisdiction along with reporting to the law enforcement agency and filing any required documents proving that the owner has located his or her stolen property in the possession of the dealer.

(B) The report to law enforcement described under subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section is not a presumption that the dealer received the stolen property in an unlawful manner.

(3) An owner who knowingly files a false affidavit or false police report is subject to prosecution.

(b) Unless reasonable cause exists, within seven (7) days after the later of the receipt of an affidavit described in § 18-27-304(b) and the written release, either conditional or outright, of any property hold issued by any law enforcement agency with respect to the identifiable stolen property, a dealer shall:

(1) Deliver the identifiable stolen property to the owner or, if the identifiable stolen property was sold to a third party before the dealer received the affidavit described in § 18-27-304(b) and the written release, pay the owner of the stolen personal property full restitution; or

(2) File a legal action in a court of competent jurisdiction to determine ownership.

(c) If the dealer refuses to make an election under subsection (b) of this section, the owner may file a replevin action to recover the property and the court may award and apportion costs and attorney's fees as appropriate under the facts of the case."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 529 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 551 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 551

Amend Senate Bill No. 551 as engrossed, S4/5/21:

Page 1, delete line 19, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 4-75-702, concerning definitions in the Unfair Cigarette Sales Act, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(15) "Rebate" means a payment made by a seller of cigarettes to a purchaser of cigarettes after the sale that serves as a discount or return of part of an amount previously given in payment by the purchaser of cigarettes.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 4-75-708(b) and (c), concerning the use of"

AND

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:

"wholesaler to give a rebate if the rebate is paid by check or electronic direct deposit and does not result in a sale at less"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 551 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 615 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 615

Amend Senate Bill No. 615 as originally introduced:

Add Senator D. Sullivan as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 26, and substitute the following: "that an individual has been vaccinated against coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19)."

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "employment."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 615 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 617 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 617

Amend Senate Bill No. 617 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 2, delete "hospital,"

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete "hospital,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 640 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 640

Amend Senate Bill No. 640 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Penzo as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 30, and substitute the following:

"(a) Section 1 of this act becomes effective only if the Consumer Protection"
AND

Page 1, delete line 32, and substitute the following: "becomes law on or before January 1, 2026.

(b) This act shall not be effective if the Consumer Protection for Medical Debt Collections Practices Act, H.R. 5330, 116th Cong. (2019), does not become law on or before January 1, 2026."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 640 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 657 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 657

Amend Senate Bill No. 657 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following: "SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-101-302, concerning exceptions to the certificate of number requirement for motorboats, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(7) A boat that is powered solely by sails."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 657 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 689 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 689

Amend Senate Bill No. 689 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 11 through 15, and substitute the following:

“(a) A municipality shall not issue bonds for the sole purpose of paying storm recovery costs related to a storm unless:

(1) The Arkansas Public Service Commission has previously adopted a financing order that allows for the issuance of storm recovery bonds by a public utility due to the same storm; or

(2) Upon request to the commission for an emergency storm declaration.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 689 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1439 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1439

Amend House Bill No. 1439 as originally introduced:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1439 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1439 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1439

Amend House Bill No. 1439 as originally introduced:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 35, and substitute the following:

"(F) A dentist, or dental hygienist, or dental assistant;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

Page 2, delete line 5, and substitute the following:

"(L) A healthcare professional who is licensed, certified, or registered under Subtitle 3 of Title 17 of the Arkansas Code;
(M) A dietitian or an individual who offers dietary"

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete "(M)" and substitute "(N)"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "(A)-(K) (A)-(L)" and substitute "(A)-(L)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1439 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1611 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1611

Amend House Bill No. 1611 as originally introduced:

Add Senators J. Hendren, Irvin as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1611 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1702 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1702

Amend House Bill No. 1702 as originally introduced:

Add Senator C. Tucker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 32, and substitute the following: "amended to add an additional section to read as follows:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 10

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1702 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1740 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1740

Amend House Bill No. 1740 as engrossed, H4/1/21:

Page 3, delete line 20, and substitute the following:
"that the minor can be enticed or induced into a future sex trafficking act with a person."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 25 through 34, and substitute the following:

(a) As used in this section, "travels" means to leave one's residence or locality to go away on a trip, tour, or journey.

(b) A person commits traveling for the purpose of an unlawful sex act with a minor if the person is eighteen (18) years of age or older and knowingly travels for the purpose of engaging in an unlawful sex act with a minor or a person he or she believes is a minor.

(c) Traveling for the purpose of an unlawful sex act with a minor is a Class B felony.

(d) It is an affirmative defense to prosecution under this section that the actor was not more than three (3) years older than the victim.

(e) Consent is not a defense to prosecution under this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1740 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 506 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 506
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MEMBERS OF A PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 506 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 506. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 506 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 566 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 566
As Engrossed: S4/13/21 S4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, M. HODGES, RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: A N ACT TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “PROJECT COSTS” UNDER THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO EXTEND THE TIME PERIOD DURING WHICH PROJECT COSTS MAY BE INCURRED FOR CERTAIN RETENTION TAX CREDIT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 566 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 566. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast...............................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 566 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 582
As Engrossed: S4/8/21 S4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, BARKER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND HOW COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TAKE THE OATH; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLL WORKERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 582 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 582.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as
passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 612 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 612
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING THE REMOTE
TESTIMONY OF A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 612 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 612. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................33

NEGATIVE: ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ..........................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ..........................................................2

VOTING PRESENT: ..........................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 612 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the Senate was requested to return Senate Bill No. 252 for further consideration.

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 252.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, DIRECTOR
Secretary of Senate
On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 469 for further consideration.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 29 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 29 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 459 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 459 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 461 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 461 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 468 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 468 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 507 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 507 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 522 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 522 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 545 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 545 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 558 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 558 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 618 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 618
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ACCEPTANCE OF CERTAIN FEDERAL BENEFITS PROMOTING VOCATIONAL EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 618 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 618. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 618 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 638 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 638
As Engrossed: S4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS MILITARY CHILD SCHOOL TRANSITIONS ACT OF 2021; TO ADVANCE ACHIEVEMENT OF EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS ON BEHALF OF CHILDREN OF MILITARY FAMILIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 638 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 638. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ............................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ............................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Hendren.

Total ............................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ............................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 638 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 639 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 639
As Engrossed: S4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OFF-LABEL USE OF DRUG TREATMENTS TO TREAT PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH PEDIATRIC ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME AND PEDIATRIC AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 639 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 639. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 641 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 641
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BOND COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 641 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 641. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ..................................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 641 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 654 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 654
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE PERIOD OF A VISITING QUALIFYING PATIENT REGISTRY IDENTIFICATION CARD FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 654 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 654. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 25

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin, Rice, Teague.
Total .......................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Davis, Hammer, M. Johnson, Rapert.
Total .......................................................... 5

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 24
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 654 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 663 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 663
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; TO DEFER THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES CONCERNING THE HOSPITALS WITHOUT WALLS PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 663 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 663. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 663, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

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Senate Bill No. 663 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 569 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 569
As Engrossed: S4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. BERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 569 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 569. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 569 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 669 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 669
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW AUTHORIZING LOCAL STANDARDS FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 669 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 669. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 31

NEGATIVE: Garner, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 669 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 592 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 592
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "BEER"; TO CHANGE THE ALLOWABLE ALCOHOLIC CONTENT IN BEER; TO INCLUDE MALT BEVERAGES WITHIN THE DEFINITION OF "BEER"; TO AMEND REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO BEER WITH AN ALCOHOL CONTENT OF NOT MORE THAN FIVE PERCENT (5%); TO SET THE MINIMUM CONTAINER SIZE OF CERTAIN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO BE SOLD FOR OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 592 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.
Senator Rapert spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Sample closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Caldwell, Garner, Ingram, M. Johnson, Sample.
Total ..............................................................................................................6

Total ........................................................................................................................................23

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, English, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................................................4

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................29

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................................................18

So the bill failed of adoption.

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Senator Sample moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 592 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 592 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 19, 2021.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 677 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 677
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 677 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 677. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 677 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Mark Johnson moved to recall House Bill No. 1802 from the House. By voice vote, the motion failed. House Bill No. 1802 was not recalled.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1179 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1179
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL PERMANENT DISQUALIFYING OFFENSE ON CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1179 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1179. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.
Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1179 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1457 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1457
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EAVES, CLOUD, BENTLEY, VAUGHT, DOTSON,
CLOWNEY, SCOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE PAISLEY’S LAW; TO AMEND THE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX LAWS; TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A STILLBORN CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1457 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke for the Bill.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1457. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1457 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1466 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1466
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE GARLAND COUNTY DISTRICT COURT; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE STATUTORY LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1466 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1466. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ....................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1466 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1497 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1497
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT EXPANDING THE PERMITTED USE OF A CERTIFIED FACILITY DOG FOR VULNERABLE WITNESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1497 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1497. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1497 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1586 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF VIDEO VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1586 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1586. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1586 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1587 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1587
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING HABITUAL OFFENDERS; REQUIRING A PERSON CONVICTED AS A HABITUAL OFFENDER TO SERVE A PERIOD OF TIME IN PRISON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1587 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1587. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1587 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1592 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1592
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS STUDENT PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1592 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................27
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1592 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1606 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1606
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COURT REPORTERS AND TRANSCRIPT FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1606 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1606. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1606 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1616 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1616
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RETIRED DISTRICT COURT JUDGES; CONCERNING APPOINTED SPECIAL JUDGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1616 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1616. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1616 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1627 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1627
As Engrossed:  H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK
BY:  SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE REVOCATION OF A CHARTER OF A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1627. Motion carried.

House Bill No. 1627 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 31

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1627 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1687 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1687**

*As Engrossed: H3/15/21  H3/16/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO**

**BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS REGARDING LOCATIONS FOR AND GEOGRAPHIC AREAS OF A HOME HEALTHCARE SERVICES AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1687 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................. 29

**NEGATIVE:** Ingram, Irvin, Teague.

Total ............................................................................................................. 3

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Hendren.

Total ............................................................................................................. 2

**VOTING PRESENT:** Gilmore.

Total ............................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1687 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1809 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1809
As Engrossed:  H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF A FAMILY IN NEED OF SERVICES CASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1809 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1809. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1809 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1810 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1810
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BEATY JR., BENTLEY, M. BERRY, CHRISTIANSEN,
EVANS, C. FITE, HAAK, HAWKS, HOLLOWELL, MCCLURE,
MILLIGAN, PAYTON, PENZO, TOLLETT
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, BECKHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN
REIMBURSEMENT RATES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR
VAGUS NERVE STIMULATION THERAPY SYSTEM DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1810 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke on the Bill.
Senator Davis closed for the Bill.

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1810.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Sample,

Total ........................................................................32
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1810 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1813 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1813
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO COUNSEL UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; CONCERNING A PUTATIVE PARENT’S RIGHT TO COUNSEL UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1813 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1813. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................33

NEGATIVE: 
Total ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ..........................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..........................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1813 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1814 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1814
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD IN CERTAIN HEARINGS HELD UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "PARENT" UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1814 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1814. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE: M. Johnson.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1814 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ingram, Senate Bill No. 661 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 661 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Ingram.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1815 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1815
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DEPENDENCY-NEGLECT PETITIONS, HEARINGS, AND THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AS IT RELATES TO A PUTATIVE PARENT UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1815 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1815. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1815 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1875 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1875
NINETY-THR D GENERL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE EARN AND
LEARN ACT; TO ALLOW INDIVIDUALS TO WORK AND EARN A PAYCHECK
WHILE ALSO FULFILLING LICENSING REQUIREMENTS AND GAINING THE
SKILLS TO FILL THE NEEDS OF AN EXPANDING WORKFORCE; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1875 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1875.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1875 was returned to the House as passed.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 113 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Eads.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 158

JBC 04/15/21 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 158 as engrossed, S4/14/21:

Page 10, line 17, delete "Commissioner" and substitute "Commissioner Secretary"

AND

Page 10, line 21, immediately following "Education" insert the following: " - Division of Elementary and Secondary Education"

AND

Page 10, line 22, immediately following "Education" insert the following: " - Division of Elementary and Secondary Education"
AND

Page 10, line 31, delete "Commissioner" and substitute "Commissioner Secretary".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 6.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 6 to SENATE BILL NO. 164
JBC 4/15/21 (1a)

Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as engrossed, S4/14/21:

Page 22, immediately following SECTION 37, insert a new section to read as follows:

"SECTION 38. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FAIR FUND TRANSFER. On July 1 of each fiscal year, or as soon as is practical, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may transfer the amount needed for distribution by the Department of Agriculture to fund fairs from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account to the Agri Fair Fund. The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022."

AND
Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the Bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 211
JBC 4/15/21 (4)

Amend Senate Bill No. 211 as engrossed, S3/8/21:

Page 19, delete lines 5 through 15 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(01) REGULAR SALARIES $18,503,906
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING 5,181,094
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION
   (A) OPER. EXPENSE 6,000,000
   (B) CONF. & TRAVEL 300,000
   (C) PROF. FEES 0
   (D) CAP. OUTLAY 4,000,000
   (E) DATA PROC. 0
(04) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS 6,000,000
(05) OVERTIME 15,000
(06) WPRCI CONNECT NURSE NAVIGATION PROGRAM EXPENSES 1,350,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED $41,350,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 393  SENATE BILL NO. 366
SENATE BILL NO. 398  SENATE BILL NO. 367
SENATE BILL NO. 403  SENATE BILL NO. 368
SENATE BILL NO. 111  SENATE BILL NO. 369
SENATE BILL NO. 359  SENATE BILL NO. 370
SENATE BILL NO. 360  SENATE BILL NO. 371
SENATE BILL NO. 361  SENATE BILL NO. 372
SENATE BILL NO. 362  SENATE BILL NO. 373
SENATE BILL NO. 364  SENATE BILL NO. 374
SENATE BILL NO. 365

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 393 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 393
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES GRANTS AND EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 393 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 393, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 398 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 398
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR FAIR FUNDING GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 398 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 398, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


   Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

   Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

   Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

   Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

   Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 398 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 403 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 403
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT FOR ACADEMIC TRAINING FOR TESTING ACHIEVEMENT FOR POOR AND MINORITY STUDENTS IN ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY AND HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 403 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 403, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total ......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
   Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
   Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
   Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 403 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 111 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 111
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 S4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 111 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 111, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 359 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 359
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 359 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ............................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 359, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 359 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 360 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 360
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 360 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ....................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ....................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ....................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 360, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............................ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 360 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 361 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 361
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR AASIS MODERNIZATION IMPLEMENTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 361 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 361, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 361 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 362 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 362
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 362 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: 
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 362, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 364 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 364
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 364 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 364, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 364 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 365 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 365
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 365 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 365, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 365 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 366 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 366
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 366 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 366, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 366 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 367 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 367
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 367 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE: 
Total .................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total .................................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 367, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 367 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 368 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 368
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 368 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 368, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 368 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 369 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 369
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 369 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 369, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 369 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 370 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 370
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 370 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 370, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 371 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 371  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 371 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 371, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........................................ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 371 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 372 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 372
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 372 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 372, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ..............................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..............................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 372 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 373 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 373
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 373 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ..........................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ..........................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..........................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 373, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 373 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 374 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 374
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 374 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


                                  Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

                                  Total ........................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

                                  Total ........................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

                                  Total ........................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

                                  Total ........................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 374, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 374 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 132
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  20


Total ...........................................................................................  8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Gilmore, Rapert, Rice.

Total ...........................................................................................  5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................28
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................27

So the Senate Bill No. 132 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 132, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................20

Total .............................................................................................8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Gilmore, Rapert, Rice.
Total .............................................................................................5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .............................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................28
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause to Senate Bill No. 132 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 363 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 363
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS, GRANTS AND PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 363 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 363. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 363, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 363 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bill. Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
HOUSE BILL NO. 1105
HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
HOUSE BILL NO. 1221

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1071 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1071 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1071, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast: 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause: 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1071 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1072 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
As Engrossed: H2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REGULATORY DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1072 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total: 33
There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1072, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ................................................................................. 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................................. 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Total number of votes cast..............................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1072 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1105 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1105
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1105 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1105, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1105 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1219 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1219 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1219, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1219 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1220 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1220 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1220, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1220 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1221 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1221  
As Engrossed: H4/8/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1221 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1221, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1221 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 158

JBC 04/15/21 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 158 as engrossed, S4/14/21:

Page 10, line 17, delete "Commissioner" and substitute "Commissioner Secretary"

AND

Page 10, line 21, immediately following "Education" insert the following: " - Division of Elementary and Secondary Education"

AND

Page 10, line 22, immediately following "Education" insert the following: " - Division of Elementary and Secondary Education"

AND

Page 10, line 31, delete "Commissioner" and substitute "Commissioner Secretary".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 164 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 6.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 6 to SENATE BILL NO. 164

Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as engrossed, S4/14/21:

Page 22, immediately following SECTION 37, insert a new section to read as follows:

"SECTION 38. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FAIR FUND TRANSFER. On July 1 of each fiscal year, or as soon as is practical, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may transfer the amount needed for distribution by the Department of Agriculture to fund fairs from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account to the Agri Fair Fund. The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the Bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 211

Amend Senate Bill No. 211 as engrossed, S3/8/21:

Page 19, delete lines 5 through 15 in their entirety and substitute the following: "(01)   REGULAR SALARIES $18,503,906
(02)   PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING 5,181,094
(03)   MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION
    (A) OPER. EXPENSE 6,000,000
    (B) CONF. & TRAVEL 300,000
    (C) PROF. FEES 0
    (D) CAP. OUTLAY 4,000,000
    (E) DATA PROC. 0
(04)   CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS 6,000,000
(05)   OVERTIME 15,000
(06)   WPRCI CONNECT NURSE NAVIGATION PROGRAM EXPENSES 1,350,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED $41,350,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered engrossed.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills. Motion carried.

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On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 393 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 393
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES GRANTS AND EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 393 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 393, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 398 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 398
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CALDWELL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR FAIR FUNDING GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 398 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total .............................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 398, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 398 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 403 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 403
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR A GRANT FOR ACADEMIC TRAINING FOR TESTING ACHIEVEMENT FOR POOR AND MINORITY STUDENTS IN ELEMENTARY, SECONDARY AND HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 403 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 403, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 403 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 111 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 111**
*As Engrossed: S3/4/21 S4/7/21*
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  **AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

Senate Bill No. 111 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 111, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 359 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 359
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 359 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 359, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................33
 Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...............24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 359 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 360 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 360
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 360 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 360, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 360 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 361 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 361
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR AASIS MODERNIZATION IMPLEMENTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 361 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 361, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 361 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 362 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 362
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 362 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: ............................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: ............................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren. ..................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: ............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 362, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total .............................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 364 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 364
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 364 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 364, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 364 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 365 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 365
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 365 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren. Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 365, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total .......................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 365 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 366 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 366
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 366 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 366, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 366 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 367 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 367
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 367 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 367, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren. Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 367 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 368 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 368
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 368 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 368, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 368 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 369 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 369
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF THE MILITARY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 369 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 369, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..............................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 369 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 370 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 370  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 370 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: 
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 370, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ............... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 371 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 371
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 371 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 371, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause........................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 371 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 372 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 372
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 372 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:                                                                                       ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:                                                                                     ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.                                                                                           ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:                                                                                               ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................................................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 372, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 372 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 373 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 373
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 373 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 373, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................................ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 373 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 374 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 374
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 374 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 374, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 374 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 132
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................. 20

Total .............................................................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Gilmore, Rapert, Rice.
Total .............................................................................................................. 5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .............................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 27

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 132, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 20


Total ........................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Clark, Gilmore, Rapert, Rice.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 363 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 363
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS, GRANTS AND PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 363 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 363. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..........................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 363, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 363 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bill. Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
HOUSE BILL NO. 1105
HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
HOUSE BILL NO. 1221

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1071 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
As Engrossed: H3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1071 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
  Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

  Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1071, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
  Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1071 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1072 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
As Engrossed: H2/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REGULATORY DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1072 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1072, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................ 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1072 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1105 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1105
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1105 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1105, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1105 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1219 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND LICENSING - BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1219 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ..............................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1219, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total .................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total .................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1219 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1220 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1220 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................0
EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ..............................................................2
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................0

Total number of votes cast ................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1220, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ..............................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total ..............................................................0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..............................................................0
EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ..............................................................2
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1220 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1221 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1221
As Engrossed: H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1221 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1221, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester,
Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Hendren.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1221 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 252 was ordered immediately returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 252 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 546 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 546 was withdrawn by Senator Garner.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 469 was ordered immediately returned from the House as requested.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 469 was withdrawn by Senator Garner.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 636 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 636 was withdrawn by Senator Rapert.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 452, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 501, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 529, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 551, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 615, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 640, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 657, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 689, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1439, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1611, BY REPRESENTATIVE ENNETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1702, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH
HOUSE BILL NO. 1740, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 699  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING
MANDATORY ELECTRONIC REPORT FILING; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 700  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS K. INGRAM, L. CHESTERFIELD, J. HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ATTORNEY
GENERAL TO PREPARE REPORTS FOR THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 700 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
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April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 158, by Joint Budget Committee,
Senate Bill No. 211, by Joint Budget Committee,
Senate Bill No. 164, by Joint Budget Committee,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson
Chairman

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Joint Budget Committee.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Joint Budget Committee.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE
COLLABORATION AMONG THE DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION, THE HIGHER
EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD, AND STATE-SUPPORTED TWO-YEAR
AND FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO STUDY THE NEED
FOR NEW POLICIES AND REVIEW CURRENT POLICIES RELATED TO
EXPANDING ACCESS TO APPLIED BACCALAUREATE AND WORKFORCE
DEGREES IN HIGH-DEMAND CAREER FIELDS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was read the first time, rules
suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1206
As Engrossed: H2/4/21 H3/18/21 H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION
FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF CORRECTION FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1206 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1456
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, CHRISTIANSEN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS RICE, BECKHAM, L. CHESTERFIELD, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HILL, K. INGRAM, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, B. SAMPLE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE RAILROAD MODERNIZATION ACT OF 2021; TO ALLOW AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR CERTAIN RAILROAD TRACK MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1456 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1508
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, LOWERY, CHRISTIANSEN, S. BERRY, BENTLEY, BREAUX, CLOUD, COLEMAN, CRAWFORD, EVANS, HOLLOWELL, MCCLURE, S. MEEKS, RYE, SLAPE, B. SMITH, S. SMITH, WOOTEN, BRYANT, WATSON
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RIOT OFFENSES AND PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OFFENSES; CONCERNING OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST FIRST RESPONDERS; CONCERNING PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY OFFENSES; CONCERNING PROCEDURES UPON ARREST FOR RIOT OFFENSES OR THE OBSTRUCTION OF A HIGHWAY OR OTHER PUBLIC PASSAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1508 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM ACT; TO ADOPT RECENT CHANGES CONTAINED IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE RELATED TO THE PROGRAM; TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1509 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1528 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1529 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1531 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1533
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1533 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1534
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1534 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1535 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS’ AFFAIRS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1536 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1537
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATE PARKS AND TOURISM DIVISIONS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1537 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1538
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1538 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR MAINTENANCE, UPGRADES, AND MATCHING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1539 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SAFE HARBOR PROVISIONS FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING; TO ESTABLISH AN AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1554 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1714  
As Engrossed:  H4/15/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MULTIPLE EMPLOYER WELFARE ARRANGEMENTS; TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A MULTIPLE EMPLOYER TRUST OR MULTIPLE EMPLOYER WELFARE ARRANGEMENT THAT IS NOT FULLY INSURED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1714 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1719  
As Engrossed:  H4/5/21  H4/7/21  H4/19/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BECK, BENTLEY, BOYD, BRYANT, COLEMAN, C. COOPER, HAWKS, M. HODGES, J. MAYBERRY, MCCLURE, PILKINGTON, RICHARDSON, RICHMOND, RYE, SCOTT  
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER, HILL, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE REBOOT PILOT PROGRAM; TO DEFINE "QUALIFYING FORMER OFFENDER"; TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR BUSINESSES THAT HIRE A QUALIFYING FORMER OFFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1719 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  
AN ACT TO ESTABLISH ANNALYN'S LAW; 
TO AMEND THE COSMETOLOGY ACT; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS 
FROM LICENSURE BY THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY 
COMMITTEE; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN ESTABLISHMENTS FROM LICENSURE BY 
THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER 
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1746 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the 
second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & 
LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  
AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXECUTION 
OF A JUDGMENT; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER 
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1791 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the 
second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1800
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING CONTRACTORS; TO REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF ROOFING CONTRACTORS; TO AUTHORIZE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE TO ISSUE ROOFING CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1800 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1837
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LIMITATIONS ON THE ISSUANCE OF A TEACHING LICENSE; TO EXPAND THE REASONS FOR WHICH THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL NOT ISSUE A FIRST-TIME TEACHING LICENSE OR RENEW AN EXISTING TEACHING LICENSE OR SHALL REVOKE AN EXISTING TEACHING LICENSE; TO PROHIBIT THE ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF A TEACHING LICENSE TO A PERSON WHO HAS PLED GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERERE OR HAS BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF SEXUALLY GROOMING A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1837 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE HEALTHY ACTIVE ARKANSAS SCHOOLS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1848 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1855
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE BONDING PROCEDURE FOR PAYMENT OR PERFORMANCE BONDS ISSUED UNDER CONTRACTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, ERECTION, ALTERATION, DEMOLITION, OR REPAIR OF ANY BUILDING, STRUCTURE, OR IMPROVEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1855 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1863
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PUBLIC SCHOOL AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1863 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1868
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE CONFIDENTIALITY PROVISIONS RELATING TO CERTAIN TAXPAYER DATA; TO REQUIRE THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO DISCLOSE CERTAIN SALES AND USE TAX DATA TO CERTAIN POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE SALES AND USE TAX DATA WHEN RECEIVED BY A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1868 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1870
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PREGNANCY AND CHILDBIRTH EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1870 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
As Engrossed: H4/13/21  H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, VAUGHT, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING WORKING ANIMAL PROTECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1883 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1890
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY ON THE COMMERCIAL APPLICATION OF EXISTING TECHNOLOGY TO RECLAIM AND REPURPOSE SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL RODS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1890 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1896
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "PHYSICALLY HELPLESS" AS THAT TERM IS USED IN REGARD TO SEXUAL OFFENSES IN THE ARKANSAS CRIMINAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1896 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1897
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VENOUS BLOOD DRAWS IN CONNECTION WITH A CRIMINAL OFFENSE; TO AMEND § 5-65-204; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1897 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1900
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, BOYD
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BAIL BOND TRANSPARENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1900 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1909
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIMITATIONS ON ACCESS TO A CULTIVATION FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1909 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1910
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1910 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1921
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE WITHDRAWAL OF CONSENT TO ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1921 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 701
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ABSENTEE VOTING INTEGRITY ACT OF 2021; TO CLARIFY, CREATE ACCOUNTABILITY AND UNIFORMITY FOR, AND SIMPLIFY ABSENTEE BALLOT PROCESSES; TO ENCOURAGE AND ASSIST LAW ENFORCEMENT INVESTIGATION OF VOTER FRAUD; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 701 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1199, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1547, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1612, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1709, BY REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1843, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1847, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAYSBERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1852, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1880, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1894, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARKER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

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**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED**

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020**
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 20, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Sturch requested leave for Senator Wallace. Leave granted.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Irvin.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 604 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 604

Amend Senate Bill No. 604 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-1-104(a), concerning miscellaneous felonies and penalties, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(19)(A) An election official shall be subject to the penalties under § 7-4-122 if the election official knowingly, willfully, and with the intent to influence the outcome of an election:

(i) Fails to perform a duty prescribed by law;
(ii) Fails to follow or implement guidance issued under § 7-4-101(f)(5); or
(iii) Performs a duty or carries out a responsibility in a manner that hinders or disregards the purpose of the duty or responsibility.

(B) The Attorney General's office shall have exclusive jurisdiction to investigate and sanction violations of this subdivision, subject to such delegation as the Attorney General directs under § 7-4-122(a).

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-4-120 is amended to read as follows:

7-4-120. Complaints of election law violations — Definitions.
(a)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section, the State Board of Election Commissioners may investigate alleged violations, render findings, and impose sanctions according to this subchapter for violations of election and voter registration laws.

(b) The State Board of Election Commissioners shall not investigate alleged violations, render findings, or impose sanctions concerning violations of:
(A) The provisions of § 7-1-103(a)(1)-(4), (6), and (7); or
(B) Campaign finance and disclosure laws for which the Arkansas Ethics Commission has the duty and authority to investigate and sanction under §§ 7-6-217 and 7-6-218.
(C) Felony election-related offenses under § 7-1-104(a)(19) for which the Attorney General's office has the exclusive jurisdiction to investigate and sanction.

(3) The State Board of Election Commissioners or the Attorney General's office may refer the investigation of alleged violations of election and voter registration laws under their respective jurisdictions to the Division of Arkansas State Police for investigation.

(4) The division shall investigate an alleged violation of election and voter registration law if the alleged violation is referred to the division by the State Board of Election Commissioners or the Attorney General's office.

(b)(1) A complaint shall be filed with the State Board of Election Commissioners or the Attorney General's office in writing within thirty (30) days of:
(A) An alleged violation of the voter registration laws; or
(B) The election associated with the complaint;

(2) A complaint shall be signed by the complainant under penalty of perjury.

(3)(A) A complaint shall clearly:

(i) Describe the alleged violation, including without limitation the supporting facts for the violation;

(ii) State when the alleged violation occurred; and

(iii) State the location of the alleged violation.

(B)(i) The complaint may specify a desired resolution to the complaint.

(ii) If the complaint is timely filed but does not specify the desired resolution of the complainant:

(a) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall notify the complainant that a desired resolution is not specified; and

(b) The complainant may file the additional information within ten (10) days from mailing of the notice.

(4)(A) If a complaint does not meet the requirements of this section, the complaint shall be dismissed.

(B) If a complaint is dismissed because it does not meet the requirements of this section, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall notify the complainant of the fact of dismissal.

(5) A person shall not file a frivolous complaint.

(6)(A) If a complaint is filed as required by this section, the State Board of Election Commissioners, the Attorney General's office, or the division shall investigate the alleged violation.

(B) Immediately upon beginning an investigation under this section, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall notify the person under investigation of the fact of the investigation and the nature of the investigation.

(C) If at the conclusion of the investigation, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency finds that there is probable cause to believe there has been a violation of the voter registration laws or election laws, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency may set a public hearing.

(c)(1) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall maintain a record of all inquiries, investigations, and proceedings.

(2) Except as provided in subdivisions (c)(3) and (4) of this section, records under this section are exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., until:

(A) A hearing by the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency is set; or

(B) The investigation by the State Board of Election Commissioners, the Attorney General's office, or the division is closed by the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency.

(3) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency may disclose, through its members or staff, otherwise confidential information to proper law enforcement officers, agencies, and other entities as is necessary to conduct the investigation under this section.

(4) The records of the investigation upon which the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency has based its findings shall be opened to public inspection thirty (30) days after the final adjudication in which the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency makes a final decision.

(d)(1) If the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency determines that the complaint can be addressed through documentary submissions and without a formal investigation, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency may address the complaint with documentary submissions.
(2) If the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency determines that an investigation is necessary, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall provide to the person who is the subject of the complaint:

(A) A copy of the complaint; and
(B) Instructions for filing a response.

(3) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency may:

(A) Administer oaths for the purpose of taking sworn statements from witnesses in the course of its investigations;
(B) Request the person who is the subject of the complaint to answer allegations in writing, produce relevant evidence, or appear in person before the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency; and
(C) Subpoena any person or the books, records, or other documents relevant to the investigation or inquiry.

(4) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall:

(A) Provide the person subpoenaed with reasonable notice of the subpoena and an opportunity to respond; and
(B) Advise the complainant and the person who is the subject of the complaint in writing of the final action of the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency.

e) If the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency finds a violation of the voter registration laws or election laws under its jurisdiction, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency may:

(1) Issue a public letter of caution, warning, or reprimand;
(2) Impose a fine of no less than twenty-five dollars ($25.00) and no more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) for a negligent, knowing, or intentional violation;
(3) Report the information obtained in the investigation and the findings and determinations of the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency to the appropriate law enforcement authorities;
(4) Order payment of the costs of the investigation and hearing; or
(5) Combine any of the sanctions authorized under this section.

(f) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall advise the complainant and the person who is the subject of the complaint of the:

(1) Finding of the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency;
(2) Final action taken and sanctions issued by the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency; and
(3) Reasons for the findings, final actions, and sanctions.

g) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall maintain a record of all inquiries, investigations, and proceedings.

(h)(1) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall adopt rules concerning the imposition of fines under this section.
(2) If a person fails to pay the fines ordered by the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency under this section, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency may obtain a judgment from a court for the amount of the fine imposed by filing suit in the:

(A) Pulaski County Circuit Court;
(B) Circuit court of the county in which the person resides; or
(C) Small claims division of a district court.

(3) The fee for filing of a suit in a circuit or district court in this state shall be waived for the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency.
(4) All moneys received by the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency in payment of fines shall be deposited into the State Treasury as general revenues.
(i)(1) The State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall conclude its investigation and take its final action under this section within one hundred eighty (180) days of the filing of a complaint.

(2) If the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency holds a hearing under this section, the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency shall conclude all actions under this section within two hundred forty (240) days.

(j) A final action of the State Board of Election Commissioners investigating agency under this section is an adjudication for purposes of judicial review under § 25-15-212.

(k) As used in this section:

(1) “Election laws” means the Arkansas statutes concerning elections conducted by county boards of election commissioners and the rules promulgated by the State Board of Election Commissioners under § 7-4-101 concerning elections conducted by county boards of election commissioners;

(2) “Frivolous” means clearly lacking any basis in fact or law; and

(3) “Investigating agency” means the state agency tasked with investigating an alleged violation under this section; and

(4) “Voter registration laws” means those laws under Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 51, and the rules promulgated pursuant to Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 51.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 7, Chapter 4, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

7-4-122. Penalties for nonperformance of duty by election official.

(a) When the Attorney General's office receives information indicating that an election official has committed a violation under § 7-1-104(a)(19), the Attorney General may refer the matter to the Division of Arkansas State Police for investigation.

(b) The division is authorized to initiate an investigation of the alleged violation under the procedures of § 7-4-120(d).

(c) If, at the conclusion of the investigation, the Attorney General determines that the election official violated § 7-1-104(a)(19), the Attorney General may impose a penalty allowed under § 7-4-120(e).

(d) As used in this section, “election official” means a person who is:

(1) A member of a county board of election commissioners;

(2) A person who performs election coordinator duties; or

(3) A person who is a poll worker designated by a county board of election commissioners to be:

(A) An election clerk;

(B) An election judge;

(C) An election sheriff; or

(D) A deputy county clerk assigned to conduct early voting.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 604 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 674 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 674

Amend Senate Bill No. 674 as originally introduced:

Add Senators L. Chesterfield, C. Tucker as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 25 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 44
UNIFY ARKANSAS COMMISSION

25-44-101. Legislative findings and intent."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "racial"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 7, and substitute the following:
"in association with the Arkansas Municipal League and the University of Central Arkansas Center for Community and Economic Development, successfully encouraged over one hundred (100) executives of political subdivisions, presidents and chancellors of institutions of higher education, and school superintendents throughout the state to issue their own"

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "extrajudicial" and substitute "extralegal"

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "subdivisions of each county" and substitute "subdivisions, the presidents and chancellors of all institutions of higher education, and all school superintendents in each county"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 30

AND
Page 2, line 32, delete "13-16-101" and substitute "25-44-102"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "truth and reconciliation" and substitute "truth, healing, and transformation"

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "extrajudicial" and substitute "or verified extralegal"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "racialized"

AND

Page 3, line 15, delete "and"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 16 through 23, and substitute the following:

"(6)(A) Publish and submit reports with specific recommendations to the executive and legislative branches concerning ways that the state can and should officially, publicly, and individually address the incidents identified in subdivision (b)(1) of this section.

(B)(i) In recognition of the one hundredth anniversary of the Elaine Race Massacre, the commission shall immediately streamline a report with specific recommendations relating to the Elaine Race Massacre, including without limitation a public apology and the full posthumous exoneration of all one hundred twenty-two (122) Black Arkansans who were wrongfully convicted of various crimes, as well as Robert L. Hill, the cofounder of the Progressive Farmers and Household Union of America, who fled to Kansas to avoid unjust arrest and prosecution.

(ii) The commission shall present the report required under subdivision (b)(6)(B)(i) of this section to the Attorney General for approval by May 31, 2022.

(iii) Upon approval of the report submitted under subdivision (b)(6)(B)(ii) of this section, within fourteen (14) days of receipt, the Attorney General shall transmit the report to the Governor.

(iv) The Governor shall formally execute the report transmitted by the Attorney General within fourteen (14) days of the Governor's receipt of the report."

AND

Page 25, delete "13-16-102" and substitute "25-44-103"

AND

Page 4, line 5, delete "Black History Commission" and substitute "Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Historical Association"

AND

Page 4, line 6, delete "of Arkansas"
Page 4, line 8, delete "shall" and substitute "is highly encouraged to"

AND

Page 4, line 29, delete "(g)(1)" and substitute "(g)"

AND

Page 4, line 30, delete "(A)" and substitute "(1)"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "(B)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 4, line 32, delete "(C)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 4, line 34, delete "(D)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 4, delete line 36

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 5, delete line 5, and substitute the following:

"Arkansas Commission.

25-44-104. Custodian of records. The Arkansas State Archives shall be the custodian of all property, reference, and source materials of the Unify Arkansas Commission."

AND

Page 5, line 9, delete "Black" and substitute "Arkansas History Commission, Black"

AND

Page 5, line 14, delete "Chair" and substitute "Chair of the Arkansas History Commission, Chair"

AND

Page 5, line 17, delete "the" and substitute "the Arkansas History Commission, the"

AND

Page 5, line 20, delete "13-16-102(b)" and substitute "25-44-103(b)"

AND
Page 5, line 24, delete "13-16-" and substitute "25-44-103(a)(1)(A)"
AND
Page 5, line 25, delete "102(a)(1)(A)"
AND
Page 5, line 31, delete "13-16-102(a)(1)(B)" and substitute "25-44-103(a)(1)(B)"
AND
Page 6, line 1, delete "13-16-102(a)(1)(C)" and substitute "25-44-103(a)(1)(C)"
AND
Page 6, line 7, delete "13-16-102(a)(1)(D)" and substitute "25-44-103(a)(1)(D)"
AND
Page 7, delete line 8, and substitute the following:
"Arkansas Commission by August 1 of each year.
   (d) The Secretary of Education shall ensure that the curricula and materials
devised and approved by the State Board of Education under subsection (c) of this
section are reproduced and sent to all public school districts in the state by
September 1 of each year."
AND
Page 8, delete line 15, and substitute the following:
"private funds that may be held in trust by and"
AND
Page 8, line 17, delete "executive" and substitute "executive and legislative"
AND
Page 8, line 21, delete "racialized"
AND
Page 8, line 22, delete "others in Arkansas" and substitute "others in the respective
county and in Arkansas generally"
AND
Page 8, line 29, delete "seventy-five (75)" and substitute "seventy (70)"
AND
Page 9, line 13, delete "exclusion" and substitute "selective exclusion based on
partiality"
Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 674 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1698 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1698

Amend House Bill No. 1698 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 31, delete "real property taxes and delinquent"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "delinquent real property taxes or"

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "taxes, or both," and substitute "taxes"

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "property" and substitute "personal property"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1698 was ordered engrossed.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 19, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 527 - ACT 740
- Senate Bill No. 89 - ACT 741
- Senate Bill No. 526 - ACT 742
- Senate Bill No. 139 - ACT 743
- Senate Bill No. 291 - ACT 744
- Senate Bill No. 143 - ACT 745

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 415, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,
SENATE BILL NO. 555, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:24 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR’S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 155
SENATE BILL NO. 415
SENATE BILL NO. 555

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twentieth day of April, 2021 at 9:24 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 604, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 674, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 604 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 674 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1698 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1909, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL, VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1660, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1877, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 20, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 540, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 694, BY SENATOR CHARLES BECKHAM,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 20, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Joint Budget, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 158, by Joint Budget Committee,
Senate Bill No. 211, by Joint Budget Committee,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Jonathan Dismang, Chairman

Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 633, by Senator Trent Garner,
Senate Bill No. 685, by Senator Lance Eads,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Alan Clark, Chairman
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 673, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD
MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 668, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1386, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1646, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1754, REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAUGH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1829, REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1898, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD
MEMBER

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 19, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1323, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1605, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 686, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
HOUSE BILL NO. 1767, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. PITSCH

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND MISS DARYNNE DAHLEM ON HER SELECTION AS MISS ARKANSAS 2019 AND 2020.

Senate Resolution No. 25 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 702
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 702 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

Senator M. Johnson moved to suspend the rules to place House Bill No. 1426 at the bottom of the calendar for passage. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 at this time.

Senator Hickey moved to withdraw Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 from Rules Committee and place on calendar. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was withdrawn from the Committee on RULES, RESOLUTIONS & MEMORIALS, and placed on the Calendar.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 5 was called up for third reading.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 5
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR S. FLOWERS

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER DETECTIVE KEVIN COLLINS AND TO RECOGNIZE HIS SERVICE TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 5 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED)   ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 was called up for third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. SMITH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION TO ENTER INTO INTERNATIONAL RECIPROCITY AGREEMENTS FOR MEDICATIONS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED)   ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following:

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:
"AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING EXTRAORDINARY SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY."

AND

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"§ 5. Regular and fiscal sessions — Extraordinary sessions."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 19 through 24, and substitute the following:
"(e)(1) The General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session upon the:

(A)(i) Issuance of a joint written proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(ii) The joint written proclamation under subdivision
(e)(1)(A)(i) of this section shall include without limitation the purpose for which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session and the date on which the General Assembly shall convene; or

(B)(i) Submission of a written proclamation containing the signatures of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the House of Representatives and at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate requesting that the General Assembly convene in extraordinary session.

(ii) The written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section shall include without limitation the purpose for which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session.

(iii) Upon the submission of a written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall specify a date on which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session.

(2) No business other than the purpose set forth in the joint written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i) of this section or the written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section shall be considered at an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "(2)(A)" and substitute "(3)(A)"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "(e)(2)(A)" and substitute "(e)(3)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 31 through 35, and substitute the following:
"session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section:

(ii) The format and required content for a written proclamation requesting that the General Assembly convene in extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section; and

(iii) A provision permitting the General Assembly, after having disposed of the purpose for which the extraordinary session was convened under subdivision (e)(1) of this section, to remain in session for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days if remaining in session is approved by a vote of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the House of Representatives and at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Senate and entered upon their journals."

AND
Page 2, line 36, delete "(e)(2)(A)" and substitute "(e)(3)(A)"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 15 through 17, and substitute the following:
"Allow the General Assembly to Convene in Extraordinary Session Upon the Issuance of a Joint Written Proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate or Upon the Submission of a Written Proclamation Containing the Signatures of At Least Two-Thirds (2/3) of the Members of the House of Representatives and At Least Two-Thirds (2/3) of the Members of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate Requesting that the General Assembly Convene in Extraordinary Session".

(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 336 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 336

Amend Senate Bill No. 336 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "Used" and substitute "That was or is used"

AND
Page 2, line 1, delete "Used" and substitute "That was or is used"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 336 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 664 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 664

Amend Senate Bill No. 664 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 664 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Garner, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 633 at this time.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 633 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 633

Amend Senate Bill No. 633 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 28, and substitute the following:

"is punishable as a Class D felony."

(C) Upon a finding of indigency, the supervision costs of an indigent sex offender shall be paid by the Division of Community Correction, regardless of the identity of the supervising agency."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Garner moved to suspend the rules to place Senate Bill No. 633 on the calendar dated April 21, 2021. Motion carried.

Senate Bill No. 633 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1642 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1642

Amend House Bill No. 1642 as engrossed, H3/23/21:
Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 19 through 28, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 169, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

(a) This section is:
(1) Intended to encourage and permit a public housing authority to give priority to a person who cooperates with the Office of Child Support Enforcement over a person who does not cooperate with the office;
(2) Not intended to permit a public housing authority to give priority to a person who cooperates with the office over a person who does not have a child support plan; and
(3) Not intended to penalize a custodial parent of a child or permit a public housing authority to penalize a custodial parent of a child when the noncustodial parent of the child fails to pay child support as ordered by a court.
(b) As used in this section:
(1) "Child support cooperation requirement" means cooperation as described in:
(A) The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program as authorized under 7 C.F.R. §273.11, as it existed on January 1, 2021; and
(B) 7 C.F.R. §273.11(o) and 7 C.F.R. §273.11(p), as they existed on January 1, 2021, including without limitation the exemptions for good cause; and
(2) "Public housing authority" means a housing authority created under §14-169-207."

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "(b)(1)" and substitute for "(c)(1)"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "(c)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 6, and substitute the following:
"parent as a condition of eligibility for housing benefits and assistance.
(e) This section does not permit a public housing authority to:
(1) Give priority to a person who cooperates with the office over a person who does not have a child support plan; or
(2) Penalize a custodial parent of a child when the noncustodial parent of the child fails to pay child support as ordered by a court."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1642 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1805 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1805

Amend House Bill No. 1805 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Teague as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 31, and substitute the following:

"property owner.

(c) This section does not limit the authority of the state, county, or municipality to adopt and enforce state building codes and fire prevention standards, require permits, or abate nuisances that do not distinguish between a primary residence and single-family rental property."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1805 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 452 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 452
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT APPORTIONMENT OF WARDS BE CONDUCTED BY THE COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DESIGNATION OF WARDS IN MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 452 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Clark, Hester.
Total ................................................................. 3

Total ................................................................. 27

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, English, Rapert, Rice.
Total ................................................................. 4

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18
So the bill passed failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator M. Johnson moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 452 failed be reconsidered and motion be laid upon the table. Motion prevailed, laid upon the table.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 649 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Beckham, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 649 was referred to the Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 253 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Beckham, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 253 was referred to the Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 501 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 501
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CORPORAL PUNISHMENT; TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CORPORAL PUNISHMENT WITHOUT PARENTAL CONSENT ON A CHILD WHO HAS AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 501 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Clark, Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, B. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast........................................................................... 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 501 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 529 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 529
As Engrossed: S3/22/21 S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RETURN OF STOLEN PROPERTY IN THE POSSESSION OF A PAWNBROKER TO THE RIGHTFUL OWNER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 529 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke against the Bill.
Senator Sullivan spoke against the Bill.
Senator Rice spoke for the Bill.
Senator Clark closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ..........................................................12

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Bledsoe, Davis, Garner, Gilmore, Hickey, Hill, Sample, Sullivan.
Total ..........................................................9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Filippo, Ingram, B. Johnson, Leding, Sturch.
Total ..........................................................6

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ..........................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: Ballinger, Chesterfield, Elliott, Pitsch, Rapert, Teague, Tucker.
Total ..........................................................7
Total number of votes cast.................................................................28
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................18

So the bill failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 551 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 551
As Engrossed: S4/5/21 S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DALBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNFAIR CIGARETTE SALES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 551 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis spoke against the Bill.

Senator M. Johnson closed for the Bill.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 18


Total ........................................................................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Dismang.

Total ........................................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 551 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 615 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 615
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. DAVIS, BECKHAM, B. BALLINGER, M. JOHNSON, FLIPPO, HESTER, GILMORE, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, LOWERY, PILKINGTON, BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE REQUIREMENT OF VACCINE PASSPORTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 615 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 23

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Hickey, Sample.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 615 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 617 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 617
As Engrossed: 4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, ELLIOTT,
K. HAMMER, K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. JOHNSON, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE WRITTEN CONSENT OF A PATIENT TO TRANSFER A PRESCRIPTION FROM A PHARMACY; TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE BY A PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER, HEALTHCARE INSURER, PHARMACY, PHARMACIST, PHYSICIAN, OR HOSPITAL OF OWNERSHIP INTEREST OR POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST; TO PROHIBIT DATA MINING OF PATIENT INFORMATION BY PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGERS, HEALTHCARE INSURERS, PHARMACIES, AND PHARMACISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 617 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................29
NEGATIVE: Clark.
Total .................................................................  1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Sturch, Teague.
Total .................................................................  3

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total .................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total .................................................................  1

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 640 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 640
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR MEDICAL DEBT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 640 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 640. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Clark, Dismang, Hill.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 640 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 657 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 657
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WATERCRAFTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 657 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 657. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ............................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 657 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 689 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 689
As Engrossed:  S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO ALLOW A MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY TO FINANCE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH STORMS AND RELATED PERILS; TO ALLOW THE FINANCING BY A MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY OF COSTS TO PURCHASE GAS, FUEL, OR POWER IN PREPARATION FOR OR IN RESPONSE TO A STORM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 689 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 689. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 689, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 32
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 689 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 20, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 664, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Leding, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 664 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 664
As Engrossed: S4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT-QUALIFIED HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES FROM CERTAIN INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS; TO CLARIFY THE COVERAGE OF DIAGNOSTIC EXAMINATIONS FOR BREAST CANCER UNDER CERTAIN PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 664 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 664. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 664 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1499 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1499 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1499

Amend House Bill No. 1499 as engrossed, S4/15/21:

Page 3, line 35, delete "advocacy,"
AND
Page 4, line 15, delete "and advocacy"
AND
Delete SECTION 10 and SECTION 11 in their entirety
AND
Page 8, delete line 18, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 20-82-206(5), concerning the powers and duties of the Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Section, is repealed.

(5) Facilitate the development of and contract with local multidisciplinary teams throughout the state, the purpose of which is to provide coordinated investigation and service delivery to child victims of severe maltreatment;

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 20-82-208(b)(2), concerning the"
AND
Page 10, line 28, delete "and"
AND
Page 10, delete line 29, and substitute the following:

“(9) A representative of the juvenile justice system;
(10) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission or his or her designee; and
(11) The Chair of the Child Maltreatment Investigations Oversight Committee who shall be a nonvoting ex officio member of the Multidisciplinary Team Oversight Committee."
AND
Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1499 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 at this time.

On motion of Senator Hickey Senate Concurrent Resolution No 13 was placed on third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CREATION OR AMENDMENT OF LOTTERY-FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was ordered transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1023 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, JETT, RAY
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES TAX LAWS CONCERNING SPECIAL EVENTS; TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN SCHOOL FUNDRAISERS FROM THE SALES TAX LAWS REGULATING SPECIAL EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1023 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1023. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ............................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1023 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1228 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A DESIGNATED ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT; TO AUTHORIZE A DESIGNATED ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICT IN AN AREA WITH ESTABLISHED ENTITIES AUTHORIZED TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1228 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 18


Total ......................................................................................... 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Irvin.

Total ......................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1228 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1314 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1314
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HILLMAN
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE WATER RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 1314 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1314. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 34

NEGATIVE: Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace. Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Total ......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1314 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1349 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, ET AL


A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EVERY ARKANSAN RETIREMENT PLAN OPPORTUNITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1349 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert spoke against the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 19


Total ........................................................................................................ 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, B. Johnson, Rice.

Total ........................................................................................................ 3

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed.

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Senator Rapert requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of House Bill No. 1349. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast: 31
- Necessary to the passage of the Bill: 18
- Total number voting in the affirmative: 19
- Total number voting in the negative: 3
- Total number absent or not voting: 1

Upon sounding of the ballot, Senators Caldwell and Hammer were struck from affirmative vote. The bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1349 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1349 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 20, 2021.

Senator Hammer moved to place House Bill No. 1349 at the bottom of today's calendar. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1418 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1418
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM HEIGHT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE AUTHORIZED TO OPERATE ON A STATE HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1418 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1418. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1418 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1439 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1439
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE ACT; TO INCLUDE THERAPISTS, ADDICTION SPECIALISTS, AND COUNSELORS IN THE VOLUNTEER HEALTHCARE PROGRAM; TO INCREASE CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS UNDER THE VOLUNTEER HEALTH CARE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1439 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1439. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1439 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1469 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES. JETT, WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF STATE TAX RECORDS AND OTHER REVENUE INFORMATION; TO ALLOW THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH TO HAVE DIRECT ACCESS TO STATE TAX RECORDS AND OTHER REVENUE INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1469 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1469. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1469 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1513 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1513
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO WORK COLD CASES FOR THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1513 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1513. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ...........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1513 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1555 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, IRVIN, B. SAMPLE, C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT ACT; TO INCREASE THE ANNUAL CAP ON AND EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE OF THE ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT; TO ALLOW THE DIVISION OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE TO USE FEES COLLECTED UNDER THE ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT ACT FOR PERSONNEL COSTS RELATED TO ADMINISTERING THE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1555 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1555. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1555 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Chesterfield, House Bill No. 1557 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
As Engrossed: H3/11/21 H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MURDOCK, ET AL
BY: SENATORS L. CHESTERFIELD, ELLIOTT, S. FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO HAVE AN EMERGENCY PLAN IN PLACE FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES OR THE ELDERLY DURING CERTAIN WEATHER Events; TO REQUIRE AN ELECTRIC UTILITY TO DIRECTLY NOTIFY LOCAL GOVERNMENTS OF PLANNED POWER OUTAGES AND OTHER EMERGENCY MEASURES TO REDUCE ENERGY CONSUMPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1557 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1557. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ..........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ..........................................................................................................1
VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...........................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................18

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1557 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1561 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1561
As Engrossed: H3/11/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "TARGET GROUP" AS IT APPLIES TO COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1561 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1561.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ....................................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1561 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1590 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1590
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING INSURANCE PROCEEDS OF LIFE, HEALTH, ACCIDENT, AND DISABILITY POLICIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1590 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1590. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1590, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1590 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hendren, House Bill No. 1611 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1611
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENNETT
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS; TO ALLOW PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS TO USE FUNDING TO PROVIDE FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS AT NO CHARGE IN EACH PUBLIC SCHOOL AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1611 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1611. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1611 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1596 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1596
As Engrossed:  H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE JETT, SPEAKS
BY:  SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES TAX EXEMPTIONS THAT APPLY TO CERTAIN ARTICLES; TO ALLOW THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR SALES FOR RESALE TO APPLY TO ITEMS SOLD FOR USE IN PRINTING; TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1596 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1596. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1596 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1653 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1653
As Engrossed: H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCULLOUGH, GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENTS THAT NEED TO BE MET BEFORE A SEX OFFENDER CAN HAVE HIS OR HER OBLIGATION TO REGISTER TERMINATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1653 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1653. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33

NEGATIVE: Pitsch.

Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast...............................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Pitsch moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1653 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1653 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 20, 2021.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1684 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1684
As Engrossed: H4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONTRIBUTIONS TO AN ABLE ACCOUNT UNDER THE ACHIEVING A BETTER LIFE EXPERIENCE PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1684 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1684. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1684 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1740 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1740
As Engrossed: H4/1/21 S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BROOKS, BROWN, CHRISTIANSEN, CLOUD, C. COOPER, CRAWFORD, MILLIGAN, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH, WING, WOOTEN
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO COMBAT SEX TRAFFICKING OF MINORS; TO PROTECT THE CHILDREN OF ARKANSAS FROM SEXUAL PREDATORS AND PEDOPHILES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1740 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Bledsoe moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1740. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1740 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Pitsch, House Bill No. 1653 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1653
As Engrossed: H3/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCULLOUGH, GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENTS THAT NEED TO BE MET BEFORE A SEX OFFENDER CAN HAVE HIS OR HER OBLIGATION TO REGISTER TERMINATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1653 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Pitsch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1653.
Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Wallace.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1653 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1760 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1760
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERJURISDICTIONAL COMPACT IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1760 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1760. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1760 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1782 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BECK, BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISTRIBUTION OF HIGHWAY REVENUE INTEREST INCOME; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FUTURE TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH FUND AND THE TRANSPORTATION-RELATED GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1782 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1782. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................34
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1782 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1831 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1831
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, BEATY, JR., ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, B. BALLINGER, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1831 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1831. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast............................................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1831 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1832 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BERRY, BEATY JR., ET AL
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, B. BALLINGER, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS OBSERVE A MOMENT OF SILENCE FOLLOWING THE RECITATION OF THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE; TO REQUIRE THAT PUBLIC SCHOOLS RECITE THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AT SCHOOL ASSEMBLIES AND SPORTING EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1832 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1832. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total .......................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total .......................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1832 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1845 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1845
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING MICROBREWERY-RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUBS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ADVERTISING BY MICROBREWERY-RESTAURANT PRIVATE CLUBS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1845 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hill spoke for the bill.

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1845. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Gilmore, Rapert, Sullivan, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rice, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Clark, Hammer, B. Johnson, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 4

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1845 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1862 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

House Bill No. 1862 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1862. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


| Total | 34 |

**NEGATIVE:**

| Total | 0 |

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

| Total | 0 |

**EXCUSED:** Wallace.

| Total | 1 |

**VOTING PRESENT:**

| Total | 0 |
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1862 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1878 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1878
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES OF FENTANYL AND HEROIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1878 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1878. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1878 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 S3/29/21 S4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FAIR FOOD DELIVERY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1426 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1426. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 29

NEGATIVE: Garner, Gilmore, Pitsch, Sullivan.

Total ................................................................................................. 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.

Total ................................................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1426 was returned to the House as passes as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until 4:40 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

Senate Bill No. 55 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 111 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 171 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 355 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 359 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 360 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 361 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 362 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 363 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 364 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 365 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 366 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 367 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 368 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 369 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 370 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 371 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 372 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 373 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 374 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 388 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 393 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 395 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 398 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 403 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 405 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 489 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 498 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 543 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 557 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 561 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 576 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 581 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 585 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 597 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 602 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 621 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 625 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 637 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 643 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 644 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 662 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 334 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 381 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 381 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
Senate Bill No. 535 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 535 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 547 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 547 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 549 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 549 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 553 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 590 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 590 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 599 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 599 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1146
As Engrossed: H3/23/21  H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1146 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1532
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF CORRECTION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AND LEASE PAYMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1532 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE SUSPENSION OF PERMITS FOR A RETAILER’S FAILURE TO PAY A WHOLESALER OR MANUFACTURER FOR TOBACCO PRODUCTS, VAPOR PRODUCTS, ALTERNATIVE NICOTINE PRODUCTS, OR E-LIQUIDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1876 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE 340B DRUG PRICING NONDISCRIMINATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1881 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A REDUCED SALES AND USE TAX RATE FOR CERTAIN USED MOTOR VEHICLES, TRAILERS, AND SEMITRAILERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1912 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ADMINISTRATIVE FEES AND PENALTIES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REVIEW OF AGENCY RULES BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1937 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1938
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH COMPULSORY TRAINING STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCIES FOR THE RECOGNITION AND MANAGEMENT OF STRESS, SELF-CARE TECHNIQUES, MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS, AND RESILIENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1938 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 132
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 24

NEGATIVE: Garner, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Ballinger, Beckham, Davis, Gilmore, Irvin, Rapert, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................................... 7

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: M. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 27

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................ 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 132, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

**AFFIRMATIVE:** Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Hammer, Hendren, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, B. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Teague, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................24

**NEGATIVE:** Garner, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................................2

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Ballinger, Beckham, Davis, Gilmore, Irvin, Rapert, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................................7

**EXCUSED:** Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................1

**VOTING PRESENT:** M. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast........................................................................27

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

Emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 132 failed to pass.
On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 164 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 164
As Engrossed: S1/28/21  S2/24/21  S3/8/21  S3/15/21  S4/14/21  S4/19/21
NINETHY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 164 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 164. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 164, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Wallace.

Total ..................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on all Joint Budget Bills as listed. Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1206
HOUSE BILL NO. 1528
HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
HOUSE BILL NO. 1531
HOUSE BILL NO. 1533
HOUSE BILL NO. 1534
HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
HOUSE BILL NO. 1537
HOUSE BILL NO. 1538
HOUSE BILL NO. 1539
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1206 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1206
As Engrossed: H2/4/21 H3/18/21 H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1206 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ...................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ...................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1206, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1206 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator 1528, House Bill No. 1528 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1528
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1528 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1528, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1528 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1529 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1529 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ...........................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ...........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1529, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1529 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1531 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1531 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1531, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total .................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...........................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1531 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1533 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1533
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1533 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1533, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .............................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total .............................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1533 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1534 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1534
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1534 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1534, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .............. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1534 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1535 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - DIVISION OF HERITAGE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1535 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1535, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1535 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1536 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1536 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1536, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1536 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1537 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1537  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM - STATE PARKS AND TOURISM DIVISIONS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1537 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1537, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1537 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1538 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1538
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1538 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast........................................ 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1538, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1538 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1539 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1539
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR MAINTENANCE, UPGRADES, AND MATCHING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1539 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1539, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Wallace.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1539 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 336, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 633, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 20, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1642, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1805, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and
we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 666, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 203, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 601, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1391, BY REPRESENTATIVE WING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1714, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1835, BY REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 20, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012, BY REPRESENTATIVE RYE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 164
SENATE BILL NO. 501
SENATE BILL NO. 551
SENATE BILL NO. 615
SENATE BILL NO. 617
SENATE BILL NO. 640
SENATE BILL NO. 657
SENATE BILL NO. 664
SENATE BILL NO. 689

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
HOUSE BILL NO. 1206
HOUSE BILL NO. 1228
HOUSE BILL NO. 1314
HOUSE BILL NO. 1418
HOUSE BILL NO. 1469
HOUSE BILL NO. 1513
HOUSE BILL NO. 1528
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
HOUSE BILL NO. 1561
HOUSE BILL NO. 1562
HOUSE BILL NO. 1590
HOUSE BILL NO. 1596
HOUSE BILL NO. 1653
HOUSE BILL NO. 1684
HOUSE BILL NO. 1760
HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
HOUSE BILL NO. 1831
HOUSE BILL NO. 1832
HOUSE BILL NO. 1845
HOUSE BILL NO. 1862
HOUSE BILL NO. 1878

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1426 AS AMENDED NOS. 1, 2 & 3
HOUSE BILL NO. 1439 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1611 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1740 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 55
SENATE BILL NO. 111
SENATE BILL NO. 171
SENATE BILL NO. 355
SENATE BILL NO. 359
SENATE BILL NO. 360
SENATE BILL NO. 361
SENATE BILL NO. 362
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SENATE BILL NO. 374
SENATE BILL NO. 388
SENATE BILL NO. 393
SENATE BILL NO. 395
SENATE BILL NO. 398
SENATE BILL NO. 403
SENATE BILL NO. 405
SENATE BILL NO. 489
SENATE BILL NO. 498
SENATE BILL NO. 543
SENATE BILL NO. 557
SENATE BILL NO. 561
SENATE BILL NO. 576
SENATE BILL NO. 581
SENATE BILL NO. 585
SENATE BILL NO. 597
SENATE BILL NO. 602
SENATE BILL NO. 621
SENATE BILL NO. 625
SENATE BILL NO. 637
SENATE BILL NO. 643
SENATE BILL NO. 644
SENATE BILL NO. 662

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 334 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 381 AS AMENDED NO 1
SENATE BILL NO. 535 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 547 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 549 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 553 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 590 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 599 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1146
HOUSE BILL NO. 1532
HOUSE BILL NO. 1876
HOUSE BILL NO. 1881
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912
HOUSE BILL NO. 1937
HOUSE BILL NO. 1938
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 21, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sturch.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 208

Amend Senate Bill No. 208 as engrossed, S2/24/21:

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 32, and substitute the following:

"(10)(A) "Meeting" means a discussion among three (3) or more members of a governing body about a matter relating to public business on which it is reasonably foreseeable that the governing body may take action.

(B) "Meeting" includes without limitation:

(i) Discussions in person, by telephone, electronically, or by other means of communication; and

(ii) Serial one-on-one conversations, whether formal or informal, with members of a governing body by one or more members, employees, agents, or informal representatives of the governing body to discuss the governing body’s business.

(C) As used in this subdivision (10), "governing body" includes without limitation the governing body of a municipality, county, township, school district, board, bureau, commission, organization, school, or other public entity that is subject to § 25-19-106;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 385 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 385

Amend Senate Bill No. 385 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 7, delete "Located within" and substitute "Located inside of the gated residential community and within"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "resinspection" and substitute "reinspection"

AND

Page 2, line 34, add a new subsection to read as follows:

"(g) This section does not apply to a public utility as defined in § 23-1-101 operating as an electric utility or a municipal electric utility operating under § 14-200-106."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 385 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 609 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 609

Amend Senate Bill No. 609 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 6, delete "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)" and substitute "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)" and substitute "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)" and substitute "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"

AND

Page 3, line 29, delete "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)" and substitute "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)" and substitute "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"

AND

Page 3, line 34, delete "ten thousand dollars ($10,000)" and substitute "two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 609 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 645 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 645

Amend Senate Bill No. 645 as engrossed, S4/13/21:

Page 5, delete lines 27 through 33, and substitute the following:

"(a) Unless prohibited under this section, a person may file a uniform petition under this subchapter ten (10) years or more after the completion of the person's sentence for any felony that is not listed below or contained in the following subchapters:

(1) Section 5-10-101 et seq.;
(2) Section 5-11-101 et seq.;
(3) Section 5-12-101 et seq.;
(4) Section 5-3-201 et seq.;
(5) Section 5-13-301 et seq.;
(6) Section 5-14-101 et seq.;
(7) Section 5-16-101 et seq.;
(8) Section 5-17-101 et seq.;
(9) The Human Trafficking Act of 2013, § 5-18-101 et seq.;
(10) Section 5-26-301 et seq.;
(11) Section 5-26-501 et seq.;
(12) The Arkansas Protection of Children Against Exploitation Act of 1979, § 5-27-301 et seq.;
(13) Section 5-27-401 et seq.;
(14) Section 5-27-601 et seq.;
(15) Section 5-28-101 et seq.;
(16) Section 5-38-101 et seq.;
(17) Causing a catastrophe, § 5-38-202;
(18) Residential burglary, § 5-39-201;
(19) Aggravated residential burglary, § 5-39-204;
(20) First degree escape, § 5-54-110, second degree escape, § 5-54-111, third degree escape, § 5-54-112, and permitting escape in the first degree, § 5-54-113;
(21) Fleeing, § 5-54-125;
(22) Killing or injuring animals used by law enforcement or search and rescue dogs, § 5-54-126;
(23) Section 5-54-201 et seq.;
(24) Section 5-62-101 et seq.;
(25) Trafficking a controlled substance, § 5-64-440;
(26) Aggravated riot, § 5-71-202;
(27) Stalking, § 5-71-229;
(28) Section 5-73-101 et seq.;
(29) The Arkansas Criminal Gang, Organization, and Enterprise Act, § 5-74-101 et seq.;
(30) A felony that requires a person to register as a sex offender under the Sex Offender Registration Act of 1997, § 12-12-901 et seq.; or
(31) A felony involving violence as defined in § 5-4-501(d)(2).”

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 645 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 616 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 616 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 20, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 221 - ACT 768
- Senate Bill No. 108 - ACT 769
- Senate Bill No. 67 - ACT 770
- Senate Bill No. 51 - ACT 771
- Senate Bill No. 466 - ACT 772
- Senate Bill No. 262 - ACT 773
- Senate Bill No. 251 - ACT 774
- Senate Bill No. 532 - ACT 775
- Senate Bill No. 528 - ACT 776
- Senate Bill No. 402 - ACT 777
- Senate Bill No. 346 - ACT 778
- Senate Bill No. 309 - ACT 779
- Senate Bill No. 295 - ACT 780
- Senate Bill No. 632 - ACT 781
- Senate Bill No. 607 - ACT 782
- Senate Bill No. 579 - ACT 783
- Senate Bill No. 537 - ACT 784
- Senate Bill No. 536 - ACT 785
- Senate Bill No. 292 - ACT 786
- Senate Bill No. 463 - ACT 787

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 395, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 398, BY SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL,
SENATE BILL NO. 403, BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 405, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 498, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 543, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 557, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 561, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 581, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 585, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 597, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 621, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 625, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 637, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 643, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 644, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 662, BY SENATOR RICKY HILL,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 55, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 171, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 355, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 359, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 373, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 374, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we
find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:40 a.m. delivered them to the
Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 388
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SENATE BILL NO. 498
SENATE BILL NO. 543
SENATE BILL NO. 557
SENATE BILL NO. 561
RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-first day of April, 2021 at 10:40 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN,
SENATE BILL NO. 385, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 609, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 645, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 385 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 609 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 645 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 208 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sullivan.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 68, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 652, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 678, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 696, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 676, BY SENATOR WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR JIM HENDREN, MEMBER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1696, BY REPRESENTATIVE CRAWFORD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1921, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1554, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 484, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1054, BY REPRESENTATIVE BECK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1157, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOLLETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1196, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1456, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARNER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1509, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1868, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAAK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912, BY REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 634, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 671, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 691, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 693, BY SENATOR JIM HICKEY,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 20, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS,
to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR BREENE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1005,
BY REPRESENTATIVE RAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712, BY REPRESENTATIVE LYNCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1866, BY REPRESENTATIVE BECK,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1615, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1793, BY REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 217 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Tucker.

On motion of Senator Tucker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 701 at this time.

Senator Tucker moved to extract Senate Bill No. 701 from the committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Leding, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 652 at this time.

Senator Leding moved to place Senate Bill No. 652 on the calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 293 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.
Without objection, Senate Bill No. 293 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Sample.

SENATE BILL NO. 703
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIP" AND "TELEMEDICINE" WITHIN THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO ALLOW TELEHEALTH CERTIFICATION FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 703 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. MCELROY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO COMMEND EUDORA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON BEING NAMED A NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Sturch, Senate Resolution No. 21 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE MELBOURNE HIGH SCHOOL LADY BEARKATZ FOR WINNING THE CLASS 2A BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Senate Resolution No. 21 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10
As Engrossed: S4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, T. GARNER, HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CAVENAUGH, VAUGHT, M. GRAY, LUNDSTRUM,
PAYTON, B. SMITH, RYE, BENTLEY, BROWN, FURMAN, UNDERWOOD,
LOWERY, WOOTEN, BEATY JR., GONZALES, M. BERRY, DOTSON,
MCCOLLUM, GAZAWAY, BRYANT, EVANS, RICHMOND, C. COOPER

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS
CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONVENE IN
EXTRAORDINARY SESSION UPON THE ISSUANCE OF A JOINT WRITTEN
PROCLAMATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE OR UPON THE
SUBMISSION OF A WRITTEN PROCLAMATION CONTAINING THE
SIGNATURES OF AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE MEMBERS OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE
MEMBERS OF THE SENATE TO THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE
REQUESTING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CONVENE IN
EXTRAORDINARY SESSION; PROVIDING THAT NO BUSINESS OTHER THAN
THE PURPOSE SET FORTH IN THE JOINT WRITTEN PROCLAMATION OF THE
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO
TEMPORE OF THE SENATE OR THE WRITTEN PROCLAMATION CONTAINING
THE SIGNATURES OF AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF THE MEMBERS OF
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND AT LEAST TWO-THIRDS (2/3) OF
THE MEMBERS OF THE SENATE SHALL BE CONSIDERED AT AN
EXTRAORDINARY SESSION CONVENED UNDER THIS AMENDMENT;
REQUIRING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH BY JOINT RULE
DURING EACH REGULAR SESSION PROCEDURES FOR AN EXTRAORDINARY
SESSION UNDER THIS AMENDMENT; AND PROVIDING THAT THIS
AMENDMENT DOES NOT RESTRICT THE AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNOR TO
CONVENE AN EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 6, § 19.
Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING EXTRAORDINARY SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 5, is amended to read as follows:

§ 5. Regular and fiscal sessions — Extraordinary sessions.
(a) The General Assembly shall meet at the seat of government every year.

(b) The General Assembly shall meet in regular session on the second Monday in January of each odd-numbered year to consider any bill or resolution. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the regular session begins.

(c)(1) Beginning in 2010, the General Assembly shall meet in fiscal session on the second Monday in February of each even-numbered year to consider only appropriation bills. The General Assembly may alter the time at which the fiscal session begins.

(2) A bill other than an appropriation bill may be considered in a fiscal session if two-thirds (2/3) of the members of each house of the General Assembly approve consideration of the bill.

(d) The General Assembly, by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly, may alter the dates of the regular session and fiscal session so that regular sessions occur in even numbered years and the fiscal sessions occur in odd-numbered years.

(e)(1) The General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session upon the:
(A)(i) Issuance of a joint written proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(ii) The joint written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i) of this section shall include without limitation the purpose for which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session and the date on which the General Assembly shall convene; or

(B)(i) Submission of a written proclamation containing the signatures of at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the House of Representatives and at least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate requesting that the General Assembly convene in extraordinary session.

(ii) The written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section shall include without limitation the purpose for which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session.

(iii) Upon the submission of a written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall specify a date on which the General Assembly shall convene in extraordinary session.

(2) No business other than the purpose set forth in the joint written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(A)(i) of this section or the written proclamation under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section shall be considered at an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.

(3)(A) During each regular session, the General Assembly shall establish by joint rule procedures for an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section.

(B) Joint rules established under subdivision (e)(3)(A) of this section may include without limitation:

(i) A limitation on the duration of an extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1) of this section;

(ii) The format and required content for a written proclamation requesting that the General Assembly convene in extraordinary session under subdivision (e)(1)(B)(i) of this section; and

(iii) A provision permitting the General Assembly, after having disposed of the purpose for which the extraordinary session was convened under subdivision (e)(1) of this section, to remain in session for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) days if remaining in session is approved by a vote of at
least two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the House of Representatives and at least
two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Senate and entered upon their journals.

(C) Rules established under subdivision (e)(3)(A) of this
section may be amended by the General Assembly.

(4) This section does not restrict the authority of the Governor
to convene an extraordinary session of the General Assembly under Arkansas
Constitution, Article 6, § 19.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.

SECTION 3. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and
(2) The popular name shall be “A Constitutional Amendment to Allow the General Assembly to Convene in Extraordinary Session Upon the Issuance of a Joint Written Proclamation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate or Upon the Submission of a Written Proclamation Containing the Signatures of At Least Two-Thirds (2/3) of the Members of the House of Representatives and At Least Two-Thirds (2/3) of the Members of the Senate to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate Requesting that the General Assembly Convene in Extraordinary Session”.

/s/B. Davis

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Joint Resolution No. 10. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Hendren.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35

Necessary to the adoption of the resolution ................................. 18

So the resolution was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 203 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend Senate Bill No. 203 as originally introduced:

Page 8, delete lines 22 and 23, and substitute the following:
"policyholders or claimants that are part of the subject business.
(c) The commissioner shall not authorize the submission of the insurance business transfer plan to the court unless:
(1) The assuming insurer is licensed in each line of business in each state where the transferring insurer is licensed or the assuming insurer demonstrates an extraordinary circumstance preventing the assuming insurer from obtaining the license or licenses; and
(2) The commissioner determines that the lack of the license or licenses under subdivision (c)(1) of this section would not result in an adverse material impact on the interests of policyholders, contract holders, or reinsurers.
(d) If the commissioner determines that the insurance business"

AND

Page 8, line 31, delete "(d)(1)" and substitute "(e)(1)"
AND

Page 8, line 32, delete "subsection (c)" and substitute "subsection (d)"
AND

Page 9, line 4, delete "subdivision (d)(2)" and substitute "subdivision (e)(2)"
AND

Page 9, line 8, delete "(e)" and substitute "(f)"
AND

Page 9, line 11, delete "(f)" and substitute "(g)"
AND

Page 12, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:
"transferred policies and contracts on the subject business."

(SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senate Bill No. 203 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Rapert moved to suspend the rules and place Senate Bill No. 203 at the bottom of the calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 601 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 601

Amend Senate Bill No. 601 as originally introduced:

Page 62, line 5, delete "§ 4-37-202 and" and substitute "§ 4-37-202, § 4-38-902, and § 4-38-903 and"

AND

Page 66, line 31, delete "subsections (c) and (d)" and substitute "subsections (e) and (f)"

AND

Page 66, line 32, delete "governs:" and substitute "governs the following:"

AND

Page 66, delete line 35, and substitute the following:

"(2) relations between the members and any manager or managers, and the rights and duties under this chapter of a person in the"

AND

Page 67, delete lines 1 through 5, and substitute the following:

"(3) the activities and affairs of the limited liability company and the conduct of such activities and affairs, including without limitation the requisite votes or consents from members and any managers required under this chapter; and

(4) the means and conditions for amending the operating agreement, including without limitation the votes or consents required from members and any managers with respect to any matters under this chapter.

(b) Except as provided in subsections (e) and (f), the operating agreement
may vary the terms and provisions of this chapter.

(c) For purposes of this chapter, activities include without limitation all business and financial matters.

(d) To the extent the operating agreement does not provide for a"

AND

Page 67, line 7, delete "(c)" and substitute "(e)"

AND

Page 67, line 20, delete "subdivision (d)" and substitute "subdivision (f)"

AND

Page 68, delete line 16, and substitute the following:

"(f) Subject to subdivision (e)(7), without limiting other terms that"

AND

Page 69, line 5, delete "(e)" and substitute "(g)"

AND

Page 69, line 6, delete "subdivisions (c)(6)" and substitute "subdivision (e)(6)"

AND

Page 69, line 7, delete "(d)(3)" and substitute "(f)(3)"

AND

Page 72, line 31, delete "record to" and substitute "record that is satisfactory to the Secretary of State to"

AND

Page 77, line 13, delete "filed by the" and substitute "filed with the"

AND

Page 80, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:

"(3) the information required by § 4-20-105(a)."

AND

Page 80, line 16, delete "a member" and substitute "a member or manager"

AND

Page 88, line 10, delete "each second calendar" and substitute "each calendar"

AND

Page 88, delete line 19, and substitute the following:

"§ 4-38-116.

(f) A limited liability company has satisfied the annual report requirements
under § 4-38-212 if the requirements under the Arkansas Corporate Franchise Tax Act of 1979, § 26-54-101 et seq., have been met.”

AND

Page 158, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
“be filed by this chapter .............................................. 25.00
(19) Application of foreign limited liability company
to move domicile to Arkansas ................................. 300.00”

AND

Page 160, delete lines 9 through 15, and substitute the following:
“(2) the registered agent of the limited liability company; and
(3) the state where the limited liability company is registered to do business.

4-38-1107. Tax status.
A limited liability company and its member or members shall be classified and taxed for Arkansas income tax purposes in the same manner as the limited liability company and its member or members are classified and taxed for federal income tax purposes.

4-38-1108. Effective date.”

AND

Page 163, delete line 10, and substitute the following:
“allowed;

SECTION 33. Arkansas Code Title 26, Chapter 51, Subchapter 8, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

(a) A limited liability company and its member or members shall be classified and taxed for Arkansas income tax purposes in the same manner as the limited liability company and its member or members are classified and taxed for federal income tax purposes.
(b) Subsection (a) of this section does not apply to a limited liability company and its member or members electing to pay income tax under the Elective Pass-Through Entity Tax Act, § 26-65-101 et seq.”

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 601 was ordered engrossed.
Senator Dismang moved to suspend the rules and place Senate Bill No. 601 at bottom of calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 668 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 668

Amend Senate Bill No. 668 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following:
"or with § 27-53-103 and the accident results in physical injury to another person, he or she upon"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 35, and substitute the following:
"(d) The driver of a vehicle who is involved in an accident resulting in serious physical injury to or the death of any person and who has knowingly or recklessly failed to comply with subsection (b) of this section is upon conviction guilty of a Class B felony."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 668 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Garner moved to suspend the rules and place Senate Bill No. 668 at the bottom of the calendar for voting today. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1323 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1323

Amend House Bill No. 1323 as engrossed, H3/8/21:

Add Senator T. Garner as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 32 and 33, and substitute the following:
"(b)(1) In a homicide case, the state has a right to have a photograph depicting the deceased"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1323 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Garner moved to suspend the rules to place House Bill No. 1323 at the bottom of the calendar for voting today. By voice vote the motion failed. Senator Garner requested a roll call. Five hands were seen.

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on the suspension of rules. Motion carried.

Roll call to suspend the rules regarding House Bill No. 1323:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................34

Necessary to the passage of the motion to suspend.........................24

The motion to suspend the rules passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1605 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1605

Amend House Bill No. 1605 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-13-506(a), concerning the transcript of a
court proceeding, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) When required to make a transcript of court proceedings, each court reporter of the circuit courts shall be entitled to compensation at the rate of four dollars and ten cents ($4.10) per page for the original and two (2) copies and at the rate of fifty cents (50¢) per page for each additional copy.

(2) When required to prepare photocopied evidence as part of a transcript, each court reporter shall be entitled to compensation at the rate of one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50) per page, for an original and two (2) copies and at the rate of fifty cents (50¢) per page for each additional copy thereafter, with the cost to be paid by the parties ordering transcripts.

(3) The circuit court judge in which the court proceeding occurred is exempt from this section.

(4)(A) If the circuit court judge utilized a substitute official court reporter under § 16-13-509 for a court proceeding that the circuit court judge later determines requires a transcript, the substitute official court reporter shall receive additional compensation for producing the transcript for the circuit court judge.

(B) The Trial Employees Committee of the Arkansas Judicial Council, Inc., shall develop a policy that shall be implemented by the Administrative Office of the Courts to ensure fair compensation for a substitute official court reporter who is required to produce a transcript for a circuit court judge.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1605 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Garner moved to suspend the rules to place House Bill No. 1605 at the bottom of the calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1770 at this time.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1770 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1770

Amend House Bill No. 1770 as engrossed, S4/8/21:

Page 1, line 28, delete "shall" and substitute "shall, in addition to basic student information included by the public school or open-enrollment public charter school,"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 32, and substitute the following:

"(1) A national domestic violence hotline;
(2) A national sexual assault hotline;
(3) A national suicide prevention hotline; and
(4) Campus-related contact information."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "subdivision (a)(1)" and substitute "subsection (a)"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "shall" and substitute "shall, in addition to basic student information included by the state-supported two-year or four-year institution of higher education,"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 12, and substitute the following:

"(1) A national domestic violence hotline;
(2) A national sexual assault hotline;
(3) A national suicide prevention hotline; and
(4) Campus-related contact information."

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete "subdivision (a)(1)" and substitute "subsection (a)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1770 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 701 was placed back on second
reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 701

Amend Senate Bill No. 701 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 27, delete "circuit clerk" and substitute "county clerk"

AND

Page 4, line 22, delete "shall" and substitute "may"

AND

Page 8, delete lines 16 and 17, and substitute the following:

"(7)(A)(8)(A) Absentee and early votes shall be counted prior to the closing of the polls on election day the close of business on the Thursday following election day as provided under this section, except for overseas voters as otherwise provided under this section."

AND

Page 9, delete lines 5 through 27, and substitute the following:

"(B) If the required materials are properly placed in the outer absentee ballot envelope, the election official shall proceed to read aloud from the voter statement the name of the voter; The election officials shall:

(i) Read aloud from the voter statement the name of the voter and the voting precinct in which the voter claims to be a legal voter;

(ii) List the name and voting precinct of the voter;

(iii) Compare the voter materials as provided under subdivision (b)(2) of this section; and

(iv) For first-time voters who registered by mail, compare the first-time voter's identification document unless the voter previously provided identification at the time of mailing the voter registration application;
(C) If the required materials are not properly placed in the outer absentee ballot envelope:

(i) a second election official shall open the inner absentee ballot envelope to verify the contents locate the required voter materials no earlier than 8:30 a.m. on election day; and

(D)(ii) if all required materials are present within one (1) or the other envelope, the election officials shall place the absentee ballot materials while preserving the secrecy of the voter's ballot within the inner absentee envelope, in the proper an envelope while preserving the secrecy of the voter's ballot and marked "provisional", and the absentee ballot shall be considered a provisional ballot; and shall proceed to read aloud from the voter statement the name of the voter and the voting precinct in which the voter claims to be a legal voter;

(E). As each outer envelope is opened and the name of the voter is read, the election officials for the absentee box shall list the name and voting precinct of the voter;

(D) If the required materials are properly placed in the outer absentee envelope, then the election officials shall compare the voter materials as provided under subdivision (b)(2) of this section."

AND

Page 10, line 4, delete "county clerk" and substitute "voter in the absentee ballot envelope"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 5 through 8, and substitute the following:

"(ii) The election officials shall review the absentee ballot materials to determine whether:

(a) The voter's name, residential voting address, date of birth, and signature are comparable;"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 22 and 23, and substitute the following:

"or administrator delivers the ballot, the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator written on the absentee ballot application compares with the information on the voter statement;"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 32 through 36, and substitute the following:

"administrator delivers the ballot, and the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator does not compare with the information on the voter statement;"

AND

Page 11, delete line 1 through 10, and substitute the following:

"(iv) If a first-time voter fails to provide the required voter identification with the absentee ballot or at the time of mailing the voter registration application, then the absentee application, absentee ballot envelope, and voter's statement shall be placed in an envelope marked "provisional" and the absentee ballot shall be considered a provisional ballot; or if any other voter fails to provide the required voter identification with the absentee ballot, the election officials shall place the absentee ballot materials including the inner envelope containing the ballot in an"
envelope marked “provisional”, and the absentee ballot shall be considered a provisional ballot;”

AND

Page 11, line 29, delete "(iv)" and substitute "(v)"

AND

Page 11, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following:

“(b) The voter’s name, residential voting address, date of birth, and signature compare; and

(c) If a designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator delivered the ballot, the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator written on the absentee ballot application compares with the information on the voter statement;”

AND

Page 12, delete line 1

AND

Page 12, line 2, delete "(v)" and substitute "(vi)"

AND

Page 12, delete lines 9 through 11, and substitute the following:

“(c) If a designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator delivers the ballot, the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator does not compare with the information on the voter statement.

(ii) The absentee ballot materials and the absentee ballot shall be placed in an envelope marked “provisional” and the absentee ballot shall be considered a provisional ballot if:

(a) The required absentee ballot materials are incomplete or missing;

(b) The voter’s name, residential voting address, date of birth, and signature do not compare; or

(c) If a designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator delivers the ballot, the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator does not compare with the information on the voter statement;”

AND

Page 13, delete lines 17 through 22, and substitute the following:
"(D)(i) An absentee ballot that has been designated provisional for not including the required voter identification with the absentee ballot materials shall be cured according to the procedure set out in Arkansas Constitution Amendment 51, § 13."

AND

Page 13, line 25, delete "the close of business" and substitute "noon"

AND

Page 13, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following:

"(b) In person or in writing to the county clerk, county board of"

AND

Page 14, delete lines 3 through 9, and substitute the following:

"(B) If a designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator delivered the ballot, and the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator did not compare with the information on the voter statement."

AND

Page 14, delete lines 10 through 12, substitute the following:

"(iii) An absentee ballot shall not be counted if:
(a) It has been marked provisional and is not cured under either subdivision (b)(3)(D)(i) or subdivision (b)(3)(D)(ii) of this section; or"

(b) It did not include a voter statement.

AND

Page 14, line 14, delete "bearer" and substitute "bearer, authorized agent, or administrator"

AND

Page 14, line 27, delete "twenty-four (24) hours" and substitute "forty-eight (48) hours"

AND

Page 14, line 25, delete "believes" and substitute "determines"

AND

Page 15, line 3, delete "twenty-four (24) hours" and substitute "forty-eight (48) hours"

AND

Page 16, delete line 23, and substitute the following:
"materials, and the county clerk shall provide any relevant absentee ballot materials in their possession; and"

AND
Page 16, delete lines 26 through 30, and substitute the following:

“(B) A ballot is not automatically considered fraudulently submitted merely because it was not counted because:

(i) Not all the required voter materials were included;
(ii) The voter materials did not compare;
(iii) If a designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator delivered the ballot, the name of the designated bearer, authorized agent, or administrator did not compare with the information on the voter statement; or

(iv) For another innocuous reason.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 701 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Clark moved to suspend the rules to place Senate Bill No. 696 on calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, Senate Resolution No. 24 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SULLIVAN

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE JONESBORO GIRLS AND BOYS BASKETBALL TEAMS FOR THEIR SUCCESS IN WINNING THE 5A STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Senate Resolution No. 24 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senator Wallace moved to suspend the rules on Senate Bill No. 676 for placing on calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 336 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 336
As Engrossed: S4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX FOR COINS, CURRENCY, AND BULLION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 336 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 336. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 30

NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Chesterfield, Davis, Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 4
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 336 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Hickey moved to suspend the rules to place Senate Bill No. 693 on calendar for voting today. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 540 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 540
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT; TO SPECIFY TERMS REGARDING TERMINATION AND BUYOUT AGREEMENTS THAT A CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT SHALL INCLUDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 540 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 540. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 540 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 541 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 541
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SIGNS DESIGNATING THE BIRTHPLACE OF THE BOWIE KNIFE, ARKANSAS HERITAGE SITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 541 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 541. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 541 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 627 at this time.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 627 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 627

Amend Senate Bill No. 627 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PROPAGATION OF DIVISIVE CONCEPTS; TO REVIEW STATE ENTITY TRAINING MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO PROHIBIT THE PROPAGATION OF DIVISIVE CONCEPTS; AND TO REVIEW STATE ENTITY TRAINING MATERIALS."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 33

AND

Page 1, line 34, delete "(2)" and substitute "(1)"
AND

Page 2, delete lines 8 and 9

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "(F)" and substitute "(E)"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "(G)" and substitute "(F)"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "(H)" and substitute "(G)"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "(I)" and substitute "(H)"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "(J)" and substitute "(I)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(4)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(5)(A)" and substitute "(3)(A)"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "(6)(A)" and substitute "(4)(A)"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "or"

AND

Page 3, delete line 22, and substitute the following:

"(v) The offices of constitutional officers; or
(vi) Law enforcement training certified by the Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training."

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "employee, contractor, or staff member," and substitute "employee"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 33 through 36
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 627 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 633 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 633
As Engrossed: S4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION ACT OF 1997; TO ADD TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDERS OR PERSONS CHARGED WITH A SEX OFFENSE SUBJECT TO ELECTRONIC MONITORING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 633 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 633. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ....................................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 633 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 650 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 650
As Engrossed: S4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ASSET LIMITS FOR THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; TO ALLOW FOR AN ADJUSTMENT TO THE ASSET LIMIT BASED UPON INFLATION; TO INCLUDE AN AUTOMATIC INFLATION ADJUSTMENT; TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO REQUEST A BROAD-BASED CATEGORICAL ELIGIBILITY WAIVER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 650 was read third time.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 650 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 673 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 673  
As Engrossed: S4/15/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DALBY, HUDSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTORY FORECLOSURE ACT OF 1987; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 673 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 673. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 673 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 685 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 685
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SEALING OF A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE OF DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 685 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 685. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 685 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 686 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 686
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MOTOR CARRIERS; TO REGULATE GROUND TRANSPORTATION AT MUNICIPAL AIRPORTS AND REGIONAL AIRPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 686 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson spoke against the Bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the Bill.
Senator Rapert spoke against the Bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke for the Bill.
Senator Clark spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator B. Johnson spoke on the Bill.
Senator Eads closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 17
NEGATIVE: Beckham, Clark, Davis, Dismang, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Ingram, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Rapert, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Teague.

Total .............................................................. 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell.

Total .............................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Hammer, Hill, B. Johnson.

Total .............................................................. 3

Total number of votes cast .................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 686 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Eads moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 686 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 686 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 21, 2021.
On motion of Senator Beckham, Senate Bill No. 694 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 694
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BECKHAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO DEVELOP AN ASYNCHRONOUS MODULE ON THE CONCEPTS OF PERSONAL FINANCE AND MACROECONOMICS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO STUDENTS ENROLLED IN INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 694 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke for the Bill.

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 694. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ...........................................................................................................0
VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 694 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: REQUESTING THAT SENATOR RAPERT BE AUTHORIZED TO PURSUE THE CONSIDERATION OF SJR 14 AS A THIRD PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Senate Resolution No. 26 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senator Rapert moved to suspend the rules to place Senate Resolution No. 26 on calendar for voting today. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 132
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Garner, Hester.

Total .......................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Chesterfield, Clark, Elliott, Flowers.

Total .......................................................... 5

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 132, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Garner, Hester.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Chesterfield, Clark, Elliott, Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 30

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 132 was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Garner requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of Senate Bill No. 132. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:
Total number of votes cast 30
Necessary to the passage of the Bill 27
Total number voting in the affirmative 27
Total number voting in the negative 3
Total number absent or not voting 5

Upon sounding of the ballot, Senator Caldwell's vote was struck so Senate Bill No. 132 failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Flowers requested leave for remainder of day. Leave granted.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSC, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 132
As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 28

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Garner.

Total ......................................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Caldwell, Clark.

Total ....................................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ......................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott.

Total ......................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ...................................................................... 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 132, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE: Ballinger, Garner.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Caldwell, Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast........................................................... 31
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 132 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
April 21, 2021

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, House Bill No. 1707.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SHERRI STACKS
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1707 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, House Bill No. 1707 was ordered returned to the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 203, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
SENATE BILL NO. 601, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 668, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1323, by Representative Gazaway,
House Bill No. 1605, by Representative Gazaway,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) Senator Blake Johnson

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 6
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session


Senate Memorial Resolution to Remember Paul Greenberg
And His Contributions to the State of Arkansas.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1770, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1770 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
April 21, 2021

The Honorable Sherri Stacks
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Stacks:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 332.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate
On motion of Senator Sample, House Bill No. 1199 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1199
As Engrossed: H3/3/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENZO, WARREN
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS CONCERNING CONTRACTS, REPORTS, AND RECORDS OF PEST CONTROL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1199 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sample moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1199. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1199 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1349 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
As Engrossed: H3/9/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, ET AL
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, CALDWELL, L. CHESTERFIELD, L. EADS,
K. INGRAM, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING, B. SAMPLE,
G. STUBBLEFIELD, J. STURCH, TEAGUE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EVERY ARKANSAN RETIREMENT PLAN OPPORTUNITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1349 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1390 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1390
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH ARKANSAS AS A SECOND AMENDMENT SANCTUARY STATE; CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF A PERSON WHO POSSESSES A FIREARM; TO REQUIRE RATIFICATION TO RECOGNIZE FEDERAL FIREARMS LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1390 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1390 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1405 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1405  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE “QUINCY’S LAW”; TO PROVIDE FOR CONSIDERATION OF A DIFFERENTIAL DIAGNOSIS IN AN INVESTIGATION INVOLVING ABUSE UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1405 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1405. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1405 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1499 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
As Engrossed: H3/1/21 H3/16/21 S4/14/21 S4/15/21 S4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. FITE, JETT, VAUGHT
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION; CONCERNING NOTICE OF SEVERE MALTREATMENT REPORTS; CONCERNING CERTAIN ANNUAL REPORTS SUBMITTED BY THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senator Rice spoke on the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.
Senator Irvin spoke for the Bill.
Senator Dismang closed for the Bill.

House Bill No. 1499 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1499. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 24

NEGATIVE: M. Johnson, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Clark, Elliott, Ingram, Rapert, Rice, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 8

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1499 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1547 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1547
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. DAVIS, B. BALLINGER, BLEDSOE, A. CLARK,
T. GARNER, K. HAMMER, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE STATE FROM MANDATING A VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO GOVERN REQUIREMENTS FOR A VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) EXCEPT IN CERTAIN CONDITIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1547 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................21

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.
Total .............................................................................................................8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Caldwell, Hickey, Irvin, Teague.
Total .............................................................................................................5

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

********* EXPUNGED*********

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1547, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Clark, Davis, Dismang, Eads, English, Flippo,
Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Hill, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Wallace.
Total .......................................................................................... 21

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Sample,
Tucker.
Total .......................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Caldwell, Hickey, Irvin, Teague.
Total .......................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 29
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24
So the Emergency Clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Davis moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1547 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Emergency Clause failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 21, 2021.

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1547, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................28

NEGATIVE:  Sample.

Total .............................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Hendren.

Total .............................................................................................................4

EXCUSED:  Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  Elliott.

Total .............................................................................................................1
Total number of votes cast ..........................................................30
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1547 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1612 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

     HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
     NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
     REGULAR SESSION
     BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE EVALUATION AND RESTRUCTURING OF LICENSURE FEES RELATED TO THE PRACTICE OF PHYSICAL THERAPY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1612 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1612. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1612 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1642 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1642
As Engrossed: H3/23/21 S4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE SUCCESSFUL FAMILIES IN PUBLIC HOUSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1642 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1642. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1642 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1646 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1646
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES CLOUD, BARKER, BECK, S. BERRY, BOYD, BRAGG, BREAUX, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CAVENAUGH, CHRISTIANSEN, COLEMAN, COZART, CRAWFORD, DOTSON, EVANS, C. FITE, L. FITE, FURMAN, GAZAWAY, GONZALES, HAAK, HAWKS, HILLMAN, HOLLOWELL, LADYMAN, LYNCH, MADDOX, J. MAYBERRY, MCCLURE, MCCOLLUM, MCNAIR, S. MEEKS, MILLER, PAYTON, RAY, SLAPE, B. SMITH, S. SMITH, TOLLETT, UNDERWOOD, WATSON, WOOTEN, PILKINGTON
BY:  SENATORS RAPERT, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, FLIPPO, GILMORE, HILL, B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "PERSON" IN THE ARKANSAS CRIMINAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1646 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1646. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1646 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1660 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1660
As Engrossed: H3/10/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO CLARIFY THAT DECISIONS OF A MUNICIPAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT ARE APPEALED TO CIRCUIT COURT UNLESS THE GOVERNING BODY OF A MUNICIPALITY PROVIDES BY ORDINANCE THAT THE GOVERNING BODY SHALL HEAR APPEALS FIRST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1660 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1660. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


  Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE:

  Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

  Total ......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.

  Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

  Total ......................................................................................... 5

  Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

  Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1660 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1683 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1683**

*As Engrossed: H3/18/21*

**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING PROCEDURAL ENHANCEMENTS TO ENFORCEMENT MECHANISMS OF THE MASTER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1683 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Flippo moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1683. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1683 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sullivan, House Bill No. 1709 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1709
As Engrossed:  H3/22/21  H4/12/21  S4/15/21  S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, BOYD, VAUGHT, BARKER, BECK,
BENTLEY, BRAGG, CAVENAUGH, CLOUD, CRAWFORD, EAVES, EVANS,
D. GARNER, M. GRAY, HAWKS, HOLCOMB, HOLLOWELL, MADDOX, MCNAIR,
MILLER, MILLIGAN, RICHMOND, SPEAKS, WARDLAW, PENZO, B. SMITH
BY:  SENATORS D. SULLIVAN, K. HAMMER, FLIPPO, HILL,
IRVIN, RAPERT, RICE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES ON HOW
REBATES ARE OFFERED BY A PHARMACEUTICAL MANUFACTURER THAT
SELLS INSULIN IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1709 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sullivan moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1709. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..............................................................................................30

NEGATIVE:

Total ..............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Bledsoe, Sturch, Teague.

Total ..............................................................................................3

EXCUSED:  Flowers.

Total ..............................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:  Eads.

Total ..............................................................................................1

Total number of votes cast ..............................................................31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1709 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1702 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1702
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING BICYCLE SAFETY; TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF A PERSON OPERATING A BICYCLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1702 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 27

NEGATIVE: Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Flippo, Hester, Hickey, Rice, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................ 6

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1702 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1726 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726
As Engrossed: H3/29/21 H3/30/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, ET AL
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, GILMORE, BECKHAM, A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE OUACHITA RIVER COMMISSION FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, HERITAGE, AND TOURISM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1726 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1726. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1726, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1726 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1754 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1754
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CAVENAUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CHILD SUPPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1754 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1754. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................34
NEGATIVE:
  Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
  Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1754 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Eads, House Bill No. 1767 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1767
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE OPERATION OF A PERSONAL DELIVERY DEVICE IN PEDESTRIAN AREAS AND CERTAIN STREETS AND ROADS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1767 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Clark, Gilmore.

Total .......................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, English, Rapert, Sturch, Teague.

Total .......................................................... 5

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................ 29

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1767 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1805 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1805**
*As Engrossed: S4/20/21*
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK**
**BY: SENATOR TEAGUE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROPERTY OWNER’S RIGHT TO REPAIR ANY DEFECT OR DISREPAIR ON THE PREMISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1805 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Teague moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1805. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**
Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**
Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.
Total ................................................................................................ 1

**VOTING PRESENT:** Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 1
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1805 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1880 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880  
As Engrossed: S4/19/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON  
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CRISIS INTERVENTION PROTOCOL ACT OF 2017; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1880 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1880. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1880 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1323 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS IN-LIFE PHOTOGRAPH ACT; PERMITTING THE IN-LIFE PHOTOGRAPH OF A CRIME VICTIM TO BE DISPLAYED AT THE TRIAL OF A PERSON ACCUSED OF COMMITTING THE HOMICIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1323 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1323. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1323 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1605 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605
As Engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PAYMENT FOR A COURT TRANSCRIPT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1605 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1605. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1605 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 652 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 652
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 652 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 652. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:  Garner.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 652 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 676 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 676
As Engrossed: S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. WALLACE, G. LEDING, T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, WING, DALBY, MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "JUSTICE FOR VULNERABLE VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ABUSE ACT"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 676 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................31

NEGATIVE: Clark.

Total .................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hendren, B. Johnson.

Total .................................................................2

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................32  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 676 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 203 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 203 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 203  
As Engrossed: S4/21/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR RAPERT  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE BUSINESS TRANSFER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 203 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 203. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total ................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 203 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
April 21, 2021

Ms. Ann Cornwell
Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of Ethics and to comply with full disclosure.

Senate Bill No. 203 of 2021

I am a licensed insurance agent.

Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Jason Rapert
State Senator
District 35

JR/ac
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Resolution No. 26 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT SENATOR RAPERT BE AUTHORIZED TO PURSUE THE CONSIDERATION OF SJR 14 AS A THIRD PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Senate Resolution No. 26 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Resolution pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 29

Necessary to the adoption of the resolution ........................................ 24

So Senate Resolution No. 26 was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 601 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 601
As Engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SMALL BUSINESS ENTITY TAX PASS THROUGH ACT; TO ESTABLISH THE UNIFORM LIMIT.

Senate Bill No. 601 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 601. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 601 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 484 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 484 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 484

Amend Senate Bill No. 484 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11, delete "TO ADOPT THE MODEL"
AND
Page 1, delete line 12
AND
Delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"TO CLARIFY THE ALLOCATION OF NONRESIDENT INCOME FOR ARKANSAS INCOME TAX PURPOSES; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."
AND

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 32, and substitute the following:

"It is the intent of the General Assembly to clarify that nonresident income is allocated based on where the employee is located when performing the work associated with the income."

AND

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 26-51-504(a)(1), concerning the income tax treatment of income from sources outside Arkansas, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) For purpose of ascertaining the income tax due by an individual resident of Arkansas whose gross income includes income derived from property located outside the State of Arkansas, or from business transacted outside the State of Arkansas, the tax shall first be computed as if all of the income of the resident were derived from sources within the State of Arkansas, but a credit shall then be given on the tax as so computed, for the amount of income tax actually owed by the resident for the year to any other state or territory on account of income from property owned or business transacted in the other state or territory. However, credit shall not exceed what the tax would be on the outside income, if added to the Arkansas income, and calculated at Arkansas income tax rates.

(B) Income from property located or business transacted in another state or territory does not include work performed in this state as provided in § 26-51-202(c)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 484 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1698 at this time.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1698 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1698

Amend House Bill No. 1698 as engrossed, S4/20/21:

Page 1, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following:
"TAXES; TO"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DELINQUENT PROPERTY TAXES; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FEE CHARGED FOR SETTING OFF DEBTS AGAINST STATE TAX REFUNDS."

AND

Delete SECTION 1 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1698 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 668 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 668
As Engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ACTS 2021, NO. 558, TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF FAILURE TO REMAIN AT THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT THAT RESULTS IN DEATH OR PHYSICAL INJURY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 668 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 668. Motion carried.


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 668 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 698, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Ballinger, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 698 at this time.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 698 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 698
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BAIL BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 698 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 698. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 698 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 696 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 696
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A FIRE DEPARTMENT APPLICANT TO SUBMIT TO A BACKGROUND CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 696 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 696. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................30
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Irvin, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham, Gilmore.
Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 696 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 693 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 693
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HICKEY, RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE STATE AND
PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE BOARD; TO TRANSFER THE
DUTIES OF THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE
PROGRAM TO THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF
THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE; TO AMEND THE STATE ENTITIES
TRANSFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED
SERVICES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 693 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 693.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE: Teague.
Total .........................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .........................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 693, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Tucker, Wallace.

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 693 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate recessed until 5:40 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 484, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 701, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 701 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1801 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1801
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MURDOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A CHANGE TO A DESIGNATED OR NAMED BENEFICIARY OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY OR ANNUITY CONTRACT THROUGH A WILL; TO CLARIFY THAT ONLY A CHANGE TO A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY OR ANNUITY CONTRACT CAN CHANGE THE DESIGNATED OR NAMED BENEFICIARY OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY OR ANNUITY CONTRACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1801 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Elliott moved that the body roll the vote on *House Bill No. 1801*. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:** Stubblefield, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*House Bill No. 1801* was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1828 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1828
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARITY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES IS REQUIRED TO PROMULGATE RULES TO ESTABLISH ELIGIBILITY FOR LONG-TERM CARE NURSING FACILITY PLACEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1828 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1828. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1828 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1829 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1829
As Engrossed: H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POSTHUMOUSLY CONCEIVED CHILDREN AS IT RELATES TO INTESTATE SUCCESSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1829 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1829. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1829 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Sturch, House Bill No. 1843 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1843
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOSH, WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VOICE STRESS EXAMINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1843 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sturch moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1843. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: 
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1843 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1847 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY FOR LONG-TERM CARE MEDICAID ASSISTANCE; TO ENSURE THAT BENEFICIARIES ON THE LOW-INCOME DISABLED WORKING PERSON CATEGORY OF MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY CAN TRANSITION TO OTHER CATEGORIES IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM UPON RETIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1847 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1847. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 32

**NEGATIVE:**  Beckham.

Total ................................................................. 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:**  Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**  Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

*House Bill No. 1847 was returned to the House as passed.*

On motion of Senator Irvin, *House Bill No. 1852* was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SET STANDARDS FOR PRESCRIPTIONS DELIVERY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1852 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1852. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1852 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1877 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1877
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PILKINGTON, SCOTT, RICHARDSON
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRITICAL INCIDENT DEBRIEFING FOR FIREFIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1877 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1877. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1877 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1894 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1894
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARKER
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE BLUE RIBBON TASK FORCE TO END CHILD ABUSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1894 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1894. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1894 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1898 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1898
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO DEFINE "VEHICLE" AS AN EXTENSION OF A PERSON'S HOME; TO DEFINE THE TERM "JOURNEY" ACROSS ALL APPLICABLE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1898 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved for immediate consideration. Motion carried. A pair was announced at the Desk. Rapert yea, Leding nay.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE  April 21, 2021

PAIR VOTE

House Bill No. 1898

VOTING YEA  ____ (SIGNED)  SENATOR JASON RAPERT

VOTING NAY  ____ (SIGNED)  SENATOR GREG LEDING

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................................. 28

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total .................................................................................................................... 5

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Caldwell.
Total .................................................................................................................... 1

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.
Total .................................................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**
Total .................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1898 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1909 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1909
As Engrossed H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LIMITATIONS ON ACCESS TO A CULTIVATION FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1909 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1909. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................................................27

NEGATIVE: Gilmore.

Total ..........................................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flippo, Stubblefield, Teague.

Total ..........................................................................................................................3

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ..........................................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson, Pitsch, Rice.

Total ..........................................................................................................................3
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1909 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 484 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 484
As Engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TAXATION OF NONRESIDENT INCOME; TO CLARIFY THE ALLOCATION OF NONRESIDENT INCOME FOR ARKANSAS INCOME TAX PURPOSES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 484 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 484. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 484, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 484 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House. 

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698, BY REPRESENTATIVE JETT,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1698 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698
As Engrossed: S4/20/21 S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JETT
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT TAXES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DELINQUENT PROPERTY TAXES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FEE CHARGED FOR COLLECTION ASSISTANCE IN SETTING OFF CERTAIN DEBTS AGAINST STATE TAX REFUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1698 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1698. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1698 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 332 was ordered immediately returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 332 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 704
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE USED TIRE RECYCLING AND ACCOUNTABILITY PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE AMOUNT IMPOSED FOR THE RIM REMOVAL FEES; TO IMPOSE A NEW MOTOR VEHICLE TIRE FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 704 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 705
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FRESH START ACT OF 2021; TO HELP INDIVIDUALS WITH CRIMINAL RECORDS REENTER AND MOVE TO THE WORKFORCE AND STAY OUT OF PRISON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 705 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE BILL NO. 706
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND 18-15-104(4) AND 18-15-1802(C)(2) AS AMENDED BY SB334 OF 2021; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A STATE AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 706 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ENCOURAGE THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PASS THE RESIDENT PHYSICIAN SHORTAGE REDUCTION ACT OF 2021 TO REFORM THE NATION’S MEDICARE-SUPPORTED GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND TO PROVIDE RURAL STATES AND RURAL COMMUNITIES WITH ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO MEET THE HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE NEEDS OF THE FUTURE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills: Senate Bills Nos. 158 & 211. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 158 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 158
As Engrossed: S1/26/21  S3/22/21  S4/14/21  S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION - PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 158 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 158, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:  Flowers.
Total .................................................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 158 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 211 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 211
As Engrossed: S3/1/21 S3/8/21 S4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 211 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 211, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ............................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ............................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ............................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 211 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills: House Bills Nos. 1146 & 1532. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1146 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1146
As Engrossed: H3/23/21 H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS - DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1146 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total .................................................................1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0
Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1146, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.
Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1146 was ordered immediately returned to the House as
passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1532 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

House Bill No. 1532 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1532, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1532 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.
SENATE BILL NO. 707
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CULTURALLY RELEVANT AND INCLUSIVE EDUCATION PRACTICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 707 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1207
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1207 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1761
As Engrossed:  H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT ARE RELATED TO RACE AND ETHNICITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1761 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1827
As Engrossed:  H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES BEATY JR., WARDLAW
BY:  SENATORS GILMORE, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, D. SULLIVAN, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF SURPLUS HIGHWAY PROPERTY; TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF ROAD MILLINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1827 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACTS 2021, NO. 328 TO EXEMPT CERTAIN TYPES OF VEHICLES FROM THE REQUIRED ADDITIONAL FEE FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND HYBRID VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1893 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY N& LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1922
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1922 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.
HOUSE BILL NO. 1931
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1931 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MILLER, PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE AVAILABLE SENTENCES FOR CERTAIN SEX OFFENSES INVOLVING A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1934 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 27
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

SENATE RESOLUTION TO DESIGNATE MAY 2021 AS CYSTIC FIBROSIS AWARENESS MONTH.

Senate Resolution No. 27 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 26 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 164 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 244 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 450 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 467 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 552 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 564 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 566 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 574 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 606 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 629 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 647 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 669 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 677 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 680 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 689 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 300 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 247 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 247 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 248 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 353 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 544 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 544 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 573 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 573 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 595 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 595 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 639 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 706, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1508, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1625, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAAK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1668, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1669, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1670, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1693, BY REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1791, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1897, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1900, BY REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass and concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 476, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1724, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1870, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 547, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 590, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 611, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1746, BY REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1855, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1890, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1910, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 609, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO, VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 599, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1591, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1610, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1700, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1770, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1826, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1837, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1848, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1863, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1879, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. COOPER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 21, 2021
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1891, BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD, MEMBER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020,

BY REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT, VICE CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

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AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 247 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 248 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 300 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 353 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
SENATE BILL NO. 544 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 573 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
SENATE BILL NO. 595 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 639 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 332

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1207
HOUSE BILL NO. 1761
HOUSE BILL NO. 1827
HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
HOUSE BILL NO. 1922
HOUSE BILL NO. 1931
HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Thursday, April 22, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 1:10 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Leding requested leave for Senator Flowers.

Senator Hickey requested leave for Senator Irvin. Leaves granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wallace.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 21, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 415 - ACT 808
- Senate Bill No. 555 - ACT 809

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO.  26, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 244, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 450, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 467, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 552, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 564, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
SENATE BILL NO. 566, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 574, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 629, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 606, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 647, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 669, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 677, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 680, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 689, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:35 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 26
SENATE BILL NO. 164
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SENATE BILL NO. 689

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty second day of April, 2021 at 10:35 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 703, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1525, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1883, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1913, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1920, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 573, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1884, BY REPRESENTATIVE EAVES,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 134, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 95, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 375, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 702, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG, CHAIRMAN
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 485, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN,
(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER, MEMBER,
(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, MEMBER,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH, MEMBER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 701, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER, VICE CHAIRMAN,
(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER, MEMBER,
(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS, MEMBER,
(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER, MEMBER
(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 247, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass in concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1827, BY REPRESENTATIVE BEATY JR.,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1849, BY REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1893, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON BEING NAMED A NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL.

Senate Resolution No. 28 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Pitsch, Senate Resolution No. 25 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. PITSCH

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND MISS DARYNNE DAHLEM ON HER SELECTION AS MISS ARKANSAS 2019 AND 2020.

Senate Resolution No. 25 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator C. Tucker, Senate Bill No. 476 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 476

Amend Senate Bill No. 476 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 25, and substitute the following:
"18-17-914. Sealing of court records for eviction.
(a) As used in this section, "adversely impacted" means the tenant's failure to pay rent was caused by the coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic."

AND

Page 1, line 26, delete "(a)" and substitute "(b)"

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "and"

AND
Page 1, delete line 32, and substitute the following:
"pandemic; and
(3) Motion permitted by this subsection is filed within one hundred eighty (180) days of the termination of any executive order issued by the Governor declaring an emergency related to the coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, including without limitation any future executive order declaring an emergency related to the coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "(b)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
“(3) § 18-60-304.
(d) A defendant shall not be able to have the court seal a court record under subsection (b) of this section more than three (3) times.
(e) The sealing of a court record relating to an eviction under this section does not inhibit a landlord from enforcing a judgment entered against the defendant due to the eviction either in the jurisdiction in which the court record is sealed or any other jurisdiction.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 476 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 611 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 611

Amend Senate Bill No. 611 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 8, delete "TASK FORCE ON ACUITY-BASED CARE" and substitute "ACUITY-BASED CARE COMMITTEE"

AND
Delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"TO CREATE THE ACUITY-BASED CARE COMMITTEE; AND TO RECOMMEND PROTOCOLS AND PROCEDURES TO CREATE STANDARDIZATION AND CONSISTENCY IN NURSE STAFFING WITHIN HOSPITALS AND REHABILITATION AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 36, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE. DO NOT CODIFY. Acuity-Based Care Committee — Creation — Membership — Duties."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 12

AND

Page 2, delete line 13, and substitute the following:

"(a) There is created the Acuity-Based Care Committee to study."

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "(c) The task force" and substitute "(b) The committee"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "and"

AND

Page 2, delete line 35, and substitute the following:

"(14) A representative of the Arkansas State Office of AARP, Inc.; (15) A representative of the Arkansas Emergency Nurses Association; (16) A representative of the Arkansas Nursing Home Nurses Association; (17) A representative of the Arkansas Chapter of the American Association of Critical Care Nurses; (18) A representative of Blue Cross Blue Shield; and (19) A representative of Centene Corporation."

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "(d) If a vacancy occurs on the task force" and substitute "(c) If a vacancy occurs on the committee"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "(e) The legislative members of the task force" and substitute "(d) The legislative members of the committee"
Page 3, line 5, delete "(f)(1)" and substitute "(e)(1)"

Page 3, line 6, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 8, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 9, delete "task force shall elect from the task force's" and substitute "committee shall elect from the committee's"

Page 3, line 11, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 12, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 15, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 17, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 18, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 20, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 22, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"

Page 3, line 23, delete "(g)(1) The purpose of the task force" and substitute "(f)(1) The purpose of the committee"

Page 3, line 27, delete "task force" and substitute "committee"
Page 3, line 35, delete "(h) On or before March 1, 2022, the task force" and substitute "(g) On or before March 1, 2022, the committee"

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete "task" and substitute "committee’s"

AND

Page 4, line 2, delete "force’s"

AND

Page 4, line 3, delete "(i) The task force" and substitute "(h) The committee"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 611 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1012 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1012

Amend House Bill No. 1012 as engrossed, H4/7/21:

Page 2, delete line 8 and substitute the following:

"purchase.

(2) An electronic record under subdivision (a)(1) of this section is not required if:

(A) A used catalytic converter is sold as a vehicle repair part in compliance with United States Environmental Protection Agency policy.

(B)(i) The used catalytic converter is marked with the date the converter was removed from the vehicle.

(ii) The marking may be made in any permanent manner, including but not limited to engraving or use of permanent ink.

(iii) The marking must clearly and legibly indicate the date the catalytic converter was removed from the vehicle.

(C)(i) The vehicle identification number of the vehicle from which the converter was removed or an alternative number to the vehicle identification number is marked on the catalytic converter.
(ii) If an alternative number is used, the alternative number must be under a numbering system that can be immediately linked to the vehicle identification number by law enforcement.

(iii) The marking may be made in any permanent manner, including but not limited to engraving or use of permanent ink.

(iv) The marking must clearly and legibly indicate the vehicle identification number or the alternative number the catalytic converter was removed from the vehicle.

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1012 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1554 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1554

Amend House Bill No. 1554 as engrossed, H4/15/21:

Page 2, delete line 3, and substitute the following:

"(5) A controlled substance offense under § 5-64-401 et seq. that is not a Class Y felony."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
House Bill No. 1554 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1615 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1615

Amend House Bill No. 1615 as engrossed, H4/01/21:

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-4-101(f), concerning the members, officers, meetings, and duties of the State Board of Election Commissioners, is amended to add additional subdivisions to read as follows:

(15) Consider an appeal filed to challenge a reduction in the number of polling sites in a county by a county board of election commissioners under § 7-5-101; and

(16) Formulate, adopt, and promulgate rules for governing the appeal of a county board of election commissioners' reduction in the number of polling sites in a county under § 7-5-101.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-4-109(a), concerning qualifications of"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 17

AND

Page 2, delete lines 20 through 25, and substitute the following:

"election commissioners present.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 7-5-101(d)(2), concerning the establishment and alteration of precinct boundaries, polling sites, and vote centers, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) The county board of election commissioners shall not change a polling site for any precinct less than thirty (30) sixty (60) days before an a preferential primary election or general election, except in the event of an emergency.

(B) The county board of election commissioners shall not change a polling site for any precinct less than thirty (30) days before an election other than a preferential primary or general election, except in the event of an emergency.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 7-5-101(d), concerning the establishment and alteration of precinct boundaries, polling sites, and vote centers, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(4)(A) If the county board of election commissioners reduces the total number of polling sites available in the county in a preferential primary election or a general election, a qualified elector of the county may appeal the decision to close
the polling site that adversely affects the qualified elector's ability to cast a ballot to the State Board of Election Commissioners.

(B) An appeal made to the State Board of Election Commissioners shall:

(i) Be filed in writing within seven (7) days of the vote of the county board of election commissioners to reduce the number of polling sites available in the county;

(ii) Describe clearly the polling site that was closed;

(iii) Describe the reason the closure of the polling site in question adversely affects the election process; and

(iv) Be signed by the appellant under penalty of perjury.

(C) When a timely and sufficient appeal is filed under this subsection, the State Board of Election Commissioners shall determine if the reduction in polling sites is permissible in a timely fashion and shall issue an order resolving the appeal no less than thirty (30) days before the date of the election.

(D) An order by the State Board of Election Commissioners prohibiting a reduction in polling sites under this subsection shall be effective for the remainder of the term of the county board of election commissioners whose actions were appealed."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1615 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1724 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1724

Amend House Bill No. 1724 as engrossed, H3/17/21:
Page 2, delete lines 32 through 34, and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) "Disturbing the peace" means a pattern of behavior that unreasonably destroys the mental or emotional calm of a family or household member based on the totality of the circumstances."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1724 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1793 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1793

Amend House Bill No. 1793 as engrossed, H4/7/21:

Delete the TITLE in its entirety, and substitute the following:  
"AN ACT REQUIRING A CORRECTIONAL OR DETENTION FACILITY OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TO ESTABLISH A POLICY TO OFFER MAMMOGRAMS AND PHYSICIAN CONSULTATIONS TO FEMALE INMATES AND DETAINEES OF CERTAIN AGES AND TO OFFER PROSTATE EXAMS AND PHYSICIAN CONSULTATIONS TO MALE INMATES AND DETAINEES OF CERTAIN AGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"REQUIRING A CORRECTIONAL OR DETENTION FACILITY OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TO ESTABLISH A POLICY TO OFFER MAMMOGRAMS AND PROSTATE SCREENINGS TO INMATES AND DETAINEES, AS APPROPRIATE."
AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 29, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

12-29-408. Prostate screening and physician consultation.
(a) A correctional or detention facility operated or administered by the Department of Corrections shall establish a policy to offer a male inmate or detainee who is:

(1) Fifty-five (55) years of age or older but younger than seventy (70) years of age a prostate screening every two (2) years; and
(2) Forty (40) years of age or older but younger than fifty-five (55) years of age a consultation with a physician to seek professional care as to when to receive a prostate screening.
(b) A prostate screening or consultation with a physician under this section shall be at no cost to the male inmate or detainee.
(c) As used in this section, "prostate screening" means a prostate-specific antigen test.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 32, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

12-32-104. Mammograms and physician consultation.
(a) A correctional or detention facility operated or administered by the Department of Corrections shall establish a policy to offer a female inmate or detainee who is:

(1) Fifty (50) years of age or older but younger than seventy-five (75) years of age a mammogram screening every two (2) years; and
(2) Forty (40) years of age or older but younger than fifty (50) years of age a consultation with a physician to seek professional care as to when to receive a mammogram.
(b) A mammogram or consultation with a physician under this section shall be at no cost to the female inmate or detainee."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1793 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1800 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1800

Amend House Bill No. 1800 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 26, delete "performance" and substitute "surety"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 3, add an additional section to read as follows:
"SECTION 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.
This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1800 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1870 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1870

Amend House Bill No. 1870 as originally introduced:

Delete Senator B. Davis as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Senators T. Garner and B. Davis as cosponsors of the bill

AND
Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:
"and before the pregnancy ends, including costs related to a miscarriage or stillbirth, minus any portion of the health insurance"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 6, and substitute the following:
"against him the putative father for the lying-in pregnancy and childbirth expenses in favor of the mother, person, or agency incurring the lying-in expenses, of the child in accordance with subdivisions (b)(1) and (b)(3) of this section, if claimed."

AND

Page 2, delete line 13, and substitute the following:
"pregnancy and childbirth expenses as provided under this section.

(C) This section does not create a right of subrogation in favor of any provider of public or private health insurance benefits."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 25 through 32, and substitute the following:
"(4) A biological father of a child shall not be ordered to pay for pregnancy and childbirth expenses if:

(A) The mother of the child receives an abortion without the consent of the biological father of the child unless the:

(i) Abortion is necessary to avert the death of the mother; or

(ii) Mother of the child became pregnant as a result of rape as described in § 5-14-103 or incest as described in § 5-26-202; or

(B) The claim against the biological father for pregnancy and childbirth expenses is filed with the court more than five (5) years after the:

(i) Child's date of birth;

(ii) Miscarriage of the child; or

(iii) Stillbirth of the child."

AND

Page 3, delete line 14, and substitute the following:
"child.

(e) This section does not apply in the case of a woman who becomes pregnant through in vitro fertilization or artificial insemination if at the time of the procedure the woman and the donor did not intend for the donor to have parental rights or participate in the upbringing of the child."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1870 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1907 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1907

Amend House Bill No. 1907 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 25, delete "(3)" and substitute "(3)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 30, and substitute the following:

"health benefit plan, including a governmental plan.

(B) "Healthcare payor" does not include an entity that provides only dental benefits or eye and vision care benefits;"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 20 through 28, and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) If a determination is made by a healthcare provider that it is in the enrollee's best interest for the healthcare provider to administer any prescription medication that is ordinarily covered by the healthcare payor regardless of the benefit category determination by the health benefit plan, then a healthcare payor shall reimburse for the cost and administration of the prescription medication through the medical benefit or pharmacy benefit based on the decision of the healthcare provider in consultation with the enrollee.

(2) The healthcare payor shall not impose financial penalties, copayments, coinsurance, or deductibles beyond the ordinary terms required through the enrollee's medical benefit or pharmacy benefit.

(3) This subsection does not apply to:

(A) A risk-based provider organization as established under the Medicaid Provider-Led Organized Care Act, § 20-77-2701 et seq.; or

(B) An individual qualified health insurance plan under the Arkansas Health and Opportunity for Me Act of 2021, § 23-61-1001 et seq.

(e) This section applies to an enrollee who is being evaluated or treated for:

(1) A hematology diagnosis;

(2) An oncology diagnosis; or

(3) Additional disease states or diagnoses that the Insurance Commissioner may include through the promulgation of rules.

(f) This section shall not:

(1) Interfere with the ability of a healthcare payor to create, modify, or maintain a prescription medication formulary; or

(2) Apply to a solid oral dosages form of a prescription medication unless the medication:

(A) Is an oral anticancer prescription medication;

(B) An oral antiemetic prescription medication that is given with chemotherapy treatment; or
(C) Possesses a safety label from the United States Food and Drug Administration that indicates the relevant drug interactions, warnings and precautions, or adverse reactions of the prescription medication that are clinically applicable to the enrollee and determined by a healthcare provider to require supervision during administration of the prescription medication.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1907 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Representative Slape, Senate Bill No. 300 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 300

Amend Senate Bill No. 300 as engrossed, S3/18/21:

Delete Representative Clowney as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 300, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 300 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 300  
As Engrossed:  S3/3/21  S3/15/21  S3/18/21  H4/21/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY:  SENATORS J. DISMANG, GILMORE, T. GARNER, K. HAMMER, B. JOHNSON, D. SULLIVAN, HILL  
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES SLAPE, BEATY JR., WATSON, CRAWFORD, C. COOPER, BENTLEY, CHRISTIANSEN, HOLLOWELL, CAVENAUGH, MCNAIR, FORTNER, NICKS, JEAN, SHEPHERD, LYNCH, EVANS, B. SMITH, D. GARNER, DALBY, MILLIGAN, CLOUD, UNDERWOOD  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT PROHIBITING PAROLE FOR A PERSON CONVICTED OF THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF A FIREARM BY CERTAIN PERSONS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 300 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 300. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 300, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 334 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 334

Amend Senate Bill No. 334 as engrossed, S3/4/21:

Page 3, line 1, delete "(B)" and substitute "(B)(i)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 4, and substitute the following: "employment."
(ii) However, a taking of private property for a public use as defined in subdivision (3)(A) of this section is not prohibited because the public use also provides ancillary economic benefits; and

AND

Page 4, delete line 3, and substitute the following:
"(a) Unless otherwise agreed by the parties or determined by a court of law, the owner of private property may raise a defense or bring a cause of action in"

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "(c)" and substitute "(c)(1)"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "(1)" and substitute "(A)"

AND

Page 4, line 18, delete "(2)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 4, line 21, delete "(3)" and substitute "(C)"

AND

Page 4, line 23, delete "(4)" and substitute "(D)"

AND

Page 4, delete line 24, and substitute the following:
"other property with the consent of the owner of the property without an unreasonable increase in cost or delay.

(2) The Arkansas Department of Transportation is exempt from the burden of proving whether the taking is necessary to achieve a public use as required under subdivision (c)(1) of this section.

(d) A cause of action under this section shall not be exercised more than one hundred eighty (180) days after the date the owner of the property received reasonable notice of a condemnation under this chapter."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 334, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 334 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 334
As Engrossed: S3/4/21 H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A STATE AGENCY; TO ADD NEW DEFINITIONS UNDER EMINENT DOMAIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 334 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 334. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................30
NEGATIVE: Ingram, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield.
Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 547 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 547

Amend Senate Bill No. 547 as engrossed, S3/17/21:

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 5, and substitute the following:


(B) This subdivision (f)(24) does not apply to:
(i) Services performed in the employ of a state or local government entity or federally recognized Indian tribe or territory if the services are excluded from employment under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26 U.S.C. § 3306(c)(7); or

(ii) Services performed in the employ of a religious, charitable, educational, or other organization if the services are excluded from employment under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act, 26 U.S.C. § 3306(c)(8)."

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 547, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 547 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 547
As Engrossed: S3/17/21 H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; TO REGULATE A DIRECT SELLER AS AN INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 547 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 547. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 547 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 590 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 590

Amend Senate Bill No. 590 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Bryant as a cosponsor of the bill
AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE. Ending of mandatory face covering requirements.

(a)(1) On the effective date of this act, all mandatory face covering requirements, including without limitation requirements imposed by executive order of the Governor and the Department of Health under directives issues under § 20-7-109 or § 20-7-110, or both, shall end.

(2) Any mandatory face covering requirement imposed by an executive order of the Governor or the department under directives issues under § 20-7-109 or § 20-7-110, or both, is superseded by this act on the effective date of this act.

(b) This section does not apply to a face covering requirement imposed by a private business or state-owned or state-controlled healthcare facility.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 7, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

20-7-142. Prohibition on mandatory use of face mask, face shield, or other face covering.

(a) The General Assembly reserves the right to enact legislation regarding the mandatory use of face masks, face shields, or other face coverings.

(b) A state agency or entity, a political subdivision of the state, or a state or local official shall not mandate an individual in this state to use a face mask, face shield, or other face covering.

(c) The use of a face mask, face shield, or other face covering shall not be a condition for entry, education, or services.

(d) If a state agency or entity, a political subdivision of the state, or a state or local official recommends that an individual in this state use a face mask, face shield, or other face covering, a state agency or entity, a political subdivision of the state, or a state or local official shall provide notice that the recommendation is not mandatory.

(e) This section does not apply to a face covering requirement imposed by:

(1) A private business;

(2) A state-owned or state-controlled healthcare facility;

(3) A facility operated by the Department of Corrections; or

(4) A facility operated by the Division of Youth Services of the Department of Human Services.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that face masks, face shields, and other face coverings are currently required in certain instances in this state; that a regulation that is not necessary is a burden on the public peace, health, and safety of the citizens of this state; that the requirement of face coverings should be removed as soon possible as it is no longer necessary and should not be continued; and that this act should become effective as soon as possible as the requirement of face coverings is not necessary to protect the health and safety of the citizens of Arkansas and is a burden on the public peace, health, and safety of the citizens of this state. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 590, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 590 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 590
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO END MANDATORY FACE COVERING REQUIREMENTS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 590 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 19
NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Hammer, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Sample, Tucker.
Total .................................................................9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, M. Johnson, Leding, Sturch, Teague.
Total .................................................................5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................28
Necessary to the passage of the bill.........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 590, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................19

NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Hammer, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Sample, Tucker.
Total .................................................................9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, M. Johnson, Leding, Sturch, Teague.
Total .................................................................5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .................................................................2
VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................................. 28
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................................. 24

So the emergency clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 590 passed and emergency clause failed of adoption.

Senate Bill No. 590 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 614 was called up for the
purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 614

Amend Senate Bill No. 614 as engrossed, S4/6/21:

Page 2, line 11, delete "SECTION 2." and substitute "SECTION 3."

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "criminal history" and substitute "criminal history and criminal record"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "criminal history" and substitute "criminal history and criminal record"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "criminal history indicates" and substitute "criminal history and criminal record indicate"

AND
Page 2, line 21, delete "disqualifying conviction" and substitute "disqualifying offense"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 24 through 36, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 4.  Arkansas Code § 7-9-601(b), concerning the hiring and training of paid canvassers, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) To verify that there are no criminal disqualifying offenses on record, a sponsor shall obtain, at the sponsor's cost, from the Division of Arkansas State Police, a current state and federal criminal history and criminal record search on every paid canvasser to be registered with the Secretary of State.

(2) The criminal history and criminal record search required by this section shall be obtained within thirty (30) days before the date that the paid canvasser begins collecting signatures.

(3) Upon submission of the sponsor's list of paid canvassers to the Secretary of State, the sponsor shall certify to the Secretary of State that each paid canvasser in the sponsor's employ has passed a criminal background check no disqualifying offenses in accordance with this section.

(4) A willful violation of this section by a sponsor or paid canvasser constitutes a Class A misdemeanor.

(5) The sponsor shall bear the ultimate burden of proving that a paid canvasser registered by the sponsor does not have a disqualifying offense in an administrative proceeding or judicial proceeding."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 11 through 16, and substitute the following:

"(3)(i)   A signed statement taken under oath or solemn affirmation stating that the person has not pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to or been found guilty of a criminal felony offense or a violation of the election laws, fraud, forgery, or identification theft disqualifying offense in any state of the United States, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, or any other United States protectorate;.

(ii)  As used in this section, "disqualifying offense" means:

(a)  A felony;
(b)  A violation of the election laws;
(c)  Fraud;
(d)  Forgery;
(e)  Counterfeiting;
(f)  Identity theft;
(g)  A crime of violence, including assault, battery, or intimidation;
(h)  Harassment;
(i)  Terroristic threatening;
(j)  A sex offense, including sexual harassment;
(k)  A violation of the drug and narcotics laws;
(l)  Breaking and entering;
(m)  Trespass;
(n)  Destruction or damage of property;
(o)  Vandalism;
(p)  Arson; or
(q)  A crime of theft, including robbery, burglary, and simple theft or larceny;"

AND
Page 4, line 13, delete "criminal background checks" and substitute "criminal history and criminal record searches"

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "criminal background checks" and substitute "criminal history and criminal record searches"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "convictions" and substitute "offenses"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 614, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Davis, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 614 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 614
As Engrossed: S4/6/21 H4/13/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PAID CANVASSERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE COMPENSATION OF PAID CANVASSERS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 614 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 614. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................ 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................ 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 614, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .............................................................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Leding, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................................. 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total .............................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total .............................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 32
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........................................ 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1884 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1884 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

**ARKANSAS SENATE**
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1884**

Amend House Bill No. 1884 as originally introduced:

Add Senator J. Dismang as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "(2)" and substitute "(2)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 28, and substitute the following:

"the public records in a common file format that does not disclose the proprietary software code of the third-party electronic record provider and does not impair the accessibility and usability of the data."

(B) As used in subdivision (d)(2)(A) of this section, "common file format" includes without limitation the American Standard Code for Information Interchange and, for large databases, comma separated values."

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "redacted, proprietary, or exempt" and substitute "redacted"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1884 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1920 at this time.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1920 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1920

Amend House Bill No. 1920 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete “production.” and substitute “production, but not including other rules pertaining solely to waste management.”

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete “production,” and substitute “production, but not including other rules pertaining solely to waste management,”

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete “production,” and substitute “production, but not including other rules pertaining solely to waste management,”

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete “production” and substitute “production, but not including other rules pertaining solely to waste management.”

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete “production,” and substitute “production, but not including other rules pertaining solely to waste management.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1920 was ordered engrossed.
Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, GONZALES, VAUGHT, BARKER, BEATY JR., BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BOYD, BRAGG, BREAUX, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CAVENAUGH, M. DAVIS, DOTSON, L. FITE, FURMAN, M. GRAY, HOLLOWELL, L. JOHNSON, LUNDSTRUM, LYNCH, MCCOLLUM, MCGREW, MILLIGAN, PAYTON, PENZO, Pilkington, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH, UNDERWOOD, BECK, COZART, JEAN, SPEAKS, WARDLAW, WING
BY: SENATORS HESTER, GILMORE, B. BALLINGER, B. DAVIS, RAPERT, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON, BLEDSOE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, TO BE KNOWN AS THE "CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND BALLOT INITIATIVE REFORM AMENDMENT", CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF VOTES REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF CERTAIN MEASURES PRESENTED TO VOTERS; REQUIRING THAT INITIATIVES PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, § 1, AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, § 22, AND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 70, § 2, SHALL BE APPROVED WHEN RECEIVING AT LEAST SIXTY PERCENT (60%) OF THE VOTES CAST ON THE PROPOSED INITIATIVE OR PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT; AND REQUIRING THAT A MEASURE SUBJECT TO A REFERENDUM SHALL BE REPEALED IF THE MEASURE IS REJECTED BY A MAJORITY OF THE ELECTORS VOTING UPON THE MATTER.
Subtitle

A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE KNOWN AS THE
"CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND BALLOT INITIATIVE REFORM
AMENDMENT".

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY
THE SENATE, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE
AGREEING THERETO:

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approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators,
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amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

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cited as the "Constitutional Amendment and Ballot Initiative Reform Amendment".

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titled "Majority", is amended to read as follows:

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shall not be required to receive a majority of the electors voting at such election.
Such measures shall be operative on and after the thirtieth day after the election at
which it is approved, unless otherwise specified in the Act measure. However, a
measure subject to a referendum shall be repealed if it is rejected by a majority of
the electors voting upon the matter.

This section shall not be construed to deprive any member of the
General Assembly of the right to introduce any measure, but no measure shall be
submitted to the people by the General Assembly, except a proposed constitutional
amendment or amendments as provided for in this Constitution.

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SECTION 4. Arkansas Constitution, Article 19, § 22, is amended to read as follows:

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Either branch of the General Assembly, at a regular session thereof, may propose amendments to this Constitution; and if the same be agreed to by a majority of all members elected to each house, such proposed amendments shall be entered on the journals with the yeas and nays, and published in at least one newspaper in each county, where a newspaper is published, for six months immediately preceding the next general election for Senators and Representatives, at which time the same shall be submitted to the electors of the State, for approval or rejection; and if a majority at least sixty percent (60%) of the electors voting at such election adopt such amendments, the same shall become a part of this Constitution. But no more than three amendments shall be proposed or submitted at the same time. They shall be so submitted as to enable the electors to vote on each amendment separately.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 70, § 2, is amended to read as follows:

§ 2. Additional Constitutional amendments authorized.

In addition to the three amendments to the Constitution allowed pursuant to Article 19, § 22, either branch of the General Assembly at a regular session thereof may propose an amendment to the Constitution to change the salaries for the offices of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State and for members of the General Assembly. If the same be agreed to by a majority of all members elected to each house, such proposed amendment shall be entered on the journals with the yeas and nays, and published in at least one newspaper in each county, where a newspaper is published, for six months immediately preceding the next general election for Senators and Representatives, at which time the same shall be submitted to the electors of the State for approval or rejection. If a majority at least sixty percent (60%) of the electors voting at such election adopt the amendment the same shall become a part of this Constitution. Only one amendment to the Constitution may be referred pursuant to this section.
SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after January 1, 2023.

SECTION 7. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this joint resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Reform Certain Measures Presented to Voters, to be Known as the "Constitutional Amendment and Ballot Initiative Reform Amendment".

/s/Ray

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House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 22

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, M. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was read the third time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was held in Senate Chamber.

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The record pertaining to the vote by which House Joint Resolution No. 1005 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 22, 2021.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 460 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 460
As Engrossed: S4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGULATING PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS AND PRIVATE SECURITY AGENCIES; TO AMEND THE LICENSE REQUIREMENTS FOR PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS; TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR INSTRUCTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 460 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 460.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast..............................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 627 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 627
As Engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. BALLINGER, B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PROPAGATION OF DIVISIVE CONCEPTS; TO REVIEW STATE ENTITY TRAINING MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 627 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.
Senator Garner closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................................... 20

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ............................................................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Hendren, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Sturch, Teague.
Total ............................................................................................................. 6

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ............................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe.
Total ............................................................................................................. 1
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 27
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 627 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Hester moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Joint Resolution No. 1005 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, GONZALES, VAUGHT, BARKER, BEATY, JR., BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BOYD, BRAGG, BREAX, BROOKS, BROWN, BRYANT, CAVENAUGH, M. DAVIS, DOTSON, L. FITE, FURMAN, M. GRAY HOLLOWELL, L. JOHNSON, LUNDSTRUM, LYNCH, MCCOLLUM, MCGREW, MILLIGAN, PAYTON, PENZO, PILKINGTON, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH, UNDERWOOD, BECK, COZART, JEAN, SPEAKS, WARDLAW, WING
BY: SENATORS HESTER, GILMORE, B. BALLINGER, B. DAVIS, RAPERT, J. ENGLISH, M. JOHNSON, BLEDSOE

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, TO BE KNOWN AS THE "CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND BALLOT INITIATIVE REFORM AMENDMENT", CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF VOTES REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF CERTAIN MEASURES PRESENTED TO VOTERS; REQUIRING THAT INITIATIVES PROPOSED UNDER
ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, § 1, AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS PROPOSED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, § 22, AND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 70, § 2, SHALL BE APPROVED WHEN RECEIVING AT LEAST SIXTY PERCENT (60%) OF THE VOTES CAST ON THE PROPOSED INITIATIVE OR PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT; AND REQUIRING THAT A MEASURE SUBJECT TO A REFERENDUM SHALL BE REPEALED IF THE MEASURE IS REJECTED BY A MAJORITY OF THE ELECTORS VOTING UPON THE MATTER.

Subtitle

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/s/Ray

House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 23
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: M. Johnson, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Bledsoe, Dismang.
Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 31
Necessary to the passage of the Resolution ......................... 18

House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was read third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Joint Resolution No. 1005 was returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 634 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 634
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT STATE AGENCIES, COUNTIES, AND MUNICIPALITIES FROM RESTRICTING THE RIGHT OF A LANDOWNER TO PERFORM TREE MAINTENANCE ON THE LANDOWNER'S PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 634 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 20

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................... 5

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Caldwell, Hickey, M. Johnson, Rapert, Sample, Sturch, Teague.

Total ........................................................................... 7

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:** Eads.

Total ........................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 26

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Ingram requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of Senate Bill No. 634. Five hands were not seen. Request for Sounding of the Ballot failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 634 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 666 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 666
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AN INSURER’S RIGHT TO SUBROGATION AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 666 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield spoke against the Bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill
Senator M. Johnson spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Clark, Elliott, Ingram, M. Johnson, Leding, Rice, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Rapert, Sturch.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Teague requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of Senate Bill No. 666. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results were as follows:

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Upon sounding of the ballot, the votes of Senator Davis and Senator Hickey were stricken. Senate Bill No. 666 failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Ballinger moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 666 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 666 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 22, 2021.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 666 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 666**  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING AN INSURER’S RIGHT TO SUBROGATION AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 666 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................  19

NEGATIVE:  Chesterfield, Clark, Elliott, Ingram, M. Johnson, Leding, Rice, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker.

Total .................................................................  12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Rapert.

Total .................................................................  2

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.

Total .................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 666 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 671 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 671
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE IDENTIFICATION OF COST SAVINGS BY CABINET-LEVEL DEPARTMENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 671 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 671. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 671, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 671 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 678 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 678
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A FIRE DEPARTMENT APPLICANT TO SUBMIT TO A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So Senate Bill No. 678 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 686 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 686
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MOTOR CARRIERS; TO REGULATE GROUND TRANSPORTATION AT MUNICIPAL AIRPORTS AND REGIONAL AIRPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 686 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 686. Motion carried.

A pair was announced at the desk. Senator Flowers, yea. Senator Davis, nay.
PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 686

VOTING YEA (SIGNED) Senator Stephanie Flowers

VOTING NAY (SIGNED) Senator Breanne Davis

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 22

NEGATIVE: Beckham, Clark, Davis, Dismang, Flippo, Hammer, Ingram, Pitsch, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Teague.
Total .......................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Irvin.
Total .......................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson.
Total .......................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 686 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
Ms. Ann Cornwell  
Director, Arkansas Senate  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol Building, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201  

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I was recorded as voting "YEA" on Senate Bill No. 686 on April 22, 2021. I would like a letter for the record showing I intended to vote "NO" on this bill. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Trent Garner, Senator  
District 27
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 691 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 691
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be entitled:  AN ACT TO IDENTIFY PAID ADVERTISEMENTS FUNDED BY TAXPAYER FUNDS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ADVERTISING USING THE IMAGE OR VOICE OF AN ELECTED OFFICIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 691 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 691. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ............................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 691 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Tucker, moved to re-refer Senate Bill No. 701 to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senator Clark spoke on the motion.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the motion.
Senator Elliott spoke on the motion.
Senator Rice spoke for the motion.
Senator Hester spoke against the motion.
Senator Rapert spoke on the motion.
Senator Sturch requested a point of personal privilege concerning committee reports being signed out.
Senator Davis spoke against the motion.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the motion.
Senator Hammer spoke against the motion.

Senator Tucker withdrew his motion to re-refer Senate Bill No. 701 to the Committee on State Agencies Governmental Affairs.

Senator M. Johnson requested the Presiding Officer to rule on the number of votes required to pass Senate Bill No. 701. The Presiding Officer, with the advice of Senate counsel, advised the number of votes needed to pass Senate Bill No. 701 required 18 votes. There was disagreement on the ruling. Senator M. Johnson requested a roll call on whether to uphold the ruling of the Presiding Officer.

Total ......................................................................................... 25

NEGATIVE: Clark, Garner, M. Johnson, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 4

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 29
Necessary to the passage of motion ........................................... 18

The motion to uphold the ruling of the Presiding Officer passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 701 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 701
As Engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ABSENTEE VOTING INTEGRITY ACT OF 2021; TO CLARIFY, CREATE ACCOUNTABILITY AND UNIFORMITY FOR, AND SIMPLIFY ABSENTEE BALLOT PROCESSES; TO ENCOURAGE AND ASSIST LAW ENFORCEMENT INVESTIGATION OF VOTER FRAUD; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 701 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Davis, Elliott, Hendren, Hester, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................... 11


Total ......................................................................................... 20

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 31
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the Senate Bill No. 701 failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 706 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 706
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND 18-15-104(4) AND 18-15-1802(C)(2) AS AMENDED BY SB334 OF 2021; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY A STATE AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 706 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 706. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 29
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Dismang, Stubblefield.
   Total .................................................................3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
   Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT: Eads.
   Total .................................................................1

   Total number of votes cast ...........................................33
   Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

   (SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

   Senate Bill No. 706 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

   On motion of Senator Rapert, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 at this time.

   On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARMSKANS SENSE
NINETEENTH GENERL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 as engrossed, S3/23/21:
(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Create the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1922, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSC, VICE CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD
(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER
(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS
(SIGNED) SENATOR RICKEY HILL
(SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1922 at this time.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1922 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1922

Amend House Bill No. 1922 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following: "information, goods, and services between a dealer and a consumer that facilitate retail commercial interactions."

AND

Page 3, delete line 7, and substitute the following: "parts markup for warranty work is received.

(iii) If the manufacturer or distributor determines, from any set of repair orders submitted under subdivision (d)(1)(D)(i) of this section that the labor rate per hour for warranty work or the parts markup for warranty work is substantially higher or lower than the rate currently on record with the manufacturer or distributor, then the manufacturer or distributor may request additional documentation for a period of either forty-five (45) days prior or forty-five (45) days subsequent to the time period for which the repair orders were submitted."

AND

Page 3, delete line 24, and substitute the following: "subsection subject to § 23-112-310(d)(1)(A), the principal factor to be considered is the prevailing wage."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 32 and 33, and substitute the following: "the motor vehicle dealer for like service to retail customers for"

AND

Page 4, delete line 25, and substitute the following: "submission of the qualified repair order."

(C)(i) No repair order shall be excluded from the markup computation solely because it contains repairs using nonoriginal equipment manufacturer parts.
(ii) However, only the portion of the repair order that uses original equipment manufacturer parts shall be included in the computation of the motor vehicle dealer’s rate for parts."

AND

Page 4, delete line 27, and substitute the following:
"shall submit a written request to be compensated under this section."

AND

Page 5, line 25, delete "special tools."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CHARLES GILMORE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1922 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 476, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 611, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012, BY REPRESENTATIVE RYE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1554, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENZO,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1615, BY REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1724, BY REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1793, BY REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)    SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1870, BY REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1884, BY REPRESENTATIVE EAVES,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1907, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1920, BY REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 609 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 609
As engrossed: S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, T. GARNER, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TRANSPARENCY IN FOREIGN INVESTMENT ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 609 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................25
NEGATIVE: Hendren, Ingram, Leding.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Sturch, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 609, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Clark, Davis,
Dismang, Eads, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hester, Hickey, Hill,
B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sullivan,
Wallace.
Total ........................................................................................... 25

NEGATIVE: Hendren, Ingram, Leding.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, Sturch, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Elliott, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 2
Total number of votes cast.................................................................30
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 609 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 686 for further consideration. Motion failed.

On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until 5:00 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14,
BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1922, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,**

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 535, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE,
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS,
to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789, BY REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
SENATOR TRENT GARNER
SENATOR BART HESTER
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1937, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR BART HESTER
SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
SENATOR TRENT GARNER

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 68 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 68

As Engrossed: S3/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 68 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 68. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 68, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 68 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1207 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1207**


**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT - DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1207 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1207. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1207, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice,
Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ..............................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ...................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................24
So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1207 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14
As Engrossed: S3/23/21 S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE THE "ARKANSAS RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AMENDMENT"; AND TO PROVIDE THAT GOVERNMENT MAY NEVER BURDEN A PERSON'S FREEDOM OF RELIGION EXCEPT IN THE RARE CIRCUMSTANCE THAT THE GOVERNMENT DEMONSTRATES THAT APPLICATION OF THE BURDEN TO THE PERSON IS IN FURTHERANCE OF A COMPELLING GOVERNMENT INTEREST AND IS THE LEAST RESTRICTIVE MEANS OF FURTHERING THAT COMPELLING GOVERNMENT INTEREST.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE THE "ARKANSAS RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AMENDMENT".
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. This amendment shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment".

SECTION 2. (a) The General Assembly finds:

(1) The framers of the United States Constitution, recognizing free exercise of religion as an unalienable right, secured its protection in the First Amendment to the United States Constitution;

(2) The framers of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, also recognizing the free exercise of religion as an unalienable right, secured the protection of religious freedom in Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 24;

(3) Federal and state laws "neutral" toward religion may burden religious exercise as surely as laws intended to interfere with religious exercise;

(4) Governments should not burden religious exercise without compelling justification;

(5) In Employment Division v. Smith, 494 U.S. 872 (1990), the United States Supreme Court virtually eliminated the requirement that the government justify burdens on religious exercise imposed by laws neutral toward religion;

(6) The compelling interest test as set forth in prior court rulings is a workable test for striking sensible balances between religious liberty and competing government interests in areas ranging from public education (pedagogical interests and religious rights, including recognizing regulations necessary to alleviate interference with the educational process versus rights of religious freedom), national defense (conscription and conscientious objection, including the need to raise an army versus rights to object to individual participation), and other areas of important mutual concern; and
The United States Congress passed the Religious Freedom Restoration Act, 42 U.S.C. § 2000bb, to establish the compelling interest test set forth in prior federal court rulings, but in City of Boerne v. Flores, 117 S.Ct. 2157 (1997), the United States Supreme Court held the act unconstitutional, stating that the right to regulate was retained by the states.

(b) The purpose of this amendment is to:

(1) Guarantee that the freedom of religion is not burdened by state and local law; and

(2) Provide a claim or defense to persons whose religious freedom is burdened by government.

SECTION 3. As used in this amendment:

(1) "Demonstrates" means meeting the burden of going forward with the evidence and of persuasion;

(2) "Freedom of religion" means the free exercise of religion under Arkansas Constitution, Article 2, § 24;

(3) "Government" means:

(A) A branch, department, agency, or instrumentality of the State of Arkansas;

(B) A political subdivision of the state, including without limitation a county, municipality, township, or other unit of local government;

(C) An official acting on behalf of government; and

(D) A person acting under the color of law of the State of Arkansas; and

(4) "Rule" means a statement of Arkansas law, including without limitation a:

(A) Statute;

(B) Rule;

(C) Regulation;

(D) Ordinance;

(E) Administrative provision;

(F) Administrative ruling;

(G) Guideline; or

(H) Requirement.

SECTION 4. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, government shall not burden a person's freedom of religion even if the burden results from a rule of general applicability.
(b) Government may burden a person’s freedom of religion only if the government demonstrates that application of the burden to the person:
   (1) Is in furtherance of a compelling government interest; and
   (2) Is the least restrictive means of furthering that compelling government interest.
(c) A person whose religious freedom has been burdened in violation of this section may assert that violation as a claim or defense in a judicial, administrative, or other appropriate proceeding and obtain appropriate relief against a government.

SECTION 5. (a) This amendment applies to each rule of government and its implementation, regardless of whether the rule:
   (1) Is statutory; or
   (2) Was adopted prior to or after the effective date of this amendment.
(b) This amendment shall not be construed to:
   (1) Authorize a government to burden a religious belief; or
   (2) Affect, interpret, or in any way address:
       (A) The portions of the United States Constitution, First Amendment, permitting the free exercise of religion or prohibiting laws respecting the establishment of religion; or
       (B) Article 2, § 24 of this constitution regarding religious liberty.

SECTION 6. (a) This amendment shall be liberally construed to effectuate its remedial and deterrent purposes.
(b) If any provision of this amendment or its application to any particular person or circumstance is held invalid, that provision or its application is severable and does not affect the validity of other provisions or applications of this amendment.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE. This amendment shall be effective on and after November 9, 2022.

SECTION 8. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:
   (1) The title of this joint resolution shall be the ballot title; and
(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Create the "Arkansas Religious Freedom Amendment".

/s/Rapert

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Resolution pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 27

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 32

Necessary to the adoption of the resolution ......................................... 18

So the Senate Resolution No. 14 was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1054 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1054
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SALES TAX REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIAL EVENTS; TO ALLOW THE SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR ISOLATED SALES TO APPLY AT SPECIAL EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1054 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1054. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1054 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1157 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1157
As Engrossed: H3/15/21  H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOLLETT, BARKER, BENTLEY, M. BERRY, BRYANT, C. COOPER, DEFFENBAUGH, HAAK, LADYMAN, MCCLURE, WING, BEATY JR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR A TEACHER’S QUALIFIED CLASSROOM INVESTMENT EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1157 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1157. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................32

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1157 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Davis, House Bill No. 1180 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1180
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY A PROCESS OF REVIEW OF RULES REGARDING SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1180 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1180. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE: Clark.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1180 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1196 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1196
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN UTILITIES USED BY A POULTRY FARM; TO REQUIRE THE ADOPTION OF RULES RELATED TO THE CREATION OF A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN UTILITIES USED BY A POULTRY FARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1196 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1196. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 32

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1196 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1349 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349  
As Engrossed: H3/9/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARREN, ET AL  
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, CALDWELL, L. CHESTERFIELD, L. EADS,  
K. INGRAM, IRVIN, M. JOHNSON, G. LEDING, B. SAMPLE,  
G. STUBBLEFIELD, J. STURCH, TEAGUE, D. WALLACE  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EVERY ARKANSAN RETIREMENT PLAN OPPORTUNITY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  

House Bill No. 1349 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?  

Senator Hill spoke against the Bill.  
Senator Elliott spoke for the Bill.  
Senator Hammer closed for the Bill.
A pair was announced at the Desk: Senator Flowers, yea. Senator Hill, nay.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 19


Total ........................................................................................................ 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

VOTING PRESENT: Pitsch.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................... 18

So the bill passed.

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Senator Rapert requested a Sounding of the Ballot on passage of House Bill No. 1349. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot.

Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the Bill ..................................................... 18

Total number voting in the affirmative ............................................... 19

Total number voting in the negative ................................................... 14

Total number absent or not voting ...................................................... 1

Upon sounding of the ballot, the votes of Senator Hendren and Senator Ingram were struck. House Bill No. 1349 failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *
The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1349 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 22, 2021.

Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1349 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

By voice vote, the Chair ruled the motion passed.

Senator Hill asked for a roll call on the passage of the motion. Five hands were seen:

ROLL CALL:

Total ......................................................................................... 25

NEGATIVE: Hill, Rapert.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total ........................................................................................... 7

EXCUSED: Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 27
Necessary to the passage of the motion ........................................... 18

The motion to expunge the failure of House Bill No. 1349 passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
April 22, 2021

Ms. Ann Cornwell
Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of Ethics and to comply with full disclosure.

House Bill No. 1349 of 2021

I am a licensed financial advisor.

Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Jason Rapert
State Senator
District 35

JR/ac
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1391 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1391
As Engrossed: H3/31/21 H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES: WING, GAZAWAY, LUNDSTRUM, MCCLURE,
    MCGREW, MILLIGAN, RICHARDSON, RYE, C. FIT, L. FIT
    BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, J. ENGLISH, K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONSUMER PROTECTION OF SENIORS FROM PREDATORY PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1391 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1391. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total ............................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ............................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .............................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ............................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1391 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Rice, House Bill No. 1456 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1456
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, ET AL
BY: SENATORS RICE, BECKHAM, L. CHESTERFIELD, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HILL, K. INGRAM, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, B. SAMPLE, D. WALLACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE RAILROAD MODERNIZATION ACT OF 2021; TO ALLOW AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR CERTAIN RAILROAD TRACK MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1456. Motion carried.

House Bill No. 1456 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .............................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:
Total .............................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .............................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .............................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1456 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1508 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1508


NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY:  REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, LOWERY, CHRISTIANSEN, S. BERRY, BENTLEY, BREAUX, CLOUD, COLEMAN, CRAWFORD, EVANS, HOLLOWELL, McCLURE, S. MEeks, RYE, SlaPe, B. SMITH, S. SMITH, WOOTEN, BRYANT, WATSON
BY:  SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING RIOT OFFENSES AND PUBLIC DEMONSTRATION OFFENSES; CONCERNING OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST FIRST RESPONDERS; CONCERNING PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY OFFENSES; CONCERNING PROCEDURES UPON ARREST FOR RIOT OFFENSES OR THE OBSTRUCTION OF A HIGHWAY OR OTHER PUBLIC PASSAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1508 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1508. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................28
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1508 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1509 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1509
As Engrossed:  H3/2/21  H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BROWN, BARKER, BENTLEY, CAVENAUGH,
CRAWFORD, DALBY, C. FITE, M. GRAY, HAAK, LUNDSTRUM, J. MAYBERRY,
MCKENZIE, SPEAKS, VAUGHT
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, IRVIN, B. DAVIS, BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM ACT; TO ADOPT RECENT CHANGES CONTAINED IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE RELATED TO THE PROGRAM; TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1509 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1509. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1509 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1625 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "SAFE TRAILS ACT"; TO PRESERVE, PROMOTE, AND SUSTAIN AN EXCELLENT QUALITY OF LIFE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1625 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1625. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1625 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, the Senate recessed until 6:40 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1696 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1696
As Engrossed: H3/16/21  H3/17/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CRAWFORD, BOYD
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TAKING OF FINGERPRINTS, A DNA SAMPLE, AND PHOTOGRAPH FOR A PERSON ARRESTED FOR A CLASS A MISDEMEANOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1696 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1696. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1696 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1700 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
As Engrossed: H3/18/21 S4/5/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE STUDENT OUTCOMES BY PROVIDING STUDENTS, PARENTS, AND GUIDANCE COUNSELORS WITH RELIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING THE COST OF COLLEGE AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1700 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1700. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ............................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .......................................................................................... 2
VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1700 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1712 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712
As Engrossed: H3/23/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LYNCH
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE HVACR LICENSING BOARD TO ESTABLISH CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A SPECIFIC CLASS OF LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1712 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1712. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 19

**NEGATIVE:** Hester, Hickey, Sample.

Total ................................................................. 3

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

**VOTING PRESENT:** Beckham, Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. 11

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1712 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1746 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1746**
*As Engrossed: H4/15/21*

*NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY*
*REGULAR SESSION*

*BY: REPRESENTATIVES UNDERWOOD, RAY*
*BY: SENATORS GILMORE, B. DAVIS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH ANNALYN'S LAW; TO AMEND THE COSMETOLOGY ACT; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS FROM LICENSURE BY THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN ESTABLISHMENTS FROM LICENSURE BY THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1746 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1746. Motion carried.

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the Bill.
Senator English spoke against the Bill.
Senator Gilmore closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .........................................................................................  19

NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Elliott, English, Hammer, Hendren, Hickey, Hill, Pitsch, Sample.

Total ...........................................................................................  9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Rice.

Total ...........................................................................................  1

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:  Beckham, Chesterfield, Rapert, Tucker.

Total ...........................................................................................  4

Total number of votes cast...........................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1746 was returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 476 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 476  
_As Engrossed: S4/22/21_  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; TO ALLOW THE COURT TO SEAL CERTAIN COURT RECORDS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 476 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke on the Bill.

Senator Tucker closed on the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Hester, Ingram, Leding, Sturch, Tucker.

Total .................................................................................................................. 12


Total .................................................................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Clark, English, Rapert, Teague.

Total .................................................................................................................. 5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total .................................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Caldwell, Gilmore, Hickey, B. Johnson, Rice.

Total .................................................................................................................. 5

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 28

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18
So Senate Bill 476 failed to pass.

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 476, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Hester, Ingram, Leding, Sturch, Tucker.
Total ......................................................................................... 12

Total ......................................................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Clark, English, Rapert, Teague.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: Caldwell, Gilmore, Hickey, B. Johnson, Rice.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 28
Necessary to the passage of the emergency clause.................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

** * * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * * *

Senator Tucker moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 476 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 476 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 22, 2021.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 485 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 485
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION


BY: REPRESENTATIVES GONZALES, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EARLY VOTING; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 485 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis spoke against the Bill.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the Bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.
Senator B. Johnson spoke against the Bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Hendren, Hester, Ingram, B. Johnson, Leding, Sample, Teague, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................... 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senator Chesterfield requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of Senate Bill No. 485. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast 33
Necessary to the passage of the Bill 18
Total number voting in the affirmative 19
Total number voting in the negative 13
Total number absent or not voting 1

Upon sounding of the ballot, no votes were stricken.

So, Senate Bill No. 485 passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 485 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 703 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 703
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF “PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIP” AND “TELEMEDICINE” WITHIN THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO ALLOW TELEHEALTH CERTIFICATION FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 703 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 13

Total ................................................................. 13

Total ................................................................. 7

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................26
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................................24

So Senate Bill 703 failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 703 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 22, 2021

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1012 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012
As Engrossed: H3/30/21  H4/7/21  S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SCRAP METAL DEALERS; TO REQUIRE BUYERS OF USED CATALYTIC CONVERTERS TO MAINTAIN RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1012 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 16


Total ......................................................................................... 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flippo, Ingram, Leding, Rapert, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................26

Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18

So House Bill No. 1012 failed to pass.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1012 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1012 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 22, 2021.
Senator Leding moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 703 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1525 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1525
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL POSSESSION, TRANSPORTATION, AND USE OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1525 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ..............................................................................................................26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield.
Total ..............................................................................................................1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Clark, Davis, Garner, Ingram, Teague.
Total ..............................................................................................................6

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ..............................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................27
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1525 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1554 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1554
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SAFE HARBOR PROVISIONS FOR VICTIMS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING; TO ESTABLISH AN AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1554 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1554. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


   Total .........................................................................................33

NEGATIVE: 

   Total ................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

   Total ................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

   Total .........................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

   Total ..........................................................................................0

   Total number of votes cast............................................................33

   Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1554 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.
On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 476 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 476
As Engrossed: S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; TO ALLOW THE COURT TO SEAL CERTAIN COURT RECORDS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 476 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 476. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
Total ................................................................. 20

Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Dismang.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Flippo, Hammer, Hickey, M. Johnson, Rice, Stubblefield.
Total ................................................................. 6
Total number of votes cast.................................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 476, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:
AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Clark, Davis,
Eads, Elliott, English, Garner, Gilmore, Hendren, Hester, Ingram, B. Johnson,
Leding, Sample, Sturch, Teague, Tucker.
Total ..................................................................................................20

Total .................................................................................................6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Dismang.
Total ..................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.
Total ..................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:  Flippo, Hammer, Hickey, M. Johnson, Rice,
Stubblefield.
Total ..................................................................................................6

Total number of votes cast.................................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

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Senate Bill No. 476 was returned to the House as passed, Emergency Clause
having failed of adoption.
On motion of Senator Chesterfield, House Bill No. 1770 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1770
As Engrossed: H3/31/21  S4/8/21  S4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT CERTAIN INFORMATION BE INCLUDED ON STUDENT IDENTIFICATION CARDS OR IDENTIFICATION BADGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1770 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Chesterfield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1770. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: 

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1770 was returned to the House as passed as amended Nos. 1 & 2.

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1615 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1615
As Engrossed: H4/1/21 S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION PROCEDURES; TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTION OFFICIALS; TO AMEND THE LOCATION OF POLLING PLACES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THE VOTER REGISTRATION LIST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1615 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1615. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1615 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.
On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Tucker, House Bill No. 1724 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1724
As Engrossed: H3/17/21  S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, CLOWNEY
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, BLEDSOE, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ORDERS OF PROTECTION; CONCERNING COURSE OF CONTROL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1724 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1724. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .............................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1724 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 703 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 703
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "PROFESSIONAL RELATIONSHIP" AND "TELEMEDICINE" WITHIN THE TELEMEDICINE ACT; TO ALLOW TELEHEALTH CERTIFICATION FOR MEDICAL MARIJUANA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 703 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Sullivan spoke against the Bill.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the Bill.

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 703. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE: Clark, Flippo, Hammer, M. Johnson, Pitsch, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield, Sullivan.

Total ........................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT: B. Johnson.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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Senate Bill No. 703 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1793 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1793
As Engrossed: H4/7/21 S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCOTT, ET AL
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, L. EADS, ELLIOTT, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER,
GILMORE, HESTER, G. LEDING, C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING A CORRECTIONAL OR DETENTION FACILITY OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS TO ESTABLISH A POLICY TO OFFER MAMMOGRAMS AND PHYSICIAN CONSULTATIONS TO FEMALE INMATES AND DETAINEES OF CERTAIN AGES AND TO OFFER PROSTATE EXAMS AND PHYSICIAN CONSULTATIONS TO MALE INMATES AND DETAINEES OF CERTAIN AGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1793 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1793. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1793 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1800 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800
As Engrossed: S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING CONTRACTORS; TO REQUIRE REGISTRATION OF ROOFING CONTRACTORS; TO AUTHORIZE THE RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTORS COMMITTEE TO ISSUE ROOFING CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION CERTIFICATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1800 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1800. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 29

NEGATIVE: Clark, Garner, Hill.

Total ........................................................................................... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1800 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.
On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1870 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1870**
*As Engrossed: S4/22/21*

**NINETEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**REGULAR SESSION**
**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PILKINGTON**
**BY: SENATORS T. GARNER, B. DAVIS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: **AN ACT CONCERNING PREGNANCY AND CHILDBIRTH EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

House Bill No. 1870 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1870. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

**NEGATIVE:**
Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**
Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

**VOTING PRESENT:**
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1870 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1884 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING A COUNTY'S OBLIGATIONS REGARDING THE PRODUCTION OF ELECTRONIC PUBLIC RECORDS IN BULK ON REQUEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1884 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1884. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT: Rice.

Total ................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1884 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.
On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1907 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1907
As Engrossed: S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENABLE HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS TO MAKE APPROPRIATE BILLING DECISIONS THAT ARE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF PATIENTS; TO ESTABLISH THE BILLING IN THE BEST INTEREST OF PATIENTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1907 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1907. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE: Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ................................................................. 0
EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total .................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast.................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1907 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1920 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1920
As Engrossed: S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCESS FOR REVIEW AND A SUNSET DATE FOR STATE AGENCY RULES PERTAINING TO MILK AND CATTLE PRODUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1920 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1920. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ..........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1920 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.
On motion of Senator Gilmore, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Gilmore, House Bill No. 1922 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1922
As Engrossed: S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1922 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Gilmore moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1922. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................................................ 0
EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1922 was returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on the following bills.
Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
HOUSE BILL NO. 1827
HOUSE BILL NO. 1913

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1591 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ALLOWING A SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT TO INFORM A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER OF THE SUSPENSION OF A TEACHER OR A RECOMMENDATION FOR THE TERMINATION OF A TEACHER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1591 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1591 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1827 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1827  
As Engrossed: H4/19/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BEATY JR., WARDLAW  
BY: SENATORS GILMORE, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, D. SULLIVAN, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SALE OF SURPLUS HIGHWAY PROPERTY; TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF ROAD MILLINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1827 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1827 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1913 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1913
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE BID THRESHOLDS OF DRAINAGE DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1913 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

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House Bill No. 1913 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1610 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1610
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF STUDENT RESTRAINTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS OR EDUCATIONAL SETTINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1610 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke on the Bill.

House Bill No. 1610 was pulled down.

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Senator Hickey moved that the body roll the vote on the following bills:

Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1714
HOUSE BILL NO. 1791
HOUSE BILL NO. 1824
HOUSE BILL NO. 1835
HOUSE BILL NO. 1837
HOUSE BILL NO. 1855
HOUSE BILL NO. 1863
HOUSE BILL NO. 1868
HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
HOUSE BILL NO. 1891
HOUSE BILL NO. 1897
HOUSE BILL NO. 1900
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912
HOUSE BILL NO. 1921
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1714 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1714
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROOKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MULTIPLE EMPLOYER WELFARE ARRANGEMENTS; TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A MULTIPLE EMPLOYER TRUST OR MULTIPLE EMPLOYER WELFARE ARRANGEMENT THAT IS NOT FULLY INSURED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1714 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total .......................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1714 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1791 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1791
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXECUTION OF A JUDGMENT; TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1791 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ...........................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ...........................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ...........................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1791 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1824 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1824
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RECORDERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNIFORM FEE FOR RECORDING INSTRUMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1824 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

  Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
  Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

  Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 33
  Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1824 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1835 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1835  
As Engrossed: H4/8/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A RESIDENTIAL CONTRACTOR'S LIEN NOTICE REQUIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1835 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................ 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1835 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1837 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1837
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE Pilkington
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LIMITATIONS ON THE ISSUANCE OF A TEACHING LICENSE; TO EXPAND THE REASONS FOR WHICH THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL NOT ISSUE A FIRST-TIME TEACHING LICENSE OR RENEW AN EXISTING TEACHING LICENSE OR SHALL REVOKE AN EXISTING TEACHING LICENSE; TO PROHIBIT THE ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF A TEACHING LICENSE TO A PERSON WHO HAS PLED GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE OR HAS BEEN FOUND GUILTY OF SEXUALLY GROOMING A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1837 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..................................................................................................................33

NEGATIVE:

Total ..................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ..................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ..................................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ..................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .............................................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1837 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1855 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1855
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE BONDING PROCEDURE FOR PAYMENT OR PERFORMANCE BONDS ISSUED UNDER CONTRACTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, ERECTION, ALTERATION, DEMOLITION, OR REPAIR OF ANY BUILDING, STRUCTURE, OR IMPROVEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1855 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ..................................................................................................2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1855 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1863 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1863
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR J. STURCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PUBLIC SCHOOL AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1863 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .........................................................................................  33

NEGATIVE:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.

Total ...........................................................................................  2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ...........................................................................................  0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33
 Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1863 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1868 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1868
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAAK
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE CONFIDENTIALITY PROVISIONS RELATING TO CERTAIN TAXPAYER DATA; TO REQUIRE THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO DISCLOSE CERTAIN SALES AND USE TAX DATA TO CERTAIN POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF THE SALES AND USE TAX DATA WHEN RECEIVED BY A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1868 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1868 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1879 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. COOPER, M. BERRY, COZART, B. SMITH
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW DEPENDENTS OF CERTAIN VETERANS TO RECEIVE TUITION WAIVERS TO PRIVATE, NONPROFIT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE; TO CAP THE AMOUNT OF THE TUITION WAIVER FOR DEPENDENTS OF CERTAIN VETERANS ATTENDING PRIVATE, NONPROFIT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1879 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................... 33

NEGATIVE: 
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1879 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1891 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1891
As Engrossed:  H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES DOTSON, F. ALLEN, BENTLEY, BRAGG, BREAUX, BROOKS, BROWN, ENNETT, EVANS, K. FERGUSON, M. HODGES, HUDSON, LOWERY, RICHARDSON, SCOTT, S. SMITH, VAUGHT, D. WHITAKER
BY:  SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO CREATE A NETWORK OF CERTIFIED ACADEMIC LANGUAGE THERAPISTS TO PROVIDE A SPECIALIZED DYSLEXIA INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DYSLEXIA OR RELATED READING AND WRITTEN-LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1891 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 33

NEGATIVE:  
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:  Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1891 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1897 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1897
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VENOUS BLOOD DRAWS IN CONNECTION WITH A CRIMINAL OFFENSE; TO AMEND § 5-65-204; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1897 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ........................................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1897 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1900 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1900**  
*As Engrossed: H4/19/21*  
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
*REGULAR SESSION*  
**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SCOTT, BOYD**  
**BY: SENATOR HESTER**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  
*AN ACT CONCERNING BAIL BOND TRANSPARENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1900 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


| Total | 33 |

**NEGATIVE:**

| Total | 0 |

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

| Total | 0 |

**EXCUSED:** Flowers, Irvin.

| Total | 2 |

**VOTING PRESENT:**

| Total | 0 |

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 33  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1900 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1912 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1912
As Engrossed: H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, JET
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, J. DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A REDUCED SALES AND USE TAX RATE FOR CERTAIN USED MOTOR VEHICLES, TRAILERS, AND SEMITRAILERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1912 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ........................................................................................... 33

NEGATIVE:
Total ..................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ..................................................................................................0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ................................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..................................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast ..............................................................33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...............................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1912 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hickey, House Bill No. 1921 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1921
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE WITHDRAWAL OF CONSENT TO ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1921 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ..........................................................................................33
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1921 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1866 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1866
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTION EXPENSES FOR THE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS AND THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO PROHIBIT THE ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS, GRANTS, AND GIFTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1866 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hendren.

Total ................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................................. 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1866 was returned to the House as passed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 595, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR DAVID WALLACE
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO
SENATOR BEN GILMORE
SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
SENATE BILL NO. 553, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER
SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
SENATOR BART HESTER
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 699, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)      SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
SENATOR BART HESTER
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 75, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
SENATOR BART HESTER

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO
SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
SENATOR BEN GILMORE
SENATOR DAVID WALLACE
SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
SENATOR KIM HAMMER

SENATE BILL NO. 708
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE CONDUCTING OF PRIMARY ELECTIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 708 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 709
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR Session
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE CONDUCTING OF PRIMARY ELECTIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 709 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 710
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR Session
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE FOUR (4) CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 710 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 711
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR (4) CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 711 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1208
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1208 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1926
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE; TO CLARIFY CONTROL OF VIRTUAL CURRENCY UNDER THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1926 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1932
As Engrossed:  H4/21/21  H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE LAW RELATED TO THE GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION RESIDENCY EXPANSION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1932 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE CONVERSION OF PLASTICS AND OTHER RECOVERED MATERIALS THROUGH ADVANCED RECYCLING PROCESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1944 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 22, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944, BY REPRESENTATIVE WING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR BART HESTER
SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO
SENATOR BEN GILMORE
SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
SENATOR DAVID WALLACE
Senate Bill No. 158 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 181 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 211 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 506 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 551 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 610 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 624 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 628 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 664 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 312 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Senate Bill No. 513 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 513 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 582 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 594 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 631 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 560 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 663 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 663 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 68
SENATE BILL NO. 460
SENATE BILL NO. 476
SENATE BILL NO. 485
SENATE BILL NO. 609
SENATE BILL NO. 627
SENATE BILL NO. 634
SENATE BILL NO. 659
SENATE BILL NO. 666
SENATE BILL NO. 671
SENATE BILL NO. 686
SENATE BILL NO. 691
SENATE BILL NO. 701
SENATE BILL NO. 703
SENATE BILL NO. 706

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1054
HOUSE BILL NO. 1157
HOUSE BILL NO. 1180
HOUSE BILL NO. 1196
HOUSE BILL NO. 1207
HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
HOUSE BILL NO. 1391
HOUSE BILL NO. 1456
HOUSE BILL NO. 1508
HOUSE BILL NO. 1509
HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
HOUSE BILL NO. 1625
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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1005
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 158
SENATE BILL NO. 181
SENATE BILL NO. 211
SENATE BILL NO. 506
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SENATE BILL NO. 610
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SENATE BILL NO. 628
SENATE BILL NO. 664

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN & ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10
SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 312 AS AMENDED NOS. 1, 2 & 3
SENATE BILL NO. 513 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 560 AS AMENDED NO. 1
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SENATE BILL NO. 594 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
SENATE BILL NO. 631 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 663 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN & ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1208
HOUSE BILL NO. 1926
HOUSE BILL NO. 1932
HOUSE BILL NO. 1944
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, April 26, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
April 26, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 1:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCHE, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Ballinger.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
BY SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 158, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 181, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 506, BY SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 211, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 551, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 610, BY SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO,
SENATE BILL NO. 624, BY SENATOR DAVE WALLACE,
SENATE BILL NO. 628, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 664, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:10 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10
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SENATE BILL NO. 624
SENATE BILL NO. 628
SENATE BILL NO. 664

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-third day of April, 2021 at 2:10 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 547, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 590, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:57 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 300
SENATE BILL NO. 334
SENATE BILL NO. 547
SENATE BILL NO. 590
SENATE BILL NO. 614

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-third day of April, 2021 at 1:57 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 26, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 689 - ACT 903
- Senate Bill No. 680 - ACT 904
- Senate Bill No. 677 - ACT 905
- Senate Bill No. 669 - ACT 906
- Senate Bill No. 647 - ACT 907
- Senate Bill No. 606 - ACT 908
- Senate Bill No. 629 - ACT 909
- Senate Bill No. 574 - ACT 910
- Senate Bill No. 566 - ACT 911
- Senate Bill No. 564 - ACT 912
- Senate Bill No. 552 - ACT 913
- Senate Bill No. 244 - ACT 914
- Senate Bill No. 26 - ACT 915
- Senate Bill No. 405 - ACT 916
- Senate Bill No. 597 - ACT 917
- Senate Bill No. 164 - ACT 918

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 22, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Bill No. 155 - ACT 837
Senate Bill No. 585 - ACT 839

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 23, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
STATE OF ARKANSAS

Asa Hutchinson
Governor

April 23, 2021

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 23, 2021, I am allowing the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY to go into law without my signature:

   Senate Bill No. 59 - ACT 872

Sincerely,

(SIGNED)   ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 23, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 111 - ACT 842
- Senate Bill No. 55 - ACT 843
- Senate Bill No. 359 - ACT 844
- Senate Bill No. 360 - ACT 845
- Senate Bill No. 361 - ACT 846
- Senate Bill No. 362 - ACT 847
- Senate Bill No. 363 - ACT 828
- Senate Bill No. 364 - ACT 849
- Senate Bill No. 365 - ACT 850
- Senate Bill No. 366 - ACT 851
- Senate Bill No. 367 - ACT 852
- Senate Bill No. 368 - ACT 853
- Senate Bill No. 369 - ACT 854
- Senate Bill No. 370 - ACT 855
- Senate Bill No. 371 - ACT 856
- Senate Bill No. 372 - ACT 857
- Senate Bill No. 373 - ACT 858
- Senate Bill No. 374 - ACT 859

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 25, 2021, I approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 171 - ACT 888
- Senate Bill No. 355 - ACT 889
- Senate Bill No. 393 - ACT 890
- Senate Bill No. 395 - ACT 891
- Senate Bill No. 398 - ACT 892
- Senate Bill No. 403 - ACT 893
- Senate Bill No. 489 - ACT 894
- Senate Bill No. 543 - ACT 895
- Senate Bill No. 561 - ACT 896
- Senate Bill No. 576 - ACT 897
- Senate Bill No. 581 - ACT 898
- Senate Bill No. 621 - ACT 899
- Senate Bill No. 625 - ACT 900
- Senate Bill No. 637 - ACT 901
- Senate Bill No. 662 - ACT 902

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 312, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendments Nos. 1, 2 & 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RONALD CALDWELL, CHAIRMAN  
(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH  
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE  
(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE  
(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING

ARKANSAS SENATE  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1783, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOLLETT,  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1931, BY REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1932, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINTY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1881, BY REPRESENTATIVE GRAY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1926, BY REPRESENTATIVE MEEKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1792, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLAPE,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934, BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 663, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVE WALLACE
(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE
(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1938, BY REPRESENTATIVE WING,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Dear President Hickey, Speaker Shepherd, and Members of the General Assembly:

Pursuant to Article 6, Section 15 of the Arkansas Constitution, I inform you today I vetoed Senate Bill 298, The Arkansas Sovereignty Act.

Senate Bill 298 imposes criminal penalties on state and local law enforcement officers who assist federal agencies or officers in the enforcement of The National Firearms Act which includes limitations on the possession of machine guns, grenades, bombs, and land mines. The bill also prohibits assisting in the enforcement of the Gun Control Act of 1968, which prohibits certain felons from possession of firearms.

The partnership between state and federal law enforcement officers is essential for the safety of Arkansas citizens. This bill will break that partnership and put the safety of Arkansans at risk.

On a daily basis, our state law enforcement officers assist federal agents in the apprehension of violent criminals in possession of illegal firearms. This bill will not only jeopardize future law enforcement endeavors, but also, it will jeopardize hundreds of federal cases against violent criminals. The testimony of Arkansas law enforcement officers assisting federal officers in the pursuit of violent criminals is critical in those cases. That testimony would be barred and criminalized by Senate Bill 298. Additionally, Senate Bill 298 would allow those violent criminals to sue Arkansas law enforcement officers for assisting their federal law enforcement counterparts. This is unacceptable.

I am committed to protecting the sovereignty of the State of Arkansas and the constitutional rights of Arkansas citizens. I will continue to push back against federal overreach and regulation, but criminalizing cooperation with the federal government is not the solution.
I understand the intent of the bill is to provide citizens with the confidence that law enforcement officers of this state will not participate in the enforcement of unconstitutional laws. I fully support that intention, but this bill does not accomplish that goal.

Instead, it creates ambiguity and uncertainty in our state's firearms laws, and it jeopardizes the essential partnership between state and federal law enforcement agencies on critical missions that ensure the safety of Arkansans.

*Senate Bill 298* specifically states that federal laws and regulations, including The National Firearms Act and The Gun Control Act of 1968 are null and void. The bill does not provide any exceptions for provisions of those laws concerning unlawful possession by violent criminals. Those laws have been declared constitutional and have been enforced by the courts for decades. In addition, the laws of the State of Arkansas concerning the regulation of firearms reference both the National Firearms Act and The Gun Control Act of 1968. *Senate Bill 298* does not repeal or amend those Arkansas laws, nor have they been repealed by any other act of the General Assembly. If the General Assembly says those laws are no longer recognized, it is unclear what impact that has on Arkansas laws that reference and incorporate federal law. In other words, *Senate Bill 298* would be a defense attorney's dream come true and would render useless our combined state and federal task forces fighting violent crime.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

On motion of Senator Irvin, *Senate Resolution No. 19* was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE THE RURAL SPECIAL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM AS THE CLASS 1A STATE CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 19 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Memorial Resolution No. 6 at this time.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 6 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 6
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION


SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER PAUL GREENBERG AND HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 6 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14 
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY 
REGULAR SESSION 
BY: SENATOR IRVIN 
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON

SENATE CONCURRENT TO ENCOURAGE THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PASS THE RESIDENT PHYSICIAN SHORTAGE REDUCTION ACT OF 2021 TO REFORM THE NATION’S MEDICARE-SUPPORTED GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND TO PROVIDE RURAL STATES AND RURAL COMMUNITIES WITH ADDITIONAL RESOURCES TO MEET THE HEALTHCARE WORKFORCE NEEDS OF THE FUTURE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Sturch, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE COLLABORATION AMONG THE DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION, THE HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD, AND STATE-SUPPORTED TWO-YEAR AND FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO STUDY THE NEED FOR NEW POLICIES AND REVIEW CURRENT POLICIES RELATED TO EXPANDING ACCESS TO APPLIED BACCALAUREATE AND WORKFORCE DEGREES IN HIGH-DEMAND CAREER FIELDS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 247 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 247

Amend Senate Bill No. 247 as engrossed, S2/8/21:

Page 1, line 28, delete "27-50-309(b)(2)" and substitute "27-50-309(b) and (c)"
AND
Page 1, line 29, delete "is" and substitute "are"
AND
(b)(1) A person commits the crime of racing on a public highway if he or she knowingly:

(A) Commits a violation of § 27-50-302(a)(1)-(9) and operates a motor vehicle in a race or drag race on a public highway; or

(B) Participates in, promotes, solicits, or collects moneys at any location for any race or drag race on a public highway; or

(C) Rides as a passenger in or on a motor vehicle in any race or drag race on a public highway.

(2)(A) Racing A first offense of the crime of racing on a public highway is a Class A misdemeanor.

(B) A subsequent offense of the crime of racing on a public highway, committed within five (5) years of a prior offense:

(i) Is a Class A misdemeanor; and

(ii) Shall result upon conviction in the suspension of the person's driver's license for a period of six (6) months.

(c)(1) A person commits the crime of felony racing on a public highway if he or she violates subdivision (b)(1) of this section and:

(A) Commission of the violation serves to impede or stop the flow of traffic traveling on the public highway in the same or opposite direction; or

(B) Is part of a gathering of ten (10) or more individuals engaging in the same or similar behavior.

(2) Felony racing on a public highway is a Class D felony.

(e)(d)(1) A person commits the crime of observing a drag race as a spectator on a public highway if he or she with the purpose to observe a drag race on a public highway:

(A) Is knowingly present at and purposely observes the drag race or the preparation for the drag race; and

(B) Purposely demonstrates through active encouragement, assistance, facilitation, urging, or a request that the drag race commence.

(2) Observing a drag race is a Class B misdemeanor.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 247, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining on passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 247 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 247
As Engrossed: S2/8/21 H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOLCOMB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION OF THE OFFENSE OF RACING A VEHICLE ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 247 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 247. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

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So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 247 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 248 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 248

Amend Senate Bill No. 248 as engrossed, S4/14/21:

Page 6, line 3, delete "and"

AND

Page 6, delete line 5, and substitute the following:
"requirements, and that is non-time/temperature control for safety food;"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 17 through 29, and substitute the following:

"(5)(A) "Non-time/temperature control for safety food" means food that does not require time or temperature control for safety to limit pathogenic microorganism growth or toxin formation and as defined in the rules of the Department of Health.

(B) "Non-time/temperature control for safety food" includes without limitation pickled cucumbers and other acidified vegetables that have an equilibrium pH of 4.6 or less if:

(i)(a) The recipe:
(1) Is from a source approved by the department; or
(2) Has been tested by an appropriately certified laboratory that confirmed the finished product has an equilibrium pH value of 4.6 or less,
(b) If a recipe is not as described in subdivision (5)(B)(i)(a), the producer shall test each batch of the recipe with a calibrated pH meter to confirm the finished product has an equilibrium pH value of 4.6 or less; (ii) The batch is labelled with a unique number; and (iii) The producer maintains records that include: (a) The batch number; (b) The recipe used by the producer; (c) The source of the recipe or testing results if applicable; and (d) The date that the batch was prepared;"

AND

Page 6, line 30, delete "(7)" and substitute "(6)"

AND

Page 6, line 34, delete "(8)" and substitute "(7)"

AND

Page 6, line 35, delete "residence; and" and substitute "residence;"

AND

Page 6, delete line 36, and substitute the following: "(8)(A) "Time/temperature control for safety food" means food that requires time or temperature control for safety to limit pathogenic microorganism growth or toxin formation and as defined in the rules of the department. (B) "Time/temperature control for safety food" includes: (i) An animal food that is raw or heat treated; (ii) Food of plant origin that is heat treated or consists of raw seed sprouts; (iii) Cut leafy greens; (iv) Cut tomatoes or mixtures of cut tomatoes; and (v) Garlic-in-oil mixtures; and (9) "Transaction" means the exchange of buying and selling in"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 12 through 29, and substitute the following: "(B) The seller of a homemade food or drink product may be the producer of the homemade food or drink product, an agent of the producer, or a third-party vendor, including a retail shop or grocery store; (2) Occur in Arkansas or in another state if the seller complies with all applicable federal laws; (3) Not involve the sale of meat, poultry, seafood, or time/temperature control for safety food products; (4) Be delivered by the producer, agent of the producer, third-party vendor, or third-party carrier to the informed end consumer; and (5) Satisfy the disclosure requirements in § 20-57-505."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 16 and 17, and substitute the following:
“(B) Container and a separate written document provided to the informed end consumer upon sale if the homemade food or drink product is offered for sale from a bulk container;”

AND

Page 8, delete lines 30 and 31, and substitute the following:
“(2) At a retail location of a third-party vendor of the homemade food or drink product.”

AND

Page 9, line 11, delete “§ 20-59-48;” and substitute “§ 20-59-248;”

AND

Page 9, line 13, delete “sold; or” and substitute “sold;”

AND

Page 9, delete line 20, and substitute the following:
“(D) Another state’s laws; or
(7) Conflict with the authority of the department to ensure food is not adulterated or misbranded under the Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, § 20-56-201 et seq.”

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 248, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Davis, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 248 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FOOD FREEDOM ACT; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN PRODUCERS OF HOMEMADE FOOD OR DRINK PRODUCTS FROM LICENSURE, CERTIFICATION, AND INSPECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 248 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 248. Motion carried.


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 535 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 535

Amend Senate Bill No. 535 as engrossed, S4/5/21:

Page 4, line 11, delete "laws; or" and substitute "laws;"

AND

Page 4, delete line 16, and substitute the following:
"grant program or grant program funds; or
(10) Requested or used by the State Securities Department for the administration of the Arkansas Securities Act, § 23-42-101 et seq."

(SIGNED)  REPRESENTATIVE RAY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 535, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Davis, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Davis, Senate Bill No. 535 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 535
As Engrossed: S4/5/21 H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAY, MCCOLLUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE GOVERNMENT INTERACTION WITH NONPROFIT ENTITIES ACT; TO REGULATE PUBLIC AGENCY INTERACTION WITH A NONPROFIT ENTITY; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION MAINTAINED BY NONPROFIT ENTITIES; TO CREATE A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE FOR THE DISCLOSURE OF PRIVATE INFORMATION OF A NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 535 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Davis moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 535.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 33
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hendren.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 535 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 544 was called up for the purpose
of considering Amendment Nos. 1 & 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 544

Amend Senate Bill No. 544 as engrossed, S4/1/21:

Add Representative Richmond as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 17, and substitute the following:
"(d) If a person who is in the custody of the department receives any federal
relief or stimulus funds from the United States Government but has no known
existing court fines, fees, costs, or restitution, the federal relief or stimulus funds
shall be distributed in equal parts to the following:
(1) An inmate welfare fund established under § 12-29-107; and
(2) The Division of Correction Inmate Care and Custody Fund"
Account.

(e) This section applies retroactively to any federal relief or stimulus funds received on or after October 13, 2020, from the United States Government.

(f) If the department is unable to confirm funds received by a person in its custody are federal relief or stimulus funds, the funds will be deposited into the person's inmate banking account.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 544, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 54 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 544

Amend Senate Bill No. 544 as engrossed, H4/13/21:

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 12, and substitute the following:

"(4) Forward the withheld federal relief or stimulus funds to the circuit clerk in the county or to the city treasurer in the municipality to which existing court fines, fees, costs, or restitution is owed."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 544, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Rice, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rice, Senate Bill No. 544 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 544
As Engrossed: S4/1/21 H4/13/21 H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RICE, STUBBLEFIELD, FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING A PERSON IN THE CUSTODY OF A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY TO USE FUNDS FROM FEDERAL RELIEF OR STIMULUS PROGRAMS TO FIRST PAY OUTSTANDING FINES, FEES, COSTS, OR RESTITUTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 544 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 544. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 30
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ............................................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 544, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................. 30

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Leding, Tucker.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.......................................................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 544 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 549 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 549

Amend Senate Bill No. 549 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Hawks as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "Secretary of State" and substitute "State Board of Election Commissioners"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "Secretary of" and substitute "State Board of Election Commissioners"

AND

Page 2, delete line 32

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "Secretary of State" and substitute "State Board of Election Commissioners"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 549, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 549 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 549 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 549
As Engrossed: H4/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELECTION LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROVISIONAL BALLOTS AND REJECTED BALLOTS; TO REQUIRE PROVISIONAL BALLOT AND REJECTED BALLOT REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 549 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 549. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers.

Total ................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast............................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 549 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 553 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 553

Amend Senate Bill No. 553 as engrossed, S3/29/21:

Page 1, line 11, delete "AND FOR OTHER" and substitute "TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER"
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:

"TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS STATE CAPITOL AND HISTORICAL MONUMENT PROTECTION ACT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "nameplate."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 35 and 36, and substitute the following:

"(i) On public property and was installed, erected for, or named or dedicated in honor of a historical person, historical event, public service organization, firefighter, police officer, military"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 22 through 25, and substitute the following:

"(B) "Historical monument" does not include:
   (i) A Temporary exhibit;
   (ii) A Temporary structure;
   (iii) A street sign; or
   (iv) Public property of the State Highway Commission;
(2) "Memorial" means an identifiable place that is set aside for the purpose of preserving the memory of a historical person, historical event, public service organization, firefighter, police officer, military organization, or military unit;"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "(4)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 7, and substitute the following:

"Capitol.
   (c) Subsection (a) of this section does not prohibit a public utility from performing work on the State Capitol if the public utility:
   (1) Exercises proper and appropriate means for the protection, preservation, care, repair, or restoration of the State Capitol; and
   (2) Coordinates the work with the Secretary of State or the Capitol Arts and Grounds Commission."
AND

Page 3, delete lines 13 through 17, and substitute the following:

“(2) Subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not prohibit a governmental entity having responsibility for maintaining a historical monument from:
(A) Taking proper and appropriate measures, and exercising proper and appropriate means, for the protection, preservation, care, repair, or restoration of the historical monument; and
(B) Temporarily removing or relocating the historical monument to repair public property or any public infrastructure surrounding the historical monument if the governmental entity:
(i) Removes or relocates the historical monument for less than sixty (60) days; and
(ii) Ensures the protection of the historical monument while the historical monument is removed or relocated.

(3) Subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not prohibit a local government entity from removing, storing, stabilizing, altering, or otherwise displacing a historical monument to install, relocate, repair, or alter public infrastructure if:
(A) The local government entity exercises proper and appropriate means for the protection, preservation, care, repair, or restoration of the historical monument;
(B) The historical monument is removed or relocated for less than sixty (60) days;
(C) A waiver is obtained from the Arkansas History Commission to remove or relocate the historical monument for a period of time greater than sixty (60) days; and
(D) The public utility ensures the protection of the historical monument while the historical monument is removed or relocated.

(4) A person shall not install, erect, name, or dedicate a new historical monument that impedes the use of a public right-of-way or utility easement.

(5) Subdivision (a)(1) of this section does not apply to the replacement or repair of a frayed, soiled, or damaged flag that is part of a historic flag display if the frayed, soiled, or damaged flag is replaced with a similar flag.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:

"plaque, or historic flag display qualifies as a historical monument under this subchapter.

(e) A governmental entity shall request a waiver from the Arkansas History Commission for a historical monument that previously has been removed but is still in the possession of a governmental entity to determine the disposition of the historical monument under subdivision (f)(1) of this section.

(f)(1) If a waiver is granted by the Arkansas History Commission for the removal of a historical monument, the waiver shall include directions for the disposition of the historical monument and may include without limitation the:
(A) Return of the historical monument to the donor of the historical monument or the donor's heirs or assigns;
(B) Return of the historical monument to an organization that donated the historical monument or the organization's successor or assigns;
(C) Donation of the historical monument to a public entity; or
(D) Donation or public sale of the historical monument to a private entity.

(2) If a waiver is granted to remove a historical monument or a waiver is granted to allow the disposition of a historical monument that has been removed,
title to the removed historical monument shall be transferred to the entity receiving the historical monument under subdivision (f)(1) of this section.

AND

Page 4, delete line 11, and substitute the following:
"resident of the State of Arkansas or by the Arkansas History Commission.

(c)(1) A historical monument in existence on the effective date of this act is considered a historical monument for the purposes of this subchapter.

(2) A historical monument not currently displayed by a public entity is considered a historical monument for the purposes of this subchapter.

(d) A governmental entity may request that the commission recognize a statue, memorial, gravestone plate, plaque, or historic flag display erected and dedicated after the effective date of this act as a historical monument by an application process established by the rules of the commission.

(e) The commission shall promulgate rules under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., to:

(1) Establish a process for the application for a waiver;

(2) Create a process for the approval of a temporary waiver on an emergency basis;

(3) Establish guidelines regarding what will be designated as a historical monument;

(4) Create an application process for registering historical monuments erected after the effective date of this section;

(5) Establish guidelines for the disposition of historical monuments if a waiver is granted to remove a historical monument; and

(6) Otherwise effectuate the purposes of this subchapter."

AND

Page 4, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"is more than one thousand dollars ($1,000).

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. Rules implementing this act.

(a) The Arkansas History Commission shall promulgate rules necessary to implement this act.

(b)(1) When adopting the initial rules to implement this act, the final rules shall be filed with the Secretary of State for adoption under § 25-15-204(f):

(A) On or before January 1, 2022; or

(B) If approval under § 10-3-309 has not occurred by January 1, 2022, as soon as practicable after approval under § 10-3-309.

(2) The Arkansas History Commission shall file the proposed rules with the Legislative Council under § 10-3-309(c) sufficiently in advance of January 1, 2022, so that the Legislative Council may consider the rule for approval before January 1, 2022.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the State Capitol, monuments, and veterans' cemeteries suffered extensive vandalism during the past year; that the State Capitol and other historical monuments require additional protection; that the historical monuments have an irreplaceable value to the people of Arkansas who wish to preserve these venerated treasures; and that this act is immediately necessary because there is a continuing and imminent threat to historical monuments, and the preservation of these historical monuments protects the public peace. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:
(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 553, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 553 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 553
As Engrossed: S3/29/21 H4/13/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS M. JOHNSON, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH, T. GARNER, GILMORE, K. HAMMER, HILL, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, G. STUBBLEFIELD, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, BECK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS STATE CAPITOL AND HISTORICAL MONUMENT PROTECTION ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 553 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 23

**NEGATIVE:** Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Leding.

Total ........................................................................................................ 5

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Davis, Dismang, Hammer, Hickey, Ingram, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................ 6

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered enrolled.

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 553, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Leding.

Total ........................................................................................................... 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Dismang, Hammer, Hickey, Ingram, Stubblefield.

Total ........................................................................................................... 6

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 29
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator M. Johnson moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 553 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 553 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 26, 2021.
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 553, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE:  Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Ingram.

Total ................................................................. 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Hickey, Leding, Teague.

Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 32
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.................. 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 560 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 560

Amend Senate Bill No. 560 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives McCollum, Underwood, V. Flowers, Richardson, Gonzales as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 560, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 560 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS CIVIL ASSET FORFEITURE REFORM ACT OF 2021"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 560 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 560. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 560 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 573 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendments Nos. 1 and 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 573

Amend Senate Bill No. 573 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Underwood as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 17, and substitute the following:

“(iv) Unless otherwise prohibited under § 5-73-122, a public building owned or operated by a county, municipal, or other governmental entity in which alcoholic beverages are not regularly served and the licensee is carrying a concealed handgun as provided under § 5-73-322(g) and (h).”

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 573, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Amend Senate Bill No. 573 as engrossed, H4/13/21:

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 20, and substitute the following:

“(iv) A place owned, controlled, or operated by a local unit of government as defined in § 14-16-504 if the licensee is carrying a concealed handgun as provided under § 5-73-322(g) and (h), unless the place is listed in § 5-73-122(a)(3)(D)(i)-(iv) or the place is a part of a building licensed to dispense alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises.”

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 573, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 573 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 573
As Engrossed: H4/13/21  H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE UNDERWOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PLACES WHERE A PERSON MAY POSSESS AND CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN WITH A LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 573 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .......................................................................................... 28

NEGATIVE:  Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.
Total .......................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Hickey.
Total .......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 573 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 595 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 595

Amend Senate Bill No. 595 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTIONS 15 through 18 in their entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 595, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Wallace, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 595 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 595  
As Engrossed: H4/21/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR D. WALLACE  
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES IS THE AGENCY THAT REGULATES LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; TO REMOVE REFERENCES TO THE OFFICE OF LONG-TERM CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 595 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Wallace moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 595. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 595 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 599 was called up for the purpose
of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 599

Amend Senate Bill No. 599 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 14, and substitute the following:
"programs, excluding a regulator who:

(A) Is a member of the board of directors of the commission;

and

(B) Shall not directly or indirectly participate in the commission's
fundraising activities;"
AND

Page 5, line 14, delete "Treasurer of State" and substitute "board of directors of the Arkansas Financial Education Commission"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE COZART

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 599, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 599 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 599
As Engrossed: H4/14/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COZART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS FINANCIAL EDUCATION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 599 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 599. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................... 32

NEGATIVE:  Hester.

Total ................................................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Pitsch, Sullivan.

Total ................................................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 599 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 631

Amend Senate Bill No. 631 as engrossed, S4/8/21:
Add Representative Penzo as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 631, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Eads, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Eads, Senate Bill No. 631 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 631
As Engrossed: S4/7/21  S4/8/21  H4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR L. EADS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING HARD CIDER; TO AUTHORIZE A HARD CIDER MANUFACTURER TO DELIVER HARD CIDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Eads moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 631. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................18

Total ................................................................................................. 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hendren, Irvin, Rice.

Total ............................................................................................... 3

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. .......................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Clark, Rapert, Stubblefield.

Total ................................................................. .......................... 4

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 95 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 95

JBC 04/22/21 (1b,5)

Amend Senate Bill No. 95 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 2, delete "1" and substitute with "2"

AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "19" and substitute with "20"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "$1,449,507" and substitute with "$1,481,912"
AND
Page 2, line 25, delete "439,394" and substitute with "446,199"

AND
Page 2, line 32, delete " $3,093,239" and substitute with " $3,132,449"

AND
Page 3, line 10, delete "154" and substitute with "161"

AND
Page 3, line 24, delete "251" and substitute with "258"

AND
Page 4, line 7, delete "$17,908,945" and substitute with "$18,453,979"

AND
Page 4, line 9, delete "5,508,907" and substitute with "5,688,773"

AND
Page 4, line 18, delete " $25,903,108" and substitute with " $26,628,008"

AND
Page 6, line 12, delete "0" and substitute with "10,000"

AND
Page 6, line 13, delete "25,000" and substitute with "75,000"

AND
Page 6, line 16, delete " 2,160,231" and substitute with " 3,600,231"

AND
Page 6, line 17, delete " $3,183,156" and substitute with " $4,683,156".

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 95 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 375 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 375

Amend Senate Bill No. 375 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 17 delete “Restricted Reserve Fund” and substitute the following: “Restricted Reserve Fund” or the “Rainy Day Fund” as authorized in subsection (a)(2) herein

AND

Page 2, delete lines 24 and 25 in their entirety and substitute the following: “shall be transferred to the Rainy Day Fund, on July 1, 2021;”

AND

Page 2, line 31 delete “authorized in Section 3(d)(3)” and substitute “Set-Aside authorized in Section 3(a)(3)(B)”

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete “law; and” and substitute "law.

AND

Page 3, delete lines 17 through 20 in their entirety

AND

Page 3, Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety and substitute the following:

“SECTION 3. DO NOT CODIFY. RESTRICTED RESERVE FUND DISTRIBUTION AND SET-ASIDES. (a) After having transferred or set-aside the obligations as set out in §19-5-202(b)(2)(B)(iii) as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, those funds transferred and credited to the Restricted Reserve Fund as authorized in Section 2 of this Act and any current unobligated balances in the Restricted Reserve Fund, the State Treasurer shall first set-aside one hundred seventy one million four hundred and five thousand dollars ($171,405,000) for the “Restricted Reserve Fund Set-Asides” as enumerated in subsections (a)(1) through
(a)(3) of this section, with the exception of (a)(3)(B) Quick Action Closing Fund Carry Forward Set-Aside funds to be made available as authorized in Section 2(a)(3) of this Act.

(1) Notwithstanding other provisions of law as set out in 19-5-1263(c) the Set-Asides authorized in subsections (a)(1)(A) and (B) herein shall require prior approval of the greater of three-fifths (3/5) of the quorum present or a majority of the membership by the Legislative Council during the extended recess, beginning on May 1, 2021, of the 2021 Regular Session or during the interim, or the Joint Budget Committee during a regular session, fiscal session, or extraordinary session of the General Assembly in the vote for the disbursements;

(A) Executive/Legislative 3/5 Vote Set-Aside. For transfers from time to time as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, in a sum not to exceed $133,500,000;

(B) State Police Vehicles 3/5 Vote Set-Aside. For transfers from time to time as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for the Division of State Police Fund for State Police Vehicles in a sum not to exceed $3,000,000.

(2) Notwithstanding other provisions of law as set out in 19-5-1263(c) the Unallocated Restricted Reserve Majority Vote Set-Aside authorized in subsections (a)(2)(A) herein shall only require a majority affirmative vote as set out in the rules of the Legislative Council during the extended recess, beginning on May 1, 2021, of the 2021 Regular Session or during the interim, or the Joint Budget Committee during a regular session, fiscal session, or extraordinary session of the General Assembly for prior approval of the disbursement;

(A) Unallocated Restricted Reserve Majority Vote Set-Aside. For transfers from time to time as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, in a sum not to exceed $5,000,000.

(3) Notwithstanding other provisions of law the Set-Asides authorized in subsections (a)(3)(A) through (C) herein shall not be subject to the approval requirements set out 19-5-1263(c) and shall only require reporting of the date and amount of transfers:

(A) Economic Stimulus Programs Set-Aside. For transfers from time to time to the Department of Commerce Arkansas Economic Development Commission to fund or fund accounts as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for funding in economic stimulus activities throughout the state, in a sum not to exceed $5,800,000;

(B) Quick Action Closing Fund Carry Forward Set-Aside. To the Economic Development Incentive Quick Action Closing Fund, for incentives to attract new business and economic development to the state, for transfers from time to time from funds made available as authorized in Section 2(a)(3) of this Act;

(C) Department of Correction Lease Payments Set-Aside. For the Department of Correction to the Development and Enhancement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts or any appropriation authorized by the General Assembly for the Department of Correction debt service payments, in a sum not to exceed $14,105,000.

(b) The next ten million dollars ($10,000,000) shall be transferred to the Rainy Day Fund. This transfer to the Rainy Day Fund shall not be subject to the approval requirements set out 19-5-1263(c), however after the funds are transferred to the Rainy Day Fund those funds shall be subject to any requirements set out in law for Rainy Day Fund distributions for reporting or prior approval by the Legislative
Council during the extended recess, beginning on May 1, 2021, of the 2021 Regular Session or during the interim, or the Joint Budget Committee during a regular session, fiscal session, or extraordinary session of the General Assembly.

(c) Then all remaining unobligated funds not set-aside, that are transferred or credited to the Restricted Reserve Fund and any future collections, deposits and transfers authorized in Section 2 of this Act shall be transferred and credited to the Long Term Reserve Fund.

(d) On July 1, 2023 any unobligated funds remaining in the Restricted Reserve Fund Set-Asides established in subsection (a) herein shall be transferred to the Long Term Reserve Fund."

SECTION 4. CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 19-5-1262 is repealed.

19-5-1262. Rainy Day Fund.

(a) There is created on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a miscellaneous fund to be known as the “Rainy Day Fund”.

(b) The Rainy Day Fund shall consist of:

1. Funds transferred to the Rainy Day Fund from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, including the Development and Enhancement Fund;

2. Attorney General settlement funds;

3. Interagency transfers of funds to the Rainy Day Fund;

4. Any revenues provided by law; and

5. Any other funds and fund transfers provided for by law.

(c) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall use the Rainy Day Fund for transfers to:

1.(A) Provide funding for one (1) or more appropriations or reappropriations enacted by the General Assembly from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, including the Development and Enhancement Fund.

(B) At the time of a transfer under subdivision (c)(1)(A) of this section, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall notify the Legislative Council or, if the General Assembly is in session, the Joint Budget Committee, of the transfer of funds, the amount of funds transferred, and the purpose of the transfer; and

2. One (1) or more funds or fund accounts authorized by the General Assembly, other than the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, including the Development and Enhancement Fund, upon prior approval by the Legislative Council or, if the General Assembly is in session, the Joint Budget Committee.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE. Section 4 of this act is effective on and after December 31, 2022 and any remaining unobligated balances in the Rainy Day Fund shall be transferred to the Long Term Reserve Fund at that time.

SECTION 6. CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 19-5-406, concerning the transfer of remaining general revenues is amended to read as follows:

19-5-406. Transfer of remaining revenues.

(1) The first two hundred million shall be distributed as follows:
(4)(A) Seventy-five percent (75%) of the remaining general revenues available for distribution during each fiscal year shall be transferred on the last day of business in each calendar month to the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund, there to be used for the respective purposes as provided by law; and

(2)(B) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the remaining general revenues available for distribution during each fiscal year shall be transferred on the last day of business in each calendar month to the Arkansas Highway Transfer Fund State Highway and Transportation Department Fund.

(2) Any additional revenues available after the distributions in subsection (1) shall be transferred on the last day of business in each calendar month to the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund, there to be used for the respective purposes as provided by law."

AND

Page 7, delete SECTION 7 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly that the effectiveness of this Act on the date of its passage and approval is essential to allow transfers which can provide an additional funding mechanism for the operation of state departments, agencies and institutions of higher education, as well as to address unforeseen needs of the state through the disbursement of state funds with the Restricted Reserve Fund as authorized in this Act, and that in the event of an extension of the Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond the date of its passage and approval could work irreparable harm upon the proper transfer of funds, administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides the veto."

AND

Appropriately renumber all SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 375 was ordered engrossed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 702 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 702

Amend Senate Bill No. 702 as originally introduced:

Page 2, insert new SECTIONS immediately following SECTION 2 to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code 19-5-401 is amended to read as follows:

19-5-401. Allocations for fiscal year 2021-2022 and thereafter. Commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and each fiscal year thereafter, the Treasurer of State shall transfer all remaining general revenues available for distribution on the last day of business in July 2021, and on the last day of business in each calendar month thereafter during the fiscal year to the various funds and fund accounts participating in general revenues in the proportions of the maximum allocation as the individual allocation to the fund or fund account bears to the total of the maximum allocation as provided in § 19-5-402 (a), (b), (c), and (d).

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code 19-5-402 is amended to read as follows:


(a) ALLOCATION A. The Treasurer of State shall first make monthly allocations in the proportions set out in this subsection to the funds and fund accounts listed below until there has been transferred a total of five billion six hundred fifty-eight million five hundred thirty six thousand nine hundred and fifty three dollars ($5,658,536,953) or so much thereof as may become available; provided, that the Treasurer of State shall make such monthly allocations in accordance with each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this subsection:

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(b) ALLOCATION B. Then after making the maximum annual allocations provided for in subsection (a) of this section, the Treasurer of State shall then make allocations from the remaining general revenues available for distribution, as set forth in this subsection, to the funds and fund accounts listed below until there has been transferred a total of seventy three million seven hundred twenty eight thousand six hundred eighteen dollars ($73,728,618) or so much thereof that may become available; provided, that the Treasurer of State shall make such monthly allocations in accordance with each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this subsection:

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(28) NATIONAL PARK COLLEGE FUND $ 441,084
(29) NORTHARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND $ 234,212
(30) NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND $ 608,639
(31) PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND $ 449,435
(32) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT RICH MOUNTAIN FUND $ 178,071
(33) SAU-TECH FUND $ 278,546
(34) SAU-TECH FUND-ENVIRONMENTAL TRAINING ACADEMY $ 18,752
(35) SAU-TECH FUND-FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY $ 84,047
(36) SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND $ 301,647
(37) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FUND $ 206,507
(38) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE-T EXARRANA FUND $ 249,455
(39) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FUND $ 268,402
(40) BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND $ 178,848
(41) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS FUND $ 110,185
(42) OZARKA COLLEGE FUND $ 152,439
(43) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND $ 442,839
(44) SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND $ 164,902

(c) ALLOCATION C. Then after making the maximum annual allocations provided for in subsection (b) of this section, the Treasurer of State shall then make allocations from the remaining general revenues available for distribution, as set forth in this subsection, to the funds and fund accounts listed below until there has been transferred a total of ninety nine million seven hundred seventy six thousand two hundred nine dollars ($99,776,209) or so much thereof that may become available; provided, that the Treasurer of State shall make such monthly allocations in accordance with each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this subsection:

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(8) State Library Fund Account                          $ 180,840  
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(10) Rehabilitation Services Fund Account $ -  
Technical Institutes:  
(11) Northwest Technical Institute Fund Account $ -  
(12) Riverside Vocational Technical School Fund Account $ -  

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FUND  
(1) Department of Human Services Administration Fund Account $ -  
(2) Children and Family Services Fund Account $ -  
(3) Child Care and Early Childhood Education Fund Account $ -  
(4) Youth Services Fund Account $ -  
(5) Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account $ -  
(6) Medical Services Fund Account $ -  
(7) Department of Human Services Grants Fund Account 60,000,000  
(8) Behavioral Health Services Fund Account $ -  
(9) Provider Services and Quality Assurance Fund Account $ -  
(10) County Operations Fund Account $ -  

STATE GENERAL GOVERNMENT FUND  
(1) Division of Arkansas Heritage Fund Account $ -  
(2) Department of Agriculture Fund Account 886,174  
(3) Department of Labor and Licensing Fund Account 488,523  
(4) Division of Higher Education Fund Account 579,272  
(5) Higher Education Grants Fund Account 2,000,873  
(6) Arkansas Economic Development Commission Fund Account 740,874  
(7) Division of Correction Inmate Care and Custody Fund Account 5,657,595  
(8) Division of Community Correction Fund Account 2,579,801  
(9) Department of the Military Fund Account 344,943  
(10) Parks and Tourism Fund Account $ -  
(11) Division of Environmental Quality Fund Account 198,271  
(12) Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account 2,817,916  
COUNTY AID FUND $ 1,071,430  
COUNTY JAIL REIMBURSEMENT FUND $ -  
CRIME INFORMATION SYSTEM FUND $ -  
CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FUND $ -  
PUBLIC HEALTH FUND $ -  
PERFORMANCE FUND $ -  
MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION REVOLVING FUND $ -  
MUNICIPAL AID FUND $ 1,468,605  
DIVISION OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FUND $ 3,282,440  
DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FUND-TANF $ -  
DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FUND-ADULT EDUCATION $ -  
STATE SERVICES FOR THE BLIND FUND $ -  
SKILLS DEVELOPMENT FUND $ -  

INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION  
(1) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FUND $ 1,478,740  
(2) ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FUND $ 1,217,975  
(3) HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FUND $ 291,938  
(4) SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FUND $ 845,135  
(5) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND $ 3,575,475  
(6) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-UA SYSTEM $ -  
(7) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-ARCHAEOLOGICAL SURVEY $ -  
(8) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE $ -  
(9) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CLINTON SCHOOL $ -
(10) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE $ -
(11) SCHOOL FOR MATH, SCIENCES, AND ARTS FUND $ -
(12) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH FUND $ 539,834
(13) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FUND $ 175,929
(14) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND $ -
(15) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - PEDIATRICS/PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH $ -
(16) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - INDIGENT CARE $ -
(17) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FUND $ 351,066
(18) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FUND $ 328,458
(19) UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FUND $ 931,708
(20) ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FUND $ 218,400
(21) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FUND $ -
(22) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FUND $ -
(23) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FUND $ 494,517
(24) COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND $ 115,007
(25) EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND $ 247,894
(26) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY MID-SOUTH FUND $ 72,838
(27) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY MID-SOUTH FUND - ADTEC $ -
(28) NATIONAL PARK COLLEGE FUND $ 173,959
(29) NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND $ -
(30) NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND $ 963,176
(31) PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND $ 291,872
(32) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT RICH MOUNTAIN FUND $ 240,188
(33) SAU-TECH FUND $ 215,807
(34) SAU-TECH FUND-ENVIRONMENTAL TRAINING ACADEMY $ -
(35) SAU-TECH FUND-FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY $ -
(36) SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND $ 35,101
(37) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FUND $ 62,142
(38) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE-TEXARKANA FUND $ 322,912
(39) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FUND $ 264,946
(40) BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND $ -
(41) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY THREE RIVERS FUND $ -
(42) OZARKA COLLEGE FUND $ 208,835
(43) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND $ -
(44) SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND $ -

(d) ALLOCATION D. Then after making the maximum annual allocations provided for in subsection (c) of this section, the Treasurer of State shall then make an allocation from the remaining general revenues available for distribution, as set forth in this subsection, to the Restricted Reserve Fund until there has been transferred a total of seventeen million one hundred fifty eight thousand and three dollars ($17,158,003) or so much thereof that may become available, in monthly allocations.

SECTION 5. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. DUPLICATE ACTS. IF HB1949 and SB702 of the 2021 Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly
are both enacted and adopted by the 93rd General Assembly in identical form, then the last Act passed or latest expression shall supersede the other."

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 702 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 134
HOUSE BILL NO. 1208

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 134 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 134
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 134 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE: Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED: Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 134, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 134 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1208 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1208
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1208 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


    Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

    Total ...................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

    Total ...................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

    Total ...................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

    Total ...................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................................... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1208, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


    Total ........................................................................ 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .........................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1208 was ordered immediately returned to the House as
passed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 75 was called up for third
reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 75
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF
ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENTS 91 AND 101, TO PROVIDE THAT
PROCEEDS GENERATED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT
91, MAY BE APPLIED TO MULTILANE HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENTS; TO AMEND
ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENTS 91 AND 101, PURSUANT TO THE
AUTHORITY GRANTED BY ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, § 1; TO
DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 75 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Senator B. Johnson moved for immediate consideration. Motion passed.

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Flippo, Gilmore, M. Johnson, Rice, Stubblefield, Wallace.

Total ........................................................................................... 9


Total ......................................................................................... 17

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Eads, English, Ingram, Irvin, Leding, Sample.

Total ........................................................................................... 7

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Garner, Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total number of votes cast.............................................................28

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................24

So Senate Bill No. 75 bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 75, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Caldwell, Clark, Flippo, Gilmore, M. Johnson, Rice, Stubblefield, Wallace.
Total ................................................................. 9

Total ................................................................. 17

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Eads, English, Ingram, Irvin, Leding, Sample.
Total ................................................................. 7

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Garner, Rapert.
Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ...................................... 28
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......... 24

So the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 75 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 75 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 375 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 375  
As Engrossed: S4/26/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS J. DISMANG, HICKEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE AVAILABLE IN THE RESTRICTED RESERVE FUND; AND TO ALLOW THAT ADDITIONAL FUNDS MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR STATE AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS APPROPRIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 375 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 375. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 375, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ............................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 375 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 95 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 95
As Engrossed: S4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 95 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 95. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................................................35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................................................35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................................................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 95, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause............... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 95 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 702 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 702
As Engrossed: S4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 702 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 702. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 702, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 702 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1012 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012
As Engrossed: H3/30/21 H4/7/21 S4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RYE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SCRAP METAL DEALERS; TO REQUIRE BUYERS OF USED CATALYTIC CONVERTERS TO MAINTAIN RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1012 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 19

Total ........................................................................................... 9

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, Flowers, Hickey, B. Johnson, Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Chesterfield, Irvin.
Total .............................................................................................

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1012 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Beckham, House Bill No. 1610 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1610
As Engrossed: H3/29/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GAZAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF STUDENT RERAINTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS OR EDUCATIONAL SETTINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1610 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Beckham moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1610. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
  Total ........................................................................................... 0

  Total number of votes cast ............................................................. 35
  Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1610 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1668 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1668
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR THE OFFENSE OF STALKING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1668 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1668. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1668 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1669 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1669
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, MCCULLOGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSES OF DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE SECOND DEGREE AND DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE THIRD DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1669 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1669. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1669 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1670 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1670
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GAZAWAY, MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMMENCEMENT OF A PROSECUTION AND CONCERNING THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1670 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1670. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................................. 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1670 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1693 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
As Engrossed: H4/7/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MADDOX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY INCOME AND PRINCIPAL ACT; TO REPEAL THE UNIFORM PRINCIPAL AND INCOME ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1693 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1693. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................. 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1693 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1789 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789
As Engrossed:  H3/30/21  H4/8/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR JURISDICTIONAL COOPERATION REGARDING ARRESTS, SEARCHES, AND SEIZURES BY FEDERAL EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1789 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Tucker spoke against the Bill.
Senator Irvin spoke on the Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Clark.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

Total ........................................................................................... 28

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Caldwell, Eads, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................18

So House Bill No. 1789 failed.

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House Bill No. 1789 was returned to the House as having failed to pass.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1826 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1826
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL NURSES; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAMS; TO REQUIRE LICENSED REGISTERED NURSES EMPLOYED OR CONTRACTED BY A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO PARTICIPATE IN NURSING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT; TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT AN EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL NURSES; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO PARTICIPATE IN A HEALTH SERVICES SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1826 was pulled down.

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On motion of Senator Leding, House Bill No. 1849 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1849
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WHEN A VEHICLE MAY BE DRIVEN UPON THE LEFT LANE OF A MULTILANE HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1849 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1849. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE:  Beckham, Gilmore, Hill, Pitsch.

Total ................................................................. 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Hammer, B. Johnson, Rice.

Total ................................................................. 3
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1849 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1890 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1890
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STUDY ON THE COMMERCIAL APPLICATION OF EXISTING TECHNOLOGY TO RECLAIM AND REPURPOSE SPENT NUCLEAR FUEL RODS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1890 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1890. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 34
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rapert.
Total .................................................................1

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1890 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, House Bill No. 1883 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
As Engrossed: H4/13/21 H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHRISTIANSEN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING WORKING ANIMAL PROTECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1883 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Caldwell moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1883. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 28

NEGATIVE:  Elliott, Flowers, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Rapert.

Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Chesterfield, Davis, English.

Total ................................................................. 3

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1883 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, House Bill No. 1893 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

House Bill No. 1893 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1893. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rapert.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1893 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1910 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1910
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHRISTIANSEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1910 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1910. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Rapert.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................ 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1910 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, House Bill No. 1937 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1937
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ADMINISTRATIVE FEES AND PENALTIES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REVIEW OF AGENCY RULES BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1937 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1937. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1937 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Flippo, House Bill No. 1944 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE CONVERSION OF PLASTICS AND OTHER RECOVERED MATERIALS THROUGH ADVANCED RECYCLING PROCESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1944 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?


Total ......................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Irvin, Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, Flowers, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding.

Total ........................................................................................... 6

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Beckham.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1944 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1826 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1826
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL NURSES; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAMS; TO REQUIRE LICENSED REGISTERED NURSES EMPLOYED OR CONTRACTED BY A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO PARTICIPATE IN NURSING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT; TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT AN EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR SCHOOL NURSES; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO PARTICIPATE IN A HEALTH SERVICES SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1826 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1826. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE:  Hester.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1826 was returned to the House as passed.

Senate Bill No.  68 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 132 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 612 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 615 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 618 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 638 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 640 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 641 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 652 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 668 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 673 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 676 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 685 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 694 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 698 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 654 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11 was returned from the house as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was returned from the house as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 340 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 569 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 569 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 617 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Garner, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1934 at this time.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1934 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.
Amend House Bill No. 1934 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 2, delete "a minor" and substitute "less than fourteen (14) years of age"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 11 through 13, and substitute the following: "performance by a child, § 5-27-403; and"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "(G)" and substitute "(F)"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "5-14-104" and substitute "5-4-104"

AND

Delete SECTION 6 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1934 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 699 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MANDATORY ELECTRONIC REPORT FILING; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 699 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark spoke for the Bill.

Senator M. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 699. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Elliott, Hester, Pitsch, Sturch, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers, Irvin.

Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ...................... 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 699, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


   Total ................................................................. 27

NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Elliott, Hester, Pitsch, Sturch, Tucker.

   Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

   Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

   Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:  Flowers, Irvin.

   Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 699 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senator Stubblefield moved to reconsider Senate Bill No. 298, notwithstanding the Governor’s veto. By voice vote, a decision could not be determined. Chair call for the roll to be called.

ROLL CALL


Total ............................................................................................................. 19

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Sturch, Tucker.

Total ............................................................................................................. 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, English, Irvin.

Total ............................................................................................................. 3

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................... 32
Necessary to the passage of the motion ................................................... 18

Motion to reconsider passage notwithstanding the Governor’s veto passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 298
Override the Governor’s veto of Senate Bill No. 298

Senator Dismang spoke on the override.
Senator Clark spoke for the override.
Senator Hickey spoke against the override.
Senator M. Johnson spoke for the override.
Senator Flowers moved for immediate consideration. Motion failed.
Senator Rice spoke for the override.
Senator Hendren spoke against the override.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the override.
Senator Irvin spoke on the override.
Senator Stubblefield closed on the override.

ROLL CALL TO OVERRIDE THE GOVERNOR'S VETO:


Total ........................................................................................................21

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Sturch, Tucker.

Total .......................................................................................................12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Eads, English.

Total .......................................................................................................2

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................33

Necessary to the passage of the motion ....................................................18

The override of the Governor's veto passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House for consideration to override the Governor's veto.

On motion of Senator Irvin the Senate recessed until 3:45 p.m.
The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 95, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 375, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 702, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934, BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLER,
report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, A. CLARK

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF SENATOR LINDA COLLINS AND IN RECOGNITION OF HER MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HER LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 712
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING THE ENFORCEMENT OF A FEDERAL BAN ON OR REGULATION OF FIREARMS, MAGAZINES, AMMUNITION, AMMUNITION COMPONENTS, OR FIREARM ACCESSORIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 712 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 713
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCULLOUGH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS
EQUAL PAY ACT OF 2021; TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES TO PAY EQUAL
WAGES OR SALARIES TO BOTH MEN AND WOMEN; TO ENCOURAGE ALL
EMPLOYERS TO ELIMINATE WAGE AND SALARY DIFFERENTIALS; TO
REWARD BUSINESSES WHO LEAD ARKANSAS IN THE POSITIVE DIRECTION
OF EQUALITY IN PAY; TO EDUCATE THE PUBLIC ON WAGE AND SALARY
DIFFERENTIALS; TO PROVIDE GIRLS AND WOMEN WITH SPECIALIZED
TRAINING ON WAGE AND SALARY NEGOTIATION IN THE WORKPLACE; AND
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 713 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 714
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING AND
DISCLOSURE OF ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS; TO RESTRICT THE
AMOUNT OF MONEY SPENT ON CAMPAIGN COMMUNICATIONS PRODUCED
IN COORDINATION WITH A CANDIDATE FOR OFFICE; TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING CAMPAIGN FINANCE CONTRIBUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 714 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 715
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE FLAG OF ARKANSAS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SYMBOLS ON THE STATE FLAG OF ARKANSAS; TO REDESIGNATE THE STARS ON THE STATE FLAG OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 715 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
As Engrossed: H4/26/21
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1081 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
As Engrossed:  H3/15/21  H4/8/21  H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS AND EXPENSES AND VARIOUS AGENCY TRANSFERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1106 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1187
As Engrossed:  H1/27/21  H3/15/21  H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1187 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1943
As Engrossed:  H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVES M. HODGES, LOVE, SCOTT, V. FLOWERS, F. ALLEN, RICHARDSON
BY:  SENATORS A. CLARK, ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SENTENCE CLASSIFICATIONS FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES FROM A FELONY TO A MISDEMEANOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1943 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1949
As Engrossed:  H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE JEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1949 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR TWO ARKANSAS UNIVERSITIES TO PLAY AN IN-STATE FOOTBALL GAME AGAINST EACH OTHER.

Senate Resolution No. 29 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 340, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER
(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER
Mr. President:

    We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

    SENATE BILL NO. 353, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendments Nos. 1 & 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN

ARArkansas Senate
Arkansas Senate
Ninety-Third General Assembly
Regular Session

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

    We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

    SENATE BILL NO. 513, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 569, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
(SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH
(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
(SIGNED) SENATOR LANCE EADS
(SIGNED) SENATOR GREG LEDING
(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER
(SIGNED) SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS
(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR BEN GILMORE

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 26, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1943, BY REPRESENTATIVE HODGES,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN
(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD
(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER
(SIGNED) SENATOR BOB BALLINGER
SENATE BILL NO. 716
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS SOVEREIGNTY ACT OF 2021"; CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING OTHER CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 716 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 717
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEDERAL REGULATION OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE BORDERS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 717 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE HAVING OVERRIDEN THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

SENATE BILL NO. 298
SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO.  95
SENATE BILL NO. 134
SENATE BILL NO. 375
SENATE BILL NO. 699
SENATE BILL NO. 702

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1208
HOUSE BILL NO. 1610
HOUSE BILL NO. 1668
HOUSE BILL NO. 1669
HOUSE BILL NO. 1670
HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
HOUSE BILL NO. 1826
HOUSE BILL NO. 1849
HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
HOUSE BILL NO. 1890
HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
HOUSE BILL NO. 1910
HOUSE BILL NO. 1937
HOUSE BILL NO. 1944

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789
HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 68
SENATE BILL NO. 132
SENATE BILL NO. 612
SENATE BILL NO. 615
SENATE BILL NO. 618
SENATE BILL NO. 638
SENATE BILL NO. 640
SENATE BILL NO. 641
SENATE BILL NO. 652
SENATE BILL NO. 654
SENATE BILL NO. 668
SENATE BILL NO. 673
SENATE BILL NO. 676
SENATE BILL NO. 685
SENATE BILL NO. 694
SENATE BILL NO. 698
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 340 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 569 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 617 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
HOUSE BILL NO. 1187
HOUSE BILL NO. 1943
HOUSE BILL NO. 1949
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, April 27, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
April 27, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Hammer.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

- SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11, BY SENATOR JAMES STURCH,
- SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12, BY SENATOR BEN GILMORE
- SENATE BILL NO. 68, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
- SENATE BILL NO. 132, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
- SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
- SENATE BILL NO. 535, BY SENATOR BREANNE DAVIS,
- SENATE BILL NO. 549, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
- SENATE BILL NO. 553, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,
- SENATE BILL NO. 560, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
- SENATE BILL NO. 573, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
- SENATE BILL NO. 595, BY SENATOR DAVID WALLACE,
- SENATE BILL NO. 599, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
- SENATE BILL NO. 612, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
- SENATE BILL NO. 615, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
- SENATE BILL NO. 618, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
- SENATE BILL NO. 631, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
- SENATE BILL NO. 654, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 8:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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SENATE BILL NO. 654

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-seventh day of April, 2021 at 8:55 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 640, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 641, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 652, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 668, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 673, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
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(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 7 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 7
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, A. CLARK

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF SENATOR LINDA COLLINS AND IN RECOGNITION OF HER MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HER LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 7 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Stubblefield the Senate recessed until 10:10 a.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.
On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Resolution No. 28 was called up for third reading.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28**  
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**REGULAR SESSION**  
**BY: SENATOR C. TUCKER**

SENATE RESOLUTION TO COMMEND JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ON BEING NAMED A NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOL.

Senate Resolution No. 28 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Resolution No. 29 was called up for third reading.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29**  
**NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY**  
**REGULAR SESSION**  
**BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER**

SENATE RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR TWO ARKANSAS UNIVERSITIES TO PLAY AN IN-STATE FOOTBALL GAME AGAINST EACH OTHER.

Senate Resolution No. 29 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.
SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY, JR.
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE
PROPOSED RULE CHANGE

TO AMEND THE RULES OF THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CREATION OR AMENDMENT OF LOTTERY-FUNDED SCHOLARSHIPS.

TO AMEND THE RULES OF THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SECTION 1. The Rules of the Senate of the Ninety-Third General Assembly of the State of Arkansas are amended to read as follows:

Procedural Requirements for Creating or Amending Lottery-Funded Scholarships
(A) Introduction of Bills.
(1) The following proposed legislation to be considered by the General Assembly at a regular session shall be introduced in the General Assembly during the first thirty-one (31) calendar days of a regular session:
   (a) A bill that creates a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable; and
   (b) A bill that affects an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable.
(2)(a) A bill creating a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affecting an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall not be introduced after the thirty-first day of a regular session unless its introduction is first approved by a three-fourths (¾) vote of the full membership of each chamber of the General Assembly.
   (b) If the General Assembly recesses for longer than three (3) consecutive days during the first thirty-one (31) days of a regular session, the deadline imposed under this section shall be extended for a
time period equal to the recess.

(3) A bill creating a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affecting an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall not be introduced or considered at a special session or fiscal session of the General Assembly unless the introduction or consideration of the bill is first approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the full membership of each chamber of the General Assembly.

(4) The requirements of subsection (A) of this section shall not apply to bills introduced during the 2021 Regular Session.

(B) Lottery fiscal impact statements.

(1) Any bill filed with the Senate or the House of Representatives that creates a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affects an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall:

(a)(i) Have a lottery fiscal impact statement attached to it that is substantially in the form set forth in Act 636 of 2021.

(ii) A bill that creates a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affects an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall not be taken up by the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education, meeting jointly, until a lottery fiscal impact statement is attached; and

(b) Not take effect until at least one (1) year immediately following the year in which the scholarship was enacted.

(2) The lottery fiscal impact of a bill that creates a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affects an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall be determined in the manner set forth in Act 636 of 2021.

(3) In addition to the information required under subdivision (B)(2) of this section, the final lottery fiscal impact of the new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall include and be calculated as required in Act 636 of 2021.

(4)(a)(i) If the final lottery fiscal impact results in a positive
number, the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education, meeting jointly during a regular session, special session, or fiscal session, as applicable, may refer a bill creating a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or amending an existing scholarship funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, to either chamber of the General Assembly for consideration.

(ii) The referral of a bill under subdivision (B)(4)(a)(i) of this section shall require approval by a separate vote of House Committee on Education members and Senate Committee on Education members, meeting jointly during a regular session, special session, or fiscal session, as applicable.

(b) If the final lottery fiscal impact results in a negative number, the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education, meeting jointly during a regular session, special session, or fiscal session, as applicable, shall not refer the bill to either chamber of the General Assembly for consideration unless:

(i) The bill is amended to ensure the final lottery fiscal impact results in a positive number; or

(ii) Additional funding is provided through the General Revenue Fund Account.

(C) Consideration of bills.

(1) The House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education shall meet jointly during a regular session, special session, or fiscal session, as applicable, to consider any bill:

(a) Creating a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable; or

(b) Affecting an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable.

(2) A bill creating a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affecting an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, shall not be recommended to either chamber of the General Assembly except upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the following, meeting jointly during a regular session, special session, or fiscal session, as applicable:

(a) House Committee on Education; and

(b) Senate Committee on Education.

(3) A lottery fiscal impact statement prepared for a bill as required under Act 636 of 2021 shall be amended each time the House
Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education recommends to either chamber of the General Assembly a bill creating a new scholarship to be funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, or affecting an existing scholarship that is funded with net proceeds from the state lottery or the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, as applicable, in order to account for the updated lottery fiscal impact, if any, the bill that proposes a new scholarship or amends an existing scholarship will have.

The Proposed Rule Change was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1949 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1949
As Engrossed: H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1949 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1949. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 1949, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .........................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1949 was ordered returned to the House as passed.

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Joint Budget Bills.
Motion carried.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
HOUSE BILL NO. 1187

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1081 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
As Engrossed: H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1081 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1081, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ........... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1081 was ordered returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1106 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
As Engrossed: H3/15/21  H4/8/21  H4/19/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS AND EXPENSES AND VARIOUS AGENCY TRANSFERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1106 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ...........................................27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1106, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ................. 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1106 was ordered returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1187 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1187
As Engrossed: H1/27/21 H3/15/21 H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1187 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 27
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1187, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


  Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  

  Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

  Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

  Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

  Total ........................................................................................... 0

  Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 35

  Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause....................... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1187 was ordered returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment Nos. 1, 2 and 3 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as engrossed, S3/3/21:

Page 1, delete line 28, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 2-3-102(1), concerning the definition of "agricultural land" used in the Arkansas Agricultural Foreign Investment Act, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A) "Agricultural land" means any Arkansas land which is outside the corporate limits of a municipality and is: used or capable, without substantial modification to the character of the land, of use for agricultural, forestry, or timber production,

(i) Used for forestry production, including without limitation land exceeding ten (10) acres in which ten percent (10%) is stocked by trees of any size, including land that formerly had trees of any size covering the land that will be naturally or artificially regenerated; or

(ii) Currently used for, or, if currently idle, land last used within the past five (5) years, for farming, ranching, or timber production, except land not exceeding ten (10) acres in the aggregate, if the annual gross receipts from the sale of the farm, ranch, or timber products produced on the land do not exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), including without limitation land used for activities described in the Standard Industrial Classification Manual (1987), Division A, exclusive of industry numbers 0711-0783, 0851, and 0912-0919 which cover animal trapping, game management, hunting carried on as a business enterprise, trapping carried on as a business enterprise, and wildlife management.

(B) "Agricultural land" but does not include oil, gas, and all other minerals, including coal, lignite, brine, and all minerals known and recognized as commercial minerals underlying the land;

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 2-3-102(3)(D), concerning the definition of "foreign party" used in the Arkansas Agricultural Foreign Investment Act, is amended to read as follows:

(D) Any party other than an individual or a government:

(i) Which is created or organized under the laws of any state; and

(ii) In which a significant interest is directly or indirectly held or in which not insubstantial or substantial control is directly or indirectly held or is capable of being exercised by:

(a) Any individual referred to in subdivision (3)(A) of this section;

(b) Any foreign government;

(c) Any party referred to in subdivision (3)(C) of this section; or

(d) Any combination of such individuals, parties, or government referred to in this subdivision (3)(D)(ii) of this section; and
SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 2-3-102, concerning the definitions used in the Arkansas Agricultural Foreign Investment Act, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(5) “Significant interest” or “substantial control” means:

(A) An interest of ten percent (10%) or more held by:

(i) A party referred to in subdivision (3)(D) of this section;

(ii) An individual referred to in subdivision (3)(A) of this section; or

(iii) A party referred to in subdivision (3)(C) of this section;

(iv) A single government referred to in subdivision (3)(B) of this section;

(B) An interest of ten percent (10%) or more held whenever the parties, individuals, or governments referred to in subdivision (5)(A) of this section are acting in concert with respect to the interest even though no single individual, party, or government holds an interest of ten percent (10%) or more; or

(C) An interest of fifty percent (50%) or more, in the aggregate, held by parties, individuals, or governments referred to in subdivision (5)(A) of this section even though the individuals, parties, or governments may not be acting in concert.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 2-3-103(a)(1)(A), concerning registration of foreign interest in agricultural land in Arkansas, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A)(i) When after April 19, 1979, any foreign party acquires any interest in agricultural land in Arkansas by grant, purchase, adverse possession, devise, descent, or in any other manner or any agent, trustee, or fiduciary acquires title to agricultural land in Arkansas on behalf of a foreign party, the foreign party or agent, trustee, or fiduciary shall register the ownership in the office of the circuit clerk in the county in which the land is located within sixty (60) days after the acquisition.

(ii) A foreign party that acquired an interest in agricultural land by reason of grant, purchase, devise, descent, or otherwise before August 1, 2021, and failed to register the ownership as required by subdivision (a)(1)(A)(i) of this section shall be granted a grace period until midnight December 31, 2021, to register the ownership.

(iii) A registration of ownership by a foreign party made by the end of the grace period under subdivision (a)(1)(A)(ii) of this section is proper and not in violation of this section.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code Title 18, Chapter 11, is amended to add an"
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Page 1, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:

“(1) "Agricultural land" means the same as provided by § 2-3-102;
(2) "Foreign government" means the same as provided by § 2-3-102;
(3) "Foreign party" means the same as provided by § 2-3-102;
(4) "Interest in agricultural land" means all interest acquired, transferred, or held in agricultural lands including without limitation a lease of agricultural land:
   (A) For a term of ten (10) years or longer; or
   (B) Renewable by option for terms which, if the options were all exercised, would total ten (10) years;
(5) "Party" means the same as provided by § 2-3-102;
(6) "Prohibited foreign party" means any foreign party that is:
   (A) A citizen or resident of a country listed in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations, 22 C.F.R. § 126.1, as it existed on January 1, 2021, or the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S. Code Chapter 35, as it existed on January 1, 2021;
   (B) Any foreign government formed within a country listed in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations, 22 C.F.R. § 126.1, as it existed on January 1, 2021, or the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S. Code Chapter 35, as it existed on January 1, 2021;
   (C) Any party other than an individual or a government, that is created or organized under the laws of a foreign government within a country listed in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations, 22 C.F.R. § 126.1, as it existed on January 1, 2021, or the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S. Code Chapter 35, as it existed on January 1, 2021, or that has its principal place of business located within a country listed in the International Traffic in Arms Regulations or the International Emergency Economic Powers Act;
   (D) Any party other than an individual or a government:
      (i) Which is created or organized under the laws of any state; and
      (ii) In which a significant interest is directly or indirectly held or in which not insubstantial control is directly or indirectly held or is capable of being exercised by:
         (a) Any individual referred to in subdivision (6)(A) of this section;
         (b) Any foreign government referred to in subdivision (6)(B) of this section;
         (c) Any party referred to in subdivision (6)(C) of this section; or
         (d) Any combination of the individuals, parties, or government; or
   (E) Any agent, trustee, or other fiduciary of a person or entity enumerated in subdivisions (6)(A)-(D) of this section;
(7) "Residence" means a person's principal dwelling place where the person intends to remain permanently for an indefinite period of time;
(8) "Resident alien" means a person who:
   (A) Is not a citizen of the United States; and
   (B) Is a resident of a:
      (i) State of the United States;
      (ii) Territory of the United States;
      (iii) Trusteeship of the United States; or
      (iv) Protectorate of the United States; and
(9) "Significant interest" or "substantial control" means the same as provided by § 2-3-102."

AND
Page 2, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 36, and substitute the following:

"18-11-703. Limitations on owning agricultural land — Violation.
   (a)(1) Except as provided in § 18-11-704, a prohibited foreign party shall not
   acquire by grant, purchase, devise, descent, or otherwise any interest in agricultural
   land in this state regardless of whether the prohibited foreign party intends to use the
   agricultural land for nonfarming purposes.
   (2) A party may not hold agricultural land as an agent, trustee, or other
   fiduciary for a prohibited foreign party in violation of this subchapter.
   (b) A prohibited foreign party that acquires agricultural land in violation of this
   subchapter remains in violation as long as the prohibited foreign party holds an
   interest in the agricultural land."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 34, and substitute the following:

"18-11-704. Interest in agricultural land owned by prohibited foreign parties-
Exceptions — Penalty.
   (a) A prohibited foreign party that owns an interest in agricultural land before
   the passage of this act may continue to own the interest in agricultural land.
   (b)(1) A prohibited foreign party who is or shall become a resident alien of the
   United States may own an interest in agricultural land.
   (2) A prohibited foreign party who is or who shall become a resident
   alien of the United States may own an interest in agricultural land.

AND

Page 5, delete line 2, and substitute the following:

"(c)(1) If a prohibited foreign party is no longer a resident alien under
subsection (b)"

AND

Page 5, delete line 9, and substitute the following:

"statutory foreclosure under § 18-50-101 et seq.
   (d) Any interest in agricultural land acquired by a prohibited foreign party,
   subsequent to the passage of this act and not listed under one (1) of the exceptions
   set out in subsections (a)-(c) of this section, shall be subject to the proceedings and
   penalties set forth in §§ 2-3-106 and 2-3-107."

AND

Page 5, delete line 11 through 36

AND
Page 6, delete lines 1 through 3, and substitute the following:

“18-11-705. Rules.”

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 312, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as engrossed, H3/29/21:

Add Representative Jett as a cosponsor of the bill

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 2, Chapter 3, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

§ 2-3-111. Reporting requirement.
   (a) Beginning October 1, 2021, a foreign person required to make a report to the United States Department of Agriculture under the Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act, 7 U.S.C. § 3501 et seq., shall also file a copy of the required report with the Secretary of the Arkansas Department of Agriculture within the time period required under the federal law.
   (b) The Attorney General:
      (1) Shall impose a civil penalty not to exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the fair market value, on the date of the assessment of the penalty, of the interest in the agricultural land for failure to file a copy of the report with the Secretary of the Arkansas Department of Agriculture as required under subsection (a) of this section; and
      (2) May bring an action to collect the civil penalty in the Pulaski County Circuit Court or in the circuit court of any county in which any portion of the agricultural land acquired is located.
   (c) The Arkansas Agricultural Foreign Investment Act, § 2-3-101 et seq. is suspended while the Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act, 7 U.S.C. § 3501 et seq., is in effect."
(d) This section shall expire upon the repeal of the Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act, 7 U.S.C. § 3501 et seq.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 312, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 3 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as engrossed, H4/19/21:

Page 2, delete line 3, and substitute the following: "(c) Sections 2-3-101 through 2-3-110"

AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "seq. is" and substitute "are"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 312, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator B. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 312
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, M. PITSCH, B. BALLINGER, BECKHAM, CALDWELL, J. DISMANG, FLIPPO, T. GARNER, GILMORE, HESTER, HILL, IRVIN, RICE, B. SAMPLE, J. STURCH, D. SULLIVAN, D. WALLACE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LUNDSTRUM, BENTLEY, BROWN, CAVENAUGH, CRAWFORD, GAZAWAY, J. MAYBERRY, MILLER, PAYTON, RICHMOND, RYE, B. SMITH, VAUGHT, JETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING OWNERSHIP AND POSSESSION OF REAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 312 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 312. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34
NEGATIVE: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 340

Amend Senate Bill No. 340 as engrossed, S4/13/21:

Page 1, delete line 25, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE. DO NOT CODIFY. Notary public — Public emergency exceptions — Definitions.
(a) As used in this section:
(1) "Notary public" means a person:
(A) Appointed and commissioned as a notary public under § 21-14-101 et seq.; and
(B) Who is:
   (i) An attorney licensed by the State of Arkansas;
   (ii) A title agent licensed by the State of Arkansas;
   (iii) Supervised by an attorney or a title agent licensed by
   the State of Arkansas; or
   (iv) Employed by a:
      (a) Nonbank financial institution licensed or
          registered by the State Securities Department; or
      (b) Bank, savings and loan association, or state or
          federal credit union with federal depository insurance;
(2)(A) "Real-time audio and visual means" means technology by which
   all parties can see and hear the other parties simultaneously.
   (B) "Real-time audio and visual means" includes without
   limitation videoconference technology; and
(3) "Videoconference technology" means Skype, Zoom, FaceTime,
   and other similar technologies.
   (b)(1) A notary public may perform remote witnessing of certain documents.
   (2)(A) A notarial certificate is complete if an official signature or seal
   on the notarial certificate is executed at a time when the principal or signer is not
   present in person but is otherwise present remotely through real-time audio and
   visual means.
   (B) A signed or sealed notarial certificate may be executed with
   the understanding that the notarial certificate will be completed or attached to a
   document outside of the physical presence of the notary public if the notary public is
   present through real-time audio and visual means.
   (3)(A) A notary public may notarize signatures, including
   acknowledgments and jurats, virtually through real-time audio and visual means,
   provided that the notary public is physically located in the State of Arkansas at the
   time of signing and the signing of documents is visually seen by the person who
   confirms it.
   (B)(i) An individual who:
      (a) Witnesses a document through real-time audio
          and visual means may be considered an in-person witness if the presence and
          identity of the witnesses are validated at the time of signing by a notary public; or
      (b) Signs a document through real-time audio and
          visual means may be considered in the presence of an in-person witness if the
          presence and identity of the witnesses are validated at the time of signing by a
          notary public.
   (ii) The identity and physical presence of witnesses and
   signers in this state shall be validated at the time of execution of the documents to
   be witnessed.
(4)(A) If two (2) or more individuals sign a document simultaneously in
   different locations, the individuals shall necessarily sign separate signature pages,
   and all documents executed under this section shall be executed in counterparts.
   (B) Absent an express prohibition in a document against
   signing in counterparts, all legal documents, including without limitation deeds, last
   wills and testaments, durable powers of attorney, and healthcare proxies, may be
   signed in counterparts.
   (5) A notary public does not have to file with the Secretary of State his
   or her signatures, general descriptions of potential commercial documents to be
   notarized by facsimile signature, the names of persons signing documents by
   facsimile signature, or the written consent of those persons if the notary public
   determines that the commercial documents would be best notarized by facsimile
   signature.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 21-14-302(6), concerning the definition of"
Page 8, delete line 14, and substitute the following:

"subchapter.

SECTION 8. DO NOT CODIFY. RETROACTIVITY. Section 1 of this act is retroactive to March 30, 2020.

SECTION 9. DO NOT CODIFY. CONTINGENT EFFECTIVENESS. Section 1 of this act is effective until Executive Order No. 21-07 expires or the Governor finds that the threat or danger to the public declared under Executive Order No. 21-07 has passed and terminates the declared state of emergency by executive order or proclamation unless the declared state of emergency under Executive Order No. 21-07 is renewed by the Governor by executive order or proclamation under the Arkansas Emergency Services Act of 1973, § 12-75-101 et seq."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 340, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 340 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 340
As Engrossed: S3/9/21 S4/13/21 H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENZO

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC; TO ALLOW FOR REMOTE WITNESSING OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS BY A NOTARY PUBLIC; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 340 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ballinger moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 340. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total ....................................................................................... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ....................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ....................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ....................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 340, the
President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency
clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer, Hendren,
Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rapert,
Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
   Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE: Flowers.
   Total ............................................................................................ 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
   Total ............................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:
   Total ............................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:
   Total ............................................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .......................24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 353

Amend Senate Bill No. 353 as engrossed, S4/6/21:

Add Representative Lundstrum as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 353, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 353

Amend Senate Bill No. 353 as engrossed, H4/19/21:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following: "AN ACT ELIMINATING DEBTORS’ PRISONS; TO ENCOURAGE THE COLLECTION OF ALL OUTSTANDING RESTITUTION, FINES, FEES, AND
COURT COSTS; TO ENABLE INCARCERATED PERSONS TO RESOLVE PENDING MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES COMMITTED WITHIN THE STATE AND AVOID EXCESSIVE FINES, FEES, AND COURT COSTS; TO CREATE A TASK FORCE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

“TO ENCOURAGE THE COLLECTION OF ALL OUTSTANDING RESTITUTION, FINES, FEES, AND COURT COSTS OWED BY INCARCERATED PERSONS; TO CREATE A TASK FORCE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.”

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 16, Chapter 90, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

Subchapter 15 — Inmate Misdemeanor Offense Reconciliation

16-90-1501. Legislative findings and intent.
(a) The General Assembly finds that:
(1) Arkansas law requires offenders to pay legal financial obligations to the state, cities, and counties imposed by various courts and law enforcement agencies;
(2) Missed payments for fines and fees may lead to charges in court for failure to pay, failure to appear, and contempt, all of which result in additional fines and penalties; and
(3) It is in the state's interest to study the efficacy of streamlining the assessment and collection of financial obligations for incarcerated or formerly incarcerated individuals.

(b) The General Assembly intends to create a framework, consistent with Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 80, and the constitutional prerogatives of the state's prosecuting attorneys and judges, to enable persons who are incarcerated in the Department of Corrections to resolve all pending misdemeanor offenses committed within this state and assist in the identification of corresponding fines, fees, and costs resulting from those misdemeanor offenses.

(c) This subchapter does not limit a court's ability to impose a financial obligation against any person who has been convicted of an offense.

(a) A person who is incarcerated in the Department of Corrections may request of the department and shall be provided by the department a complete compilation of all outstanding arrest warrants, criminal summons, and pending misdemeanor cases for that person.

(b) The department shall provide information under subsection (a) of this section from information made available to the Arkansas Crime Information Center and the Administrative Office of the Courts.

16-90-1503. Option to resolve pending misdemeanor matters.
(a) As used in this section, “assistance” means the Department of Corrections shall make available means of communication between a person, the prosecuting attorney, the court, local law enforcement agencies, and the person's attorney, if applicable, to help facilitate the entry of pleas remotely from the
department, addressing outstanding misdemeanor arrest warrants, and, when required by the court, attendance at the court for the purposes of entry of pleas, hearings, or trials.

(b) (1) A person incarcerated in the department, with the assistance of the department, may petition a court for a quick resolution of a misdemeanor offense pending in the court.

(2) The person may also request to be served with any outstanding misdemeanor arrest warrant in order to begin the process of resolving the misdemeanor arrest warrant.

(3) Upon request to the court with jurisdiction over the outstanding misdemeanor offense, the court may require the misdemeanor arrest warrant to be served by the staff of the department.

(c) Local law enforcement agencies with jurisdiction over the outstanding misdemeanor offense shall also help facilitate transportation of the person to and from the department to the court when the court requires it for trial.

(a) Subject to the rules of the judiciary and the local rules of the court, a person who has opted to resolve pending misdemeanor matters under this subchapter may still be permitted to enter remotely a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to any outstanding or pending misdemeanor charges from where he or she is incarcerated.

(b) A remote plea may be given only through a real-time medium with both an audio and visual feed.

16-90-1505. Negotiated pleas to run concurrent.
(a) A negotiated plea entered into between the state and a person may be imposed using the procedures under § 5-4-403.

(b)(1) The court is also encouraged to refrain from fining a person and instead sentence the person to a period of incarceration only.

(2) This subchapter does not limit a court's ability to impose a financial obligation against any person who has been convicted of an offense.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. TEMPORARY LEGISLATION.
(a) There is created the Criminal Justice Task Force on Offender Court Costs and Collections.

(b) The purpose of the task force is to study the methods used to assess, collect, and record fines, fees, restitution, and other financial obligations of persons in the criminal justice system.

(c) The task force shall study the feasibility of notice to outside entities in the event that a person with financial obligations to a court wins a lottery prize, sells property, or is being released from parole or probation early.

(d)(1) The task force shall be composed of the following members:

| (A) Two (2) citizen representatives to be appointed by the Governor; |
| (B) Two (2) members of the Senate, one (1) member to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and one (1) member to be appointed by the Chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee; |
| (C) Two (2) members of the House of Representatives, one (1) member to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and one (1) member to be appointed by the Chair of the House Committee on Judiciary; |
| (D) Two (2) members appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, one (1) of whom is a circuit court judge and one (1) of whom is a district court judge; |
| (E) Two (2) members to be appointed by the Secretary of the Department of Corrections; |
(F) One (1) member representing the Association of Arkansas Counties;

(G) One (1) member to be appointed by the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts;

(H) One (1) member of the Board of Corrections to be appointed by the Chair of the Board of Corrections;

(I) One (1) member representing the Arkansas Sheriffs' Association;

(J) One (1) member representing the Office of the Prosecutor Coordinator; and

(K) One (1) member to be appointed by the Director of the Arkansas Crime Information Center.

(2) If a vacancy occurs on the task force, the vacancy shall be filled by the same process as the original appointment.

(e)(1) The legislative members of the task force shall be paid per diem and mileage as authorized by law for attendance at meetings of interim committees of the General Assembly.

(2) Nonlegislative members of the task force shall not be compensated but may be reimbursed under § 25-16-901 et seq. for expenses actually incurred in the performance of their duties.

(f) The task force shall establish rules and procedures for conducting its business.

(g)(1) Ten (10) members of the task force shall constitute a quorum for transacting business of the task force.

(2) An affirmative vote of a majority of a quorum present shall be required for the passage of a motion or other task force action.

(h) The Department of Corrections shall provide staff, meeting space, and materials for the task force.

(i) The task force shall meet on or before July 15, 2021, at the call of the member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, and organize itself by electing one (1) of its legislative members as chair and other officers as the task force may consider necessary.

(j) The task force shall prepare and submit a report of its findings to the Cochairs of the Legislative Council and the Chair of the House Committee on Judiciary and the Chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

(k) The report is due by October 31, 2022.

(l) The task force shall expire on December 31, 2022.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Criminal Justice Task Force on Offender Court Costs and Collections has a large task ahead of it concerning the study it is required to conduct and the report it is required to complete. Because of this, the task force needs to begin work in July of 2021, before the normal effective date of this act. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist with regard to Section 2 of this act, and Section 2 of this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 353, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 353 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 353
As Engrossed:  S4/6/21  H4/19/21  H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR IRVIN
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT ELIMINATING DEBTORS’ PRISONS; TO ENCourage THE COLLECTION OF ALL OUTSTANDING REStITUTION, FINES, FEES, AND COURT COSTS; TO ENABLE INCARCERATED PERSONS TO RESOLVE PENDING MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES COMMITTED WITHIN THE STATE AND AVOID EXCESSIVE FINES, FEES, AND COURT COSTS; TO CREATE A TASK FORCE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 353 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 353. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .......................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 353, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .......................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .......................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total .......................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .......................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ...................................... 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 513 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 513

Amend Senate Bill No. 513 as engrossed, S3/15/21:

Add Senators C. Tucker, T. Garner, Gilmore as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representative A. Collins as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 13, delete "AND OTHER" and substitute "AND FOR OTHER"

AND
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING
THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION
OF A PERSON'S DRIVER'S LICENSE
FOR FAILURE TO PAY OR FAILURE TO
APPEAR; AND TO AMEND THE LAW
CONCERNING A RESTRICTED
DRIVER'S PERMIT ISSUED UNDER
CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 8 and 9, and substitute the following:
"revocation, suspension, or nonrenewal, the amount the person owes the court, and
the person's full name, social security number, date of birth, and last"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 34 and 35, and substitute the following:
"provide the department with the reason for the suspension and the person's full
name, date of birth, and last known address."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MCCOLLUM

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 513, adopted by the House, was read
the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the
Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, the rules were suspended
pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 513 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 513
As Engrossed: S3/15/21 H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, C. TUCKER, T. GARNER, GILMORE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCOLLUM, A. COLLINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF A PERSON'S DRIVER'S LICENSE FOR FAILURE TO PAY OR FAILURE TO APPEAR; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A RESTRICTED DRIVER'S PERMIT ISSUED UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 513 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 513. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE: 
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: 
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED: 
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: 
Total ................................................................. 0
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 513 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 569 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 569

Amend Senate Bill No. 569 as engrossed, S4/6/21:

Add Representative L. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 18, Subchapter 7, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:
6-18-717. Administration of medication for adrenal insufficiency or adrenal crisis.
(a)(1) Self-administration of a stress dose medication by a public school student with adrenal insufficiency while the student is at his or her public school, on his or her public school grounds, or at an activity related to his or her public school may be permitted with the authorization of the public school student's parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis and the public school student's treating physician if the public school student's parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis provides written authorization for the public school student to carry a stress dose medication while he or she is at public school, an on-site school-related activity, or an off-site school-sponsored activity.
(2) The written authorization provided under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be:
(A) Valid only for the duration of the school year for which it is provided; and
(B) Renewed:
(i) For each subsequent school year for which the parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis intends to authorize the self-administration of a stress dose medication; and

(ii) If the public school student transfers to another public school in this state.

(3) A parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis who provides written authorization under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall:

(A) Include with his or her written authorization written orders from his or her public school student’s treating physician that the public school student:

(i) Is capable of completing the proper method of self-administration of the stress dose medication; and

(ii) Has been instructed on the details of his or her medical condition and the events that may lead to an adrenal crisis.

(B) Sign an individualized healthcare plan developed by the school nurse for the public school in which his or her child with an adrenal insufficiency is enrolled that outlines the plan of care for his or her child and includes without limitation notification of the self-administration of a stress dose medication to the:

(i) School nurse;

(ii) Teacher of the class in which the public school student is enrolled during an adrenal crisis; and

(iii) Administrator of the public school.

(b) A parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis who provides written authorization for his or her child’s self-administration of a stress dose medication shall sign a statement:

(1) Acknowledging the public school district is not liable as a result of any injury arising from the self-administration of a stress dose medication by the public school student; and

(2) Indemnifying and holding harmless the public school employees and public school district in which his or her child is enrolled against any claims arising as a result of the self-administration of a stress dose medication by the public school student.

(c) As used in this section:

(1) ”Adrenal crisis” means a sudden, severe worsening of symptoms associated with adrenal insufficiency, which can lead to circulatory collapse, heart and organ failure, brain damage, and death;

(2)(A) ”Adrenal insufficiency” means a chronic medical condition in which the adrenal glands do not produce enough of the necessary hormones to respond to stressors such as illness and injury.

(B) The hormones involved help maintain and regulate key functions of the body such as blood pressure, metabolism, the immune system, and how the body responds to stress; and

(3) ”Stress dose medication” means oral hydrocortisone.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 17-87-103, concerning exceptions to prohibited nursing practices, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(14)(A) The administration of an emergency dose medication to a public school student who is diagnosed with an adrenal insufficiency by volunteer public school personnel if the public school personnel are trained to administer an emergency dose medication using the appropriate delivery equipment when a public school nurse is unavailable.

(B) The administration of an emergency dose medication to a public school student with an adrenal insufficiency by trained public school personnel at school, on school grounds, or at a school-related activity may be permitted with the authorization of the parent, legal guardian, or person standing in
loco parentis of the public school student if the public school student's parent, legal
guardian, or person standing in loco parentis provides written authorization for
trained public school personnel to administer an emergency dose medication while
the public school student is at public school, an on-site school-related activity, or an
off-site school-sponsored activity.

(C) The written authorization provided under subdivision (14)(B)
of this section shall be:

(i) Valid only for the duration of the school year for which
it is provided; and

(ii) Renewed:

(a) For each subsequent school year for which
the parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis intends to authorize
trained public school personnel to administer an emergency dose medication to his
or her child; and

(b) If the public school student transfers to
another public school in this state.

(D) A parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis
who provides written authorization under subdivision (14)(B) of this section shall:

(i) Include with his or her written authorization written
orders from his or her public school student's treating physician that the public
school student requires the administration of an emergency dose medication under
certain conditions; and

(ii) Sign an individualized healthcare plan developed by
the school nurse for the public school in which his or her child with an adrenal
insufficiency is enrolled that outlines the plan of care for his or her child and includes
without limitation a description of the required care following the administration of an
emergency dose medication while the public school student is at school, an on-site
school-related activity, or an off-site school-sponsored activity.

(E) A parent, legal guardian, or person standing in loco parentis
who provides written authorization for the administration by trained public school
personnel of an emergency dose medication to his or her child shall sign a
statement:

(i) Acknowledging the public school district is not liable
as a result of any injury arising from the administration of an emergency dose
medication by trained public school personnel; and

(ii) Indemnifying and holding harmless the public school
employees and public school district in which his or her child is enrolled against any
claims arising as a result of the administration of an emergency dose medication by
trained public school personnel.

(F) Education and training on the treatment of adrenal
insufficiency and adrenal crisis shall be conducted annually to public school personnel
who volunteer to administer an emergency dose medication by the school nurse for
the public school at which the public school personnel are employed and shall
include without limitation:

(i) General information about adrenal insufficiency and
the associated triggers;

(ii) Recognition of signs and symptoms of a public school
student experiencing an adrenal crisis;

(iii) The types of medications for treating adrenal
insufficiency and adrenal crisis; and

(iv) The proper administration of medication used to treat
an adrenal crisis.

(G) The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education shall
develop guidance and education for school nurses to train volunteer public school
personnel as required under this subdivision (14).

(H) The division shall, in coordination with the Arkansas State
Board of Nursing, promulgate rules necessary to implement this subdivision (14).
(I) As used in this subdivision (14):

(ii) "Adrenal crisis" means a sudden, severe worsening of symptoms associated with adrenal insufficiency, which can lead to circulatory collapse, heart and organ failure, brain damage, and death;

(iii) "Adrenal insufficiency" means a chronic medical condition in which the adrenal glands do not produce enough of the necessary hormones to respond to stressors such as illness and injury.

(b) The hormones involved help maintain and regulate key functions of the body such as blood pressure, metabolism, the immune system, and how the body responds to stress; and

(iii) "Emergency dose medication" means intramuscular hydrocortisone sodium succinate.

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 569, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

On motion of Senator Hester, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 569 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 569
As Engrossed: S4/6/21 H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES S. BERRY, L. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 569 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Hester moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 569. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 569 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 582

Amend Senate Bill No. 582 as engrossed, S4/15/21:
Delete SECTION 6 in its entirety

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 582, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 582 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 582
As Engrossed: S4/8/21 S4/15/21 H4/22/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, M. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND HOW COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TAKE THE OATH; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLL WORKERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 582 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 582. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment Nos. 1 & 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 594

Amend Senate Bill No. 594 as engrossed, S4/8/21:

Page 4, delete line 24, and substitute the following:
"the county, or process server, in which the cause of action is filed, with direction for service"

AND

Page 4, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"direct the sheriff or process server to serve upon the named defendants a notice in the"

AND

Page 5, delete line 26 through 28, and substitute the following:
"issue a writ of possession directed to the"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 3 and 4, and substitute the following:
"five (5) days of issuance of the writ of possession, adequate security as determined by the court"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 594, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.
Amend Senate Bill No. 594 as engrossed, H4/20/21:

Page 5, delete lines 3 through 5, and substitute the following:
"complaint, then the plaintiff shall be entitled to a writ of possession that shall forthwith issue from this office directed to the sheriff of this county and ordering him or her"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 594, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Dismang, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Dismang, Senate Bill No. 594 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 594
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. DISMANG
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD-TENANT ACT OF 2007; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR UNLAWFUL DETAINER AND FORCIBLE ENTRY AND DETAINER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 594 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 594. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 34

NEGATIVE:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .............................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 617 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 617

Amend Senate Bill No. 617 as engrossed, S4/19/21:

Delete Representatives L. Johnson, M. Davis, Evans, D. Ferguson, V. Flowers, M. Gray, M. Hodges, Murdock as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives M. Gray, M. Davis, Evans, D. Ferguson, V. Flowers, M. Hodges, L. Johnson, Murdock as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 3, delete line 4, and substitute the following:

"or mail any prescription medications to the patient.
(c) This section does not prohibit:
(1) A physician licensed in this state or any other prescriber licensed in this state from issuing new prescriptions or prescription refills to any licensed pharmacy in this state or out of state that a patient wishes to use; or
(2) A pharmacy licensed in this state or out of this state from requesting prescription transfers from another licensed pharmacy as directed by a patient."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, L. JOHNSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 617, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 617 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 617
As Engrossed: S4/19/21 H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS RAPERT, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, ELLIOTT,
K. HAMMER, K. INGRAM, IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, M. DAVIS, EVANS, D. FERGUSON,
V. FLOWERS, M. HODGES, L. JOHNSON, MURDOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE WRITTEN CONSENT OF A PATIENT TO TRANSFER A PRESCRIPTION FROM A PHARMACY; TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE BY A PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER, HEALTHCARE INSURER, PHARMACY, PHARMACIST, PHYSICIAN, OR HOSPITAL OF OWNERSHIP INTEREST OR POSSIBLE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST; TO PROHIBIT DATA MINING OF PATIENT INFORMATION BY PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGERS, HEALTHCARE INSURERS, PHARMACIES, AND PHARMACISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 617 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 617. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................ 33

**NEGATIVE:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Sturch.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

**EXCUSED:**

Total ........................................................................................................ 0

**VOTING PRESENT:** Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................................ 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 639 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 639

Amend Senate Bill No. 639 as engrossed, S4/15/21:

Page 4, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"requirements and any standard prior authorization review of a healthcare insurer or a health benefit plan; and"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 639, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 639 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 639
As Engrossed: S4/15/21 H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR K. HAMMER
BY:  REPRESENTATIVE CLOUD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OFF-LABEL USE
OF DRUG TREATMENTS TO TREAT PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH PEDIATRIC
ACUTE-ONSET NEUROPSYCHIATRIC SYNDROME AND PEDIATRIC
AUTOIMMUNE NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS ASSOCIATED WITH
STREPTOCOCCAL INFECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 639 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the
question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 639.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:  Ballinger, Beckham, Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Clark,
Davis, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Flowers, Garner, Gilmore, Hammer,
Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Hill, Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch,
Rapert, Rice, Sample, Stubblefield, Sturch, Sullivan, Teague, Tucker, Wallace.
Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:  
Total ......................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  
Total ......................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:  
Total ......................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ......................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 663 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 663 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 663

Amend Senate Bill No. 663 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Boyd as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO MODIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH DURING A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 1, delete line 29, and substitute the following:
"Medicare & Medicaid Services — Hospitals Without Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities — Legislative"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "program allows" and substitute "initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities allow"
AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "program; and" and substitute "initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 and 14, and substitute the following:
"Services' Hospitals Without Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities for the purpose of promoting public health in this state; and

(4) The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services may:
   (A) Temporarily modify or waive certain requirements when there is a public health emergency; and
   (B) Issue temporary blanket waivers or temporary specific waivers if the temporary waivers are intended to help beneficiaries access care."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 and 18, and substitute the following:
"(1) Allow all Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facilities participating in the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' Hospitals Without Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities to continue to"

AND

Page 2, delete line 22, and substitute the following:
"Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities; or"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "department have" and substitute "department shall have"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "program is" and substitute "initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities are"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following:
"Hospitals Without Walls initiative.

(d) The department shall exercise the authority granted under subsection (c) of this section to suspend portions of its rules for facilities participating in the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' Hospitals Without Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 11, and substitute the following:
"(e)(1) This section applies to any future public health emergency if the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services implements an initiative similar to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' Hospitals Without Walls initiative or other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities."
(2) Upon the implementation of an initiative described in subdivision (e)(1) of this section, a Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility may seek any applicable waivers to implement a future initiative similar to the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services' Hospitals Without Walls initiative or other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities during the period of a future public health emergency.

(f)(1) The General Assembly authorizes the department, as a federally authorized state survey agency for the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, to implement temporary licensure waivers and flexibilities during the coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) public health emergency and any future public health emergency that duplicate or match the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services waivers.

(2) The temporary licensure waivers and flexibilities described in subdivision (f)(1) of this section may remain in place until:

(A) The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services waiver is terminated by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services; or
(B) The national public health emergency is declared over.

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete "Walls program" and substitute "Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities"

AND

Page 3, line 22, delete "program can" and substitute "initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities can"

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "Walls program" and substitute "Walls initiative and other Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services-certified facility flexibilities"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 663, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 663 was called up for third reading and final disposition.
SENATE BILL NO. 663
As Engrossed: H4/20/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; TO DEFER THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES CONCERNING THE HOSPITALS WITHOUT WALLS PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 663 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 663. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


   Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

   Total ........................................................................................................ 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

   Total ........................................................................................................ 0

EXCUSED:

   Total ........................................................................................................ 0

VOTING PRESENT:

   Total ........................................................................................................ 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 663, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE: Total .................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Total ........................................................................ 0

EXCUSED: Total .................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Total ........................................................................ 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ......................... 24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 693 was ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 684 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 684
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLITICAL PARTY FILING FEES; TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM POLITICAL PARTY FILING FEES FOR CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 684 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Leding spoke against the bill.
Senator Garner closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 15

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Clark, Davis, Eads, Elliott, English, Flowers, Hendren, Hester, Ingram, Leding, Teague, Tucker.
Total ......................................................................................... 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Dismang, Hickey, Irvin, Sample, Sturch.
Total ........................................................................................... 5

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Hammer.
Total ........................................................................................... 1
Total number of votes cast.................................................................30
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................18

So Senate Bill No 684 failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1783 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1783
As Engrossed: H3/31/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOLLETT, BROOKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS IN CERTAIN GRADES IN-SCHOOL ACCESS TO VENDING MACHINES OFFERING FOOD AND BEVERAGES THAT MEET THE NUTRITION STANDARDS OF THE FEDERAL SMART SNACKS IN SCHOOL PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1783 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hammer moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1783. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1783 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, House Bill No. 1848 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848
As Engrossed: H4/12/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE HEALTHY ACTIVE ARKANSAS SCHOOLS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1848 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?
Senator Stubblefield moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1848. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................................... 0


Total ........................................................................................................... 9

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1848 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Rapert, House Bill No. 1881 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1881
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, WARDLAW, ET AL
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE 340B DRUG PRICING NONDISCRIMINATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1881 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1881. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast.................................................................35  
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..............................................18  

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1881 was returned to the House as passed.

Senator Hester moved to extract House Bill No. 1830 from the Education Committee.

Senator Tucker spoke against the motion.
Senator Ballinger spoke for the motion.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the motion.
Senator Elliott spoke against the motion.
Senator Irvin spoke on the motion.
Senator Clark spoke against the bill.
Senator Hester closed for the motion.
The chair requested a roll call:

Total ..............................................................................................9

Total ...........................................................................................17

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Caldwell, Dismang, Hendren, Hickey, Irvin, B. Johnson, Rice, Sample, Sullivan.
Total ..............................................................................................9

EXCUSED:
Total ..............................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ..............................................................................................0
Total number of votes cast .................................................................26
Necessary to the passage of the motion ...........................................18

So the motion to extract House Bill No. 1830 from Committee failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator English, House Bill No. 1926 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1926
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE; TO CLARIFY CONTROL OF VIRTUAL CURRENCY UNDER THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1926 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator English moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1926.
Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................26
NEGATIVE: Beckham, Davis, Garner, Hickey, Hill, Sample.
Total ................................................................. 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.
Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Gilmore, Irvin.
Total ................................................................. 2

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1926 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1792 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1792
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLAPE, A. COLLINS
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF FINES ORDERED TO BE PAID BY A PERSON CONVICTED OF A FELONY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1792 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1792. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:                                                                                                       Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:                                                                                           Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:                                                                                                           Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:                                                                                                Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35                                                                必要 to the passage of the bill ....................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1792 was returned to the House as passed.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1931 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1931
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1931 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1931. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ....................................................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................. 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1931 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1932 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1932
As Engrossed: H4/21/21 H4/21/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. JOHNSON
BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE LAW RELATED TO THE GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION RESIDENCY EXPANSION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1932 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1932. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................ 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1932 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1934 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
As Engrossed: S4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MILLER, PAYTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AVAILABLE SENTENCES FOR CERTAIN SEX OFFENSES INVOLVING A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
House Bill No. 1934 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1934. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .................................................................................................................. 32

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clark.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED:

Total .................................................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT: Tucker.

Total .................................................................................................................. 1

Total number of votes cast .................................................................................. 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1934 was returned to the House as passed as amended.
On motion of Senator Garner, House Bill No. 1938 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1938
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH COMPULSORY TRAINING STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCIES FOR THE RECOGNITION AND MANAGEMENT OF STRESS, SELF-CARE TECHNIQUES, MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS, AND RESILIENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1938 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1938. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1938 was returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Clark, House Bill No. 1943 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1943
As Engrossed: H4/26/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. HODGES, LOVE, SCOTT, V. FLOWERS, F. ALLEN, RICHARDSON
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SENTENCE CLASSIFICATIONS FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES FROM A FELONY TO A MISDEMEANOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1943 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Clark moved that the body roll the vote on House Bill No. 1943. Motion carried.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 35

NEGATIVE:

Total ................................................................. 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total ................................................................. 0

EXCUSED:

Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast.......................... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill .............. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1943 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 717, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK
(SIGNED) SENATOR SCOTT FLIPPO
(SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAN SULLIVAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 381, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN
(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH
(SIGNED) SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG
(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE
On motion of Senator Stubblefield, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 717 at this time.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, Senate Bill No. 717 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 717
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEDERAL REGULATION OF FIREARMS WITHIN THE BORDERS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

So the Senate Bill No. 717 was pulled down.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Stubblefield the Senate recessed until 2:00 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 312, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 340, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 353, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 513, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK
SENATE BILL NO. 569, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 663, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we
find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:33 P.M. delivered them to the
Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

- SENATE BILL NO. 312
- SENATE BILL NO. 340
- SENATE BILL NO. 353
- SENATE BILL NO. 513
- SENATE BILL NO. 569
- SENATE BILL NO. 582
- SENATE BILL NO. 594
- SENATE BILL NO. 617
- SENATE BILL NO. 639
- SENATE BILL NO. 663

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty-seventh
day of April, 2021 at 1:33 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
Senate Joint Resolution No. 18 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 95 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 134 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 375 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 702 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 718
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN UTILITY CONSUMERS TO TRANSFER ELECTRIC UTILITY SERVICES TO ANOTHER UTILITY PROVIDER IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO ESTABLISH THE TRANSFER OF ELECTRIC UTILITY SERVICES BY A LANDOWNER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, BARKER, ET AL
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR TWO ARKANSAS UNIVERSITIES TO PLAY AN IN-STATE FOOTBALL GAME AGAINST EACH OTHER.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
On motion of Senator Elliott, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 381 at this time.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 381 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 381

Amend Senate Bill No. 381 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Lundstrum as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 36

AND

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"(B) "Commercial website" does not include a:

(i) Legitimate news-gathering organization, publication, or aggregator; or

(ii) Consumer reporting agency as defined under § 4-93-102."

AND

Page 3, delete line 18, and substitute the following:

"minimum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) per day for each day that the owner"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE CLOWNEY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 381, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 381 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 381
As Engrossed: H4/15/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLOWNEY, LUNDSTRUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CREATING A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A COMMERCIAL WEBSITE OPERATOR THAT POSTS INCORRECT OR INACCURATE BACKGROUND INFORMATION ABOUT A PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 381 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott moved that the body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 381. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 35
NEGATIVE:
Total .................................................................0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total .................................................................0

EXCUSED:
Total .................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ..................................................35
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 381 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate recessed until 3:00 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate recessed until 3:30 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, SHEPHERD, ET AL
BY: SENATORS IRVIN, HICKEY, J. DISMANG, B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT OF FEDERAL FIREARM BANS WITHIN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING STATE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1957 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 381, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 95, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 134, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 375, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,
SENATE BILL NO. 702, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:46 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18
SENATE BILL NO. 381
SENATE BILL NO. 95
SENATE BILL NO. 134
SENATE BILL NO. 375
SENATE BILL NO. 702

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty seventh day of April, 2021 at 2:46 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) MEGAN PERKINS, SECRETARY

Senator Ballinger requested leave for Senator Garner. Leave granted.
On motion of Senator Hammer, the rules were suspended in considering House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 at this time.

On motion of Senator Hammer, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LADYMAN, BARKER, ET AL
BY: SENATOR K. HAMMER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR TWO ARKANSAS UNIVERSITIES TO PLAY AN IN-STATE FOOTBALL GAME AGAINST EACH OTHER.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate recessed until the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.
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Ninety-Third General Assembly  
Regular Session  

April 27, 2021  

Mr. President:  

We, your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred:  

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14,  
By Senator Jason Rapert,  

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:54 p.m. delivered it to the Governor for his approval.  

Respectfully submitted,  

(Signed) Blake Johnson, Chairman  

Governor's Bill Receipts  

Senate Joint Resolution No. 14  

Received the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty seventh day of April, 2021 at 3:54 p.m.  

(Signed) Asa Hutchinson, Governor  
(Signed) Megan Perkins, Secretary
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate recessed until the call of the Chair.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

Senate Bill No. 203 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 336 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 484 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 541 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 609 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 627 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 657 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 671 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 686 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 693 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 703 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 706 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 27, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE, VICE CHAIRMAN
Participating via Zoom: Senator Flowers

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1957 at this time.

On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1957 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1957

Amend House Bill No. 1957 originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Ballinger, L. Eads, J. English, Flippo, K. Hammer, Hester, B. Johnson, M. Pitsch, Rapert, Rice as cosponsors of the bill

AND


AND

Page 6, delete lines 16 and 17, and substitute the following:

"(1) Law enforcement activity related to a federal ban, as defined under § 1-6-103(1); or
(2) The investigation of a violation of a federal ban, as defined under § 1-6-103(1)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MISSY IRVIN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1957 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957, BY REPRESENTATIVE WARDLAW,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 671, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 686, BY SENATOR LANCE EADS,
SENATE BILL NO. 691, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 693, BY SENATORS JIM HICKEY, TERRY RICE
SENATE BILL NO. 703, BY SENATOR GREG LEDING,
SENATE BILL NO. 706, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 609, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 601, BY SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we
find the same correctly enrolled and have at 6:00 p.m. delivered them to the
Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 203
SENATE BILL NO. 336
SENATE BILL NO. 484
SENATE BILL NO. 541
SENATE BILL NO. 657
SENATE BILL NO. 671
SENATE BILL NO. 686
SENATE BILL NO. 691
SENATE BILL NO. 693
SENATE BILL NO. 703
SENATE BILL NO. 706
SENATE BILL NO. 609
SENATE BILL NO. 627
SENATE BILL NO. 601
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 247, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 544, BY SENATOR TERRY RICE,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 6:00 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 247
SENATE BILL NO. 544

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty seventh day of April, 2021 at 6:00 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 8 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 8 was withdrawn by the author, Senator M. Johnson.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 260 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 260 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Hammer.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 337 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 337 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bledsoe.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 567 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 567 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bledsoe.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 583 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 583 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Hammer.
On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 598 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 598 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bledsoe.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 659 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 659 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Caldwell.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 683 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 683 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Hammer.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 187 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 187 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 197 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 197 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 261 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY, & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 261 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 314 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 314 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 385 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 385 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 455 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 455 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 499 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 499 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 523 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 523 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 529 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 529 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 562 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 562 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 577 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 577 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 578 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 578 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Wallace, Senate Bill No. 611 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Wallace, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 611 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Leding, Senate Bill No. 655 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Leding, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 655 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 670 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 670 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 674 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 674 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 678 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 678 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.
On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 695 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 695 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, Senate Bill No. 697 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 697 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 705 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Clark, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 705 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 707 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 707 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 714 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.
On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 714 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 715 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 715 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Rapert, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 304 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 117 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator M. Johnson, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 117 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 233 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 233 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Rapert.
On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 234 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 234 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Rapert.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 238 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 238 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Rapert.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Rapert.

On motion of Senator Tucker, Senate Bill No. 713 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Tucker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 713 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

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HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
   AS PASSED

   HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1187
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1783
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1792
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1848
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1881
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1926
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1931
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1932
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1938
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1943
   HOUSE BILL NO. 1949

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

   HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
   AS PASSED AS AMENDED

   HOUSE BILL NO. 1934 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
   AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

   SENATE BILL NO. 95
   SENATE BILL NO. 134
   SENATE BILL NO. 203
   SENATE BILL NO. 336
   SENATE BILL NO. 375
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SENATE BILL NO. 691
SENATE BILL NO. 693
SENATE BILL NO. 702
SENATE BILL NO. 703
SENATE BILL NO. 706

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018
On motion of Senator Irvin, the Senate recessed until 12:01 a.m.,
Wednesday, April 28, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 12:01 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Following the roll call, the Presiding Officer verified that the following Senators could be seen and heard and will be participating remotely according to the Temporary Emergency Rule: Senator Flowers; Senator Garner.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Caldwell.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Irvin, House Bill No. 1957 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957
As Engrossed: S4/27/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WARDLAW, SHEPHERD, DALBY, EUBANKS, WARREN, L. FITE, WING, PAYTON, SPEAKS, HAAK, BRYANT, RYE, TOLLETT, CHRISTIANSEN, BROOKS, LUNDSTRUM, COLEMAN, BEATY JR., BECK, BENTLEY, CLOUD, LOWERY, MCCLURE, MCNAIR, GONZALES, M. GRAY, HILLMAN, PILKINGTON, RICHMOND, SLAPE, VAUGHT, BREAUx, BROWN, EAVES, EVANS, M. MCELROY, S. SMITH, WATSON, WOOTEN, BOYD, BRAGG, COZART, DOTSON, HAWKS, MADDOX, DEFFENBAUGH, JEAN, JETT, LADYMAN, M. BERRY

BY: SENATORS IRVIN, HICKEY, J. DISMANG, B. SAMPLE, B. BALLINGER, L. EADS, J. ENGLISH, FLIPPO, K. HAMMER, HESTER, B. JOHNSON, M. PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT OF FEDERAL FIREARM BANS WITHIN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; CONCERNING STATE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1957 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Pairs were announced at the Desk:

Senator Sturch - yea
Senator Ingram - nay
Senator English - yea
Senator Chesterfield - nay
PAIR VOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957

VOTING YEA (SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

VOTING NAY (SIGNED) SENATOR KEITH INGRAM

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE  April 27, 2021

PAIR VOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957

VOTING YEA  (SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

VOTING NAY  (SIGNED) SENATOR LINDA CHESTERFIELD

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 26

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Flowers, Ingram, Leding, Tucker.

Total .......................................................................................................... 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hendren, Stubblefield.

Total .......................................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED:

Total .......................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT: Clark.

Total .......................................................................................................... 1

Total number of votes cast........................................................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1957 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 28, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:
SENATE BILL NO. 699, BY SENATOR MARK JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:00 a.m. delivered it to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) BLAKE JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 699

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this twenty eighth day of April, 2021 at 10:00 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

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HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL RETURNED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 699
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate entered into an extended recess pursuant to the language in House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 and will remain in recess until called to reconvene by Joint Proclamation.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 27, 2021, I am allowing the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY to go into law without my signature:

- Senate Bill No. 643 - ACT 973
- Senate Bill No. 644 - ACT 974

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 27, 2021, I have reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 664 - ACT 939
- Senate Bill No. 628 - ACT 940
- Senate Bill No. 624 - ACT 941
- Senate Bill No. 551 - ACT 942
- Senate Bill No. 506 - ACT 943
- Senate Bill No. 181 - ACT 944
- Senate Bill No. 334 - ACT 945
- Senate Bill No. 300 - ACT 946
- Senate Bill No. 547 - ACT 947
- Senate Bill No. 467 - ACT 948
- Senate Bill No. 388 - ACT 949
- Senate Bill No. 557 - ACT 950
- Senate Bill No. 614 - ACT 951
- Senate Bill No. 498 - ACT 952
- Senate Bill No. 450 - ACT 953
- Senate Bill No. 610 - ACT 954
- Senate Bill No. 602 - ACT 955

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 28, 2021, I have reviewed and approved as to form the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 28, 2021, I have reviewed the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10

Sincerely,

(SIGNED)  ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 28, 2021, I have reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 590 - ACT 1002
- Senate Bill No. 553 - ACT 1003
- Senate Bill No. 693 - ACT 1004
- Senate Bill No. 211 - ACT 1005
- Senate Bill No. 158 - ACT 1006
- Senate Bill No. 95 - ACT 1007
- Senate Bill No. 134 - ACT 1008
- Senate Bill No. 68 - ACT 1009
- Senate Bill No. 132 - ACT 1010
- Senate Bill No. 702 - ACT 1011

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 29, 2021, I have reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12
- Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 29, 2021, I have reviewed the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Joint Resolution No. 18
- Senate Joint Resolution No. 14

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
STATE OF ARKANSAS

Asa Hutchinson
Governor

April 29, 2021

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 29, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

SB No. 595 - ACT 1017  SB No. 638 - ACT 1031  SB No. 381 - ACT 1045
SB No. 203 - ACT 1018  SB No. 640 - ACT 1032  SB No. 312 - ACT 1046
SB No. 484 - ACT 1019  SB No. 641 - ACT 1033  SB No. 340 - ACT 1047
SB No. 609 - ACT 1020  SB No. 652 - ACT 1034  SB No. 353 - ACT 1048
SB No. 535 - ACT 1021  SB No. 668 - ACT 1035  SB No. 513 - ACT 1049
SB No. 549 - ACT 1022  SB No. 676 - ACT 1036  SB No. 569 - ACT 1050
SB No. 560 - ACT 1023  SB No. 685 - ACT 1037  SB No. 582 - ACT 1051
SB No. 573 - ACT 1024  SB No. 694 - ACT 1038  SB No. 594 - ACT 1052
SB No. 599 - ACT 1025  SB No. 698 - ACT 1039  SB No. 617 - ACT 1053
SB No. 612 - ACT 1026  SB No. 248 - ACT 1040  SB No. 639 - ACT 1054
SB No. 618 - ACT 1027  SB No. 601 - ACT 1041  SB No. 663 - ACT 1055
SB No. 654 - ACT 1028  SB No. 686 - ACT 1042  SB No. 541 - ACT 1056
SB No. 699 - ACT 1029  SB No. 691 - ACT 1043  SB No. 657 - ACT 1057
SB No. 615 - ACT 1030  SB No. 706 - ACT 1044  SB No. 375 - ACT 1058

(SIGNED)  ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 30, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 631 - ACT 1060
- Senate Bill No. 247 - ACT 1061

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on May 3, 2021, I am allowing the following measure from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY to go into law without my signature:

Senate Bill No. 627 - ACT 1100

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on May 3, 2021, I reviewed and approved the following measures from the REGULAR SESSION of the NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

- Senate Bill No. 673 - ACT 1108
- Senate Bill No. 336 - ACT 1109
- Senate Bill No. 544 - ACT 1110
- Senate Bill No. 671 - ACT 1111
- Senate Bill No. 703 - ACT 1112

Sincerely,

(SIGNED)   ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
May 6, 2021

Ms. Marty Garrity, Director  
Bureau of Legislative Research  
State Capitol, Room 315  
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Garrity,

I am submitting to you the list of Senate Bills that were referred to Interim Study during the 93rd General Assembly as of the General Assembly Recess on April 28, 2021.

**JUDICIARY**

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Respectfully,

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of the Senate
The Senate was called to order at 10:00 a.m. o'clock by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Lieutenant Governor/President of the State.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 of 2021, the Senate of the 93rd General Assembly entered an extended recess on Wednesday, April 28, 2021.

Pursuant to the following proclamation, the President Pro Tempore and the Speaker of the House of Representatives reconvened the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly on Wednesday, September 29, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. to begin Day 109 of legislative business.

The Secretary of the Senate read the following proclamation:
WHEREAS, House Concurrent Resolution 1015 (HCR 1015) of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly provides for an extended recess of the Ninety-Third General Assembly until such time that the Ninety-Third General Assembly is able to complete its work on congressional redistricting; and

WHEREAS, the Ninety-Third General Assembly entered into extended recess on April 28, 2021; and

WHEREAS, HCR 1015 authorizes the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, by joint proclamation, to reconvene the General Assembly at any time; and

NOW THEREFORE, We, the undersigned Speaker of the House of Representatives and President Pro Tempore of the Senate, hereby direct that the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly of the State of Arkansas shall reconvene at 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, September 29, 2021, and that during that time, the General Assembly may conduct its business related only to the following, as provided in HCR 1015:

(A) Considering vetoes;
(B) Correcting errors and oversights;
(C) Completing its work on congressional redistricting;
(D) Considering legislation related to the COVID-19 public health emergency and distribution of COVID-19 relief funds; and
(E) Considering the need for further extension of the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly; and

THAT the Ninety-Third General Assembly shall adjourn sine die as soon as practicable after completion of its work on redistricting.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed at the State Capitol in Little Rock on this twenty-seventh day of September in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty-One.

(SIGNED) Matthew J. Shepherd
Speaker of the House

(SIGNED) Jimmy Hickey, Jr.
President Pro Tempore, Senate
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of explaining the purpose of the remainder of the Extended Session, House Concurrent Resolution 1015 of 2021 and its intent.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate moved to rise and report progress.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN PRESIDENT JOE BIDEN’S POOR EXECUTION OF THE UNITED STATES’ WITHDRAWAL FROM AFGHANISTAN.

Senate Resolution No. 30 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senator Hickey objected to the germaneness of Senate Resolutions during the remainder of the Extended Session.

The Chair ruled Senate Resolution No. 30 was not germane to House Concurrent Resolution 1015 of 2021.

Senate Mark Johnson moved to allow the introduction of Senate Resolutions only during the remainder of the Extended Session, not Joint or Concurrent Resolutions.

The motion carried. Senate Resolutions will be allowed.
Senator Dismang moved that only bills related to redistricting be read across the desk today and the remaining non-redistricting bills be read across the desk tomorrow, September 30, 2021, at 9:00 a.m.

Senator Ballinger spoke against the motion.
Senator Hickey spoke on the motion.
Senator Dismang restated his motion.
Senator Clark spoke against the motion.
Senator Rapert spoke against the motion.
Senator Dismang closed for his motion.

A voice vote was taken on the motion.

The Chair ruled it was a close result and called for a second voice vote.

A second voice vote was taken.

The Chair ruled the ayes had it.

A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

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Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
SENATE BILL NO. 719
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, G. STUBBLEFIELD, T. GARNER, RICE, M. JOHNSON, RAPERT, A. CLARK
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRYANT, BENTLEY, GAZAWAY, MCGREW, WOMACK, PAYTON, CRAWFORD, LUNDSTRUM, S. MEEKS, GONZALES, BROWN, DOTSON, TOLLETT, HAAK, M. BERRY, B. SMITH, RICHMOND, MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A RIGHT OF PRIVACY CONCERNING CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION STATUS; TO ESTABLISH A GRANT PROGRAM WITH DISTRIBUTION FROM COVID-19 RELIEF FUNDS TO PROVIDE RESTITUTION FOR INDIVIDUALS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 719 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 720
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 720 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 721
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW REGARDING THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 721 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 722
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 722 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 723
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 723 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 724
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 724 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 725
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE 2021-2030 CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 725 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 726
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. DAVIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 726 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 727
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS C. TUCKER, ELLIOTT, L. CHESTERFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS AND THE BOUNDARIES OF CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 727 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.
SENATE BILL NO. 728
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, L. CHESTERFIELD, C. TUCKER, K. INGRAM
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCULLOUGH, SCOTT, ENNETT, D. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE
ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR (4) CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN
ARKANSAS BASED UPON THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS
DATA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 728 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 729
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FOUR (4)
CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS AS A RESULT OF THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL
DECENNIAL CENSUS DATA; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 729 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TO AUTHORIZE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS TERMINATED SOLELY DUE TO A REFUSAL TO BE VACCINATED AGAINST CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 730 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A RIGHT OF PRIVACY CONCERNING CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION STATUS; TO ESTABLISH A GRANT PROGRAM WITH DISTRIBUTIONS FROM COVID-19 RELIEF FUNDS OR AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 FUNDS TO PROVIDE RESTITUTION FOR INDIVIDUALS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 731 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 732
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT COERCION OF PERSONS TO RECEIVE THE VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 732 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 733
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE POWERS OF QUARANTINE, ISOLATION, AND CONTROL OF INFECTIOUS, CONTAGIOUS, AND COMMUNICABLE DISEASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 733 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO TREAT NATURAL IMMUNITY TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) THE SAME AS A VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 734 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH RULES REGARDING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THERAPEUTIC TREATMENTS FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) WHEN A PERSON TESTS POSITIVE FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 735 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 736  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRYANT, HAAK  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING ISSUES IN EMPLOYMENT RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO PROVIDE EXEMPTIONS FOR EMPLOYEES FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO AUTHORIZE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL TERMINATED DUE TO A REFUSAL TO BE VACCINATED AGAINST CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 736 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 737  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE EMPLOYERS AND PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS FROM DISCRIMINATING BASED ON A PERSON’S CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION STATUS OR POSSESSION OF A VACCINE PASSPORT; TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE EMPLOYERS AND PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS FROM MANDATING VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 737 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 738  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE EMPLOYERS AND PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS FROM DISCRIMINATING BASED ON A PERSON'S CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION STATUS OR POSSESSION OF A VACCINE PASSPORT; TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE EMPLOYERS AND PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS FROM MANDATING VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 738 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 739  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, B. BALLINGER  
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRYANT, HAAK  

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT ISSUES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO AUTHORIZE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL TERMINATED DUE TO A REFUSAL TO BE VACCINATED AGAINST CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 739 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
SENATE BILL NO. 740  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE EMPLOYERS AND PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS FROM DISCRIMINATING BASED ON A PERSON'S CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION STATUS OR POSSESSION OF A VACCINE PASSPORT; TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE EMPLOYERS AND PUBLIC ACCOMMODATIONS FROM MANDATING VACCINES OR IMMUNIZATIONS FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 740 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR COACH TOM HARRELL AS THE LONGEST-TENURED ACTIVE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL COACH IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 31 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 32
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR M. JOHNSON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE JULIA GAFFNEY FOR EARNING TWO (2) BRONZE MEDALS IN SWIMMING AT THE TOKYO 2020 PARALYMPIC GAMES.

Senate Resolution No. 32 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senator Hickey moved to suspend Senate Rule 7(i):

No bill or resolution introduced and referred to a committee may be considered by a committee until at least one (1) intervening day occurs between the day of referral and the day the committee meets to conduct business.

In the case of emergency, a bill can be considered by a Senate Committee with a 2/3rds majority of the Committee shall be allowed to bring bills up for consideration at any time.

The motion carried.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

September 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 719, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 731, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,
SENATE BILL NO. 732, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 736, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

September 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 737, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 738, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 739, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 740, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
SENATE BILL NO. 741
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GILMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE GEOGRAPHIC BOUNDARIES OF THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 741 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

September 29, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Ms. Ann Cornwell  
Director, Arkansas Senate  
Secretary of the Senate  
State Capitol Building, Room 320  
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

This letter serves as written notification that I was recorded as voting "YEA" on Senate Bill No. 703 on April 22, 2021. I would like a letter for the record showing I intended to vote "NO" on this bill as I did on the first vote taken on the bill earlier on April 22, 2021 in which the bill failed. Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session 93rd General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Cecile Bledsoe  
State Senator  
District 3

CB/ac
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 9:00, September 30, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wallace.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The presiding officer advised the following Senate Bills would be passed over:

SENATE BILL NO. 719
SENATE BILL NO. 731
SENATE BILL NO. 736
On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 732 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 732
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT TO PROHIBIT COERCION OF PERSONS TO RECEIVE THE VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 732 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being:  Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved to appeal the germaneness of Senate Bill No. 732.

The Presiding Officer ruled Senate Bill No. 732 was germane to House Concurrent Resolution 1015.

Senator Hendren moved to appeal the ruling of the Presiding Officer's determination on the germaneness of Senate Bill No. 732.

Senator Hendren spoke in favor of his motion to overturn the Presiding Officer's ruling.

Senator Garner spoke against the motion.

Senator Hickey spoke in favor of the motion.

Senator Clark spoke against the motion.

Senator Mark Johnson spoke against the motion.

Senator Hester moved for immediate consideration of Senator Hendren's motion.

A voice vote was taken on the motion for immediate consideration.  The motion carried.
A voice vote was taken on the motion to appeal the ruling of the Presiding Officer's determination on the germaneness of Senate Bill No. 732.

The Presiding Officer ruled the nays had it.

A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

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Upon sounding of the ballot, the Presiding Officer on the germaneness of Senate Bill No. 732 was upheld.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Dismang spoke against Senate Bill No. 732.

Senator Irvin moved to re-refer the following bills back to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor.

SENATE BILL NO. 719
SENATE BILL NO. 731
SENATE BILL NO. 732
SENATE BILL NO. 736
SENATE BILL NO. 737
SENATE BILL NO. 738
SENATE BILL NO. 739
SENATE BILL NO. 740

Senator Hickey spoke on the motion;

Senator Hendren spoke in favor of the motion.
Senator Garner made a substitute motion to Senator Irvin's motion. Senator Garner moved to batch all the Senate Bills and re-refer them back to the Committee on Health, Welfare & Labor with the exception of Senate Bill No. 731 and Senate Bill No. 739.

Senator Davis spoke on Senator Garner's substitute motion.
Senator Ballinger spoke for Senator Garner's substitute motion.
Senator Hammer spoke against Senator Garner's substitute motion.

Senator Garner moved to make a substitute motion to his prior substitute motion. Senator Garner moved to batch all Senate Bills and re-refer them back to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor with the exception of Senate Bill No. 731.

A voice vote was taken on Senator Garner's substitute motion to his prior substitute motion.

The Presiding Officer requested a second voice vote.
The Presiding Officer ruled the nays had it.

A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

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Upon sounding of the ballot, the substitute motion failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senator Chesterfield moved for immediate consideration of Senator Irvin's motion.

A voice vote was taken. The motion carried.

Senator Irvin moved to re-refer the following bills back to the Committee on Public Health, Welfare & Labor.

SENATE BILL NO. 719
SENATE BILL NO. 731
SENATE BILL NO. 732
SENATE BILL NO. 736
SENATE BILL NO. 737
SENATE BILL NO. 738
SENATE BILL NO. 739
SENATE BILL NO. 740

A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the ayes had it.

A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast: 33
- Necessary to the passage of the motion: 18
- Total number voting in the affirmative: 19
- Total number voting in the negative: 14
- Total number absent or not voting: 2

Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion carried.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 719 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 731 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.
On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 732 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 736 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 737 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 738 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 739 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 740 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senator Ingram moved for adjournment.

A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the ayes had it.

A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast: 32
- Necessary to the passage of the motion: 18
- Total number voting in the affirmative: 6
- Total number voting in the negative: 26
- Total number absent or not voting: 3

Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Resolution No. 30 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONDEMN JOE BIDEN’S POOR EXECUTION OF THE UNITED STATES’ WITHDRAWAL FROM AFGHANISTAN

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the resolution.
Senator Wallace spoke for the resolution.
Senator Ingram spoke on the resolution.
Senator Hill spoke for the resolution.
Senator Mark Johnson spoke for the resolution.
Senator Elliott spoke on the resolution.

Senate Resolution No. 30 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Resolution No. 31 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR COACH TOM HARRELL AS THE LONGEST-TENURED ACTIVE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL COACH IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 31 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Friday, October 1, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Wallace requested leave for Senator Eads. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Gilmore.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 732, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, the rules were suspended in considering Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 732 at this time.

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 732 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

Amend Senate Bill No. 732 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 32, delete "(B)" and substitute "(B)(i)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 35, and substitute the following:
"susceptibilities to acquiesce when the individual otherwise would not.

(ii) However, other positive incentives that are above or beyond any expected compensations or benefit of employment shall not be included under the term "coerce"; or"

AND

Page 2, delete line 25, and substitute the following:
"American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Pub. L. No. 117-2, or any other federal funds that may become available."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 732 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

October 1, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 732, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 731, BY SENATOR BOB BALLINGER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 730, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)  SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 739, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 33
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, HILL

SENATE RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT CONSUMER PRIVACY

Senate Resolution No. 33 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and sent to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 9 a.m., Monday, October 4, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 9:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Flippo.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 739 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3, Amendment No. 1 and Amendment No. 2 having been withdrawn.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 739

Amend Senate Bill No. 739 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Rice, Flippo as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives M. Gray, Vaught, Crawford, Bentley as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 12 through 15 and substitute the following:
"MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY;"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "treatment" and substitute "vaccination or immunization"

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "variants, including without limitation a" and substitute "variants"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "vaccination or immunization."

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "(A)"
AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "." and substitute ", or"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 25 through 27

AND

Page 2, delete lines 28 through 30, and substitute the following:

"(2) Proof of immunity for the virus that causes coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) or its variants, including without limitation the presence of antibodies, T cell response, or proof of a positive coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) or its variants test, on a basis of two (2) times per year, not to exceed one (1) time every six (6) months, from a licensed healthcare provider."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 through 10, and substitute the following:

"(3)(A) The cost of the testing shall be covered through any state or federal funding made available, including without limitation coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) relief funds distributed from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, Pub. L. No. 117-2, if the employee’s health benefit plan does not provide coverage for the testing.

(B) In the event that the cost of testing under subdivision (c)(3)(A) of this section is not available, the cost of the testing shall be covered by the employee."

AND

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety

AND

Rerumber remaining sections accordingly

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HAMMER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 739 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Hammer moved to suspend the rules to have Senate Bill No. 739 placed at the end of today’s calendar after the bill is engrossed. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 730 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 730

Amend Senate Bill No. 730 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 12 and 13, and substitute the following:
"VACCINATED AGAINST CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW TO AUTHORIZE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS TERMINATED SOLELY DUE TO A REFUSAL TO BE VACCINATED AGAINST CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

Immediately following SECTION 2, add an additional section to read as follows:
"SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that employees in Arkansas are being terminated solely due to a refusal to be vaccinated against coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19); that the termination leaves these employees with no income to support themselves and their families; and that immediate action is necessary in order to protect Arkansas employees from the effects of these vaccination mandates. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

1. The date of its approval by the Governor;
2. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
3. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time.
A voice vote was taken on the amendment. The Presiding Officer ruled the amendment failed. A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast: 34
- Necessary to the passage of the amendment: 18
- Total number voting in the affirmative: 23
- Total number voting in the negative: 11
- Total number absent or not voting: 1

Upon sounding of the ballot, amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 730 was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 730 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Garner moved to suspend the rules to add Senate Bill No. 730 to the end of today's calendar once it returns from engrossing. Motion carried.

* * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * *

On motion of Senator Blake Johnson, Senate Bill No. 732 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 732  
As Engrossed: S10/1/21  
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT COERCION OF PERSONS TO RECEIVE THE VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senate Bill No. 732 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke against the bill.  
Senator Hendren spoke against the bill.  
Senator Garner spoke for the bill.  
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.  
Senator Clark spoke for the bill.  
Senator Blake Johnson closed for the bill.  

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................17

NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Teague, Tucker.  
Total ...........................................................................................................15

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:  Davis, Flowers, Gilmore.  
Total ...........................................................................................................3

EXCUSED:  
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:  
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................................32
Necessary to the passage of the bill .........................................................18

So the bill failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 732, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................................................................. 17

**NEGATIVE:** Bledsoe, Caldwell, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Flippo, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Teague, Tucker.

Total ................................................................................................................... 15

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** Davis, Flowers, Gilmore.

Total ................................................................................................................... 3

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................................................................... 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.................................................................................. 32

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.............................. 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * *

Senator Rapert moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 732 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 732 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on October 4, 2021.
Senator Rapert moved to suspend the rules and place Senate Bill No. 732 at the end of today's calendar.

A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the motion failed. A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast: 34
- Necessary to the passage of the motion: 24
- Total number voting in the affirmative: 29
- Total number voting in the negative: 5
- Total number absent or not voting: 1

Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion to suspend the rules passed. Senate Bill No. 732 will be placed at the end of today's calendar.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

October 4, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 730, BY SENATOR TRENT GARNER,
SENATE BILL NO. 739, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed for 15 minutes.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

On motion of Senator Hammer, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hammer, Senate Bill No. 739 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 739
As Engrossed: S10/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS K. HAMMER, B. BALLINGER, RICE, FLIPPO
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRYANT, HAAK, M. GRAY, VAUGHT,
CRAWFORD, BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT ISSUES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 739 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke against the bill.
Senator Garner spoke for the bill.
Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Hammer closed for the bill.
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 21

**NEGATIVE:** Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Teague, Tucker.

Total ................................................................. 12

**ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:** English, Flowers.

Total ................................................................. 2

**EXCUSED:**

Total ................................................................. 0

**VOTING PRESENT:**

Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................... 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill ......................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 739, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

the Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ................................................................. 21
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Teague, Tucker.
Total ......................................................................................... 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: English, Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast.........................................................33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....................24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

Senator Hammer moved to revote the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 739. A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ......................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.
Total ......................................................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:
Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ........................................................................................... 0
Total number of votes cast ................................................................. 34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ...................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 739 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

A voice vote was taken on the motion to expunge the failed Emergency Clause. The Presiding Officer ruled the motion failed. A roll call was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast 33
- Necessary to the passage of the motion 24
- Total number voting in the affirmative 23
- Total number voting in the negative 10
- Total number absent or not voting 2

 Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion to expunge the emergency clause failed.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 739 was transmitted to the House as passed, the emergency clause having failed of adoption.

On motion of Senator Garner, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.
On motion of Senator Garner, Senate Bill No. 730 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 730
As Engrossed: S10/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TO AUTHORIZE UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS TERMINATED SOLELY DUE TO A REFUSAL TO BE VACCINATED AGAINST CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 730 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill
Senator Chesterfield spoke on the bill.
Senator Garner closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 20

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Pitsch, Sample, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 2

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 730, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ........................................................................................................... 20

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Pitsch, Sample, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................................... 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers, Teague.

Total ......................................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED:

Total ......................................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ......................................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 730 was transmitted to the House as passed, the emergency clause having failed of adoption.
On motion of Senator Johnson, Senate Bill No. 732 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 732
As Engrossed: S10/1/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT COERCION OF PERSONS TO RECEIVE THE VACCINE OR IMMUNIZATION FOR CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 732 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................. 21

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.
Total ................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers, Hickey, Teague.
Total ................................................................. 3

EXCUSED:
Total ................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ................................................. 32
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................ 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 732, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total  .......................................................................................................21

NEGATIVE:  Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Hendren, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.
Total  .......................................................................................................11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers, Hickey, Teague.
Total  .......................................................................................................3

EXCUSED:
Total  .......................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total  .......................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...........................................................................32
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ....................................24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 732 was transmitted to the House, the emergency clause having failed of adoption.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR (4) CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT BOUNDARIES IN ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 742 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 33, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH, CHAIRMAN
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF THE FOUR (4) UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 743 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING FAILED OF ADOPTION

SENATE BILL NO. 730
SENATE BILL NO. 732
SENATE BILL NO. 739
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, October 5, 2021.
The Senate was called to order at 11:30 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

The Senate was led in prayer by Lt. Governor Griffin.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 33
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, HILL

SENATE RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT CONSUMER PRIVACY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Resolution No. 33 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Hickey moved to extract Senate Bill No. 743 from the Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs.

Senator Ingram spoke against the motion.
Senator Garner spoke for the motion.
Senator Pitsch spoke against the motion.
Senator Tucker spoke against the motion.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the motion.
Senator Ballinger spoke against the motion.

Senator Rapert answered questions from Senator Irvin and Senator Elliott.

Senator Rapert spoke on the motion.
Senator Hickey closed for his motion.

A voice vote was taken.
A second voice vote was taken.

The Presiding Officer ruled the motion failed.
A Sounding of the Ballot was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

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A second Sounding of the Ballot was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

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Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion to extract Senate Bill No. 743 from Committee failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until 3:30 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.
A Bill for an Act to be Entitled:  AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT ISSUES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1977 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

October 5, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 743, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator English, the rules were suspended in considering amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 743 at this time.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 743 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 743

Amend Senate Bill No. 1 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute the following:
"Izard, Jackson, Lawrence, Lee, Lincoln, Lonoke, Marion, Mississippi, Monroe,"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 7, and substitute the following:
"(B) 054; and
(C) 055"

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "portion" and substitute "portion portions"

AND

Page 3, delete line 21, and substitute the following:
"Howard, Jefferson, Johnson, Lafayette, Little River, Logan, Madison,"

AND

Page 3, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"(A) Alma #1 voting district 103;"

AND
Page 4, delete lines 7 through 15, and substitute the following:

"(B) 104;
(C) 105;
(D) 124;
(E) 125;
(F) 126;
(G) 127;
(H) 131;
(I) 132;
(J) 133; and
(K) 135; and"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 24 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(A) 9-1-A voting district 9-2K;
(B) 9-1-B voting district 9-2L;
(C) 9-1-C voting district 9-3A;
(D) 9-1-D voting district 9-3B;
(E) 9-1-E voting district 9-3C;
(F) 9-1-Q voting district 9-3D;
(G) 9-2-E voting district;
(H) 9-3-E voting district 9-3E;
(I) 9-3-F voting district 9-3F;
(J) 9-3-G voting district 9-3G;
(K) 9-3-H voting district 9-3H;
(L) 9-3-I voting district 9-3I;
(M) 9-3-J voting district 9-3J;
(N) 9-3-K voting district 9-3K;
(O) 9-3-L voting district 9-3L;
(P) 9-3M;
(Q) 9-3N;
(R) 9-3O; and
(S) 9-3-M voting district 9-4F."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 3

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 743 was ordered engrossed.
Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 743, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED)       SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

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HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 a.m.,
Wednesday, October 6, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 9:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, EADS, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Pitsch requested leave for Senator Garner and Senator Sturch.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Stubblefield.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
SENATE BILL NO. 744
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR IRVIN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IDENTIFY THE FOUR (4)
UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS BASED ON
THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS DATA; TO DECLARE AN
EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 744 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second
time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL
AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

October 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom
was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. BRYANT,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the
recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN
On motion of Senator Hammer, the rules were suspended to place House Bill No. 1977 at the bottom of today's calendar. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator English, the rules were suspended to place Senate Bill No. 743 on second reading for purpose of amendment. The motion carried.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 743 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 743

Amend Senate Bill No. 743 as engrossed, S10/5/21:

Page 1, delete line 22, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code §§ 7-2-102 — 7-2-105 are amended to read as follows:"

AND

Renumber SECTION 5 of the bill as SECTION 2

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 743 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator English, the rules were suspended to add Senate Bill No. 743 to the end of today's calendar. Motion carried.
On motion of Senator Hammer, House Bill No. 1977 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977
As Engrossed: H10/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRYANT, HAAK, M. GRAY,
VAUGHT, CRAWFORD, BENTLEY
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, K. HAMMER, FLIPPO, RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT ISSUES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1977 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Dismang spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Clark spoke for the bill.
Senator Stubblefield spoke for the bill.
Senator Mark Johnson moved to suspend the rules to allow Senator Clark to speak for the bill a second time. A voice vote was taken. The motion failed.

Senator Hammer closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Pairs were announced at the desk.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE  October 6, 2021

PAIR VOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977

VOTING YEA  (SIGNED)  SENATOR TRENT GARNER

VOTING NAY  (SIGNED)  SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE  October 6, 2021

PAIR VOTE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977

VOTING YEA  (SIGNED)  SENATOR JAMES STURCH

VOTING NAY  (SIGNED)  SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE

Total ......................................................................................... 22

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................... 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total ........................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast......................................................... 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill ........................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1977, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 22
NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Eads, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.

Total .............................................................................................................12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total .............................................................................................................1

EXCUSED:

Total .............................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .............................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast ...........................................................................34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause ..................................24

So the Emergency Clause failed of adoption

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Hammer moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause failed of adoption be expunged

A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the motion failed. A Sounding of the Ballot was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast 33
Necessary to the passage of the motion 24
Total number voting in the affirmative 22
Total number voting in the negative 11
Total number absent or not voting 2

Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion to expunge the vote failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
Senator Hammer moved to expunge the vote by which the Emergency Clause failed to pass.

A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the nays had it. The motion failed.

A Sounding of the Ballot was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

- Total number of votes cast: 31
- Necessary to the passage of the vote: 24
- Total number voting in the affirmative: 23
- Total number voting in the negative: 8
- Total number absent or not voting: 2
- Total number excused: 2

Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Hammer moved to suspend the rules and hold House Bill No. 1977 in the Senate Chamber. Senator Hickey objected.

A voice vote was taken on the motion to suspend the rules and hold House Bill No. 1977 in the Senate Chamber. The motion failed.

House Bill No. 1977 was returned to the House as passed the emergency clause having failed of adoption.
October 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 743, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

Rules suspended to bring up Senate Bill No. 743.

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On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 743 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 743
As Engrossed: S10/5/21 S10/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF THE FOUR (4) UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
Senator Rapert moved to lay Senate Bill No. 743 on the table. A voice vote was taken. The Presiding Officer ruled the motion failed.

A Sounding of the Ballot was requested. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast 23
Necessary to the passage of the motion 18
Total number voting in the affirmative 11
Total number voting in the negative 12
Total number absent or not voting 12

Upon sounding of the ballot, the motion to lay Senate Bill No. 743 on the table failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 743 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott spoke against the bill.
Senator Rapert spoke for the bill.
Senator Tucker spoke against the bill.
Senator Pitsch spoke against the bill.
Senator Chesterfield spoke against the bill.
Senator Mark Johnson spoke against the bill.
Senator English closed for the bill.

Pairs were announced at the desk.
PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 743

VOTING YEA (SIGNED) SENATOR TRENT GARNER

VOTING NAY (SIGNED) SENATOR CLARKE TUCKER

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE October 6, 2021

PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 743

VOTING YEA (SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

VOTING NAY (SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................16

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Tucker.
Total ...........................................................................................................8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Bledsoe, Clark, Davis, Flowers, Irvin, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Teague.
Total ...........................................................................................................11

EXCUSED: 
Total ...........................................................................................................0

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ...........................................................................................................0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................24
Necessary to the passage of the bill ..................................................18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 743, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ...........................................................................................................16
NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Tucker.

Total ........................................................................................... 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Beckham, Bledsoe, Clark, Davis, Flowers, Irvin, Rapert, Rice, Stubblefield, Sullivan, Teague.

Total ......................................................................................... 11

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 24

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator English moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 743 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 743 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on October 6, 2021.

Senator Hammer moved to recall House Bill No. 1977 from the House of Representatives. A voice vote was taken. The motion carried.
October 6, 2021

The Honorable Sherri Stacks
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Stacks:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, House Bill No. 1977.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, Director, Secretary of the Senate
On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until 2:00 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

Senator Wallace requested leave for Senator Dismang and Senator Hill. Leave granted.

House Bill No. 1977 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator English, Senate Bill No. 743 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 743
As Engrossed: S10/5/21 S10/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF THE FOUR (4) UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 743 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Pairs were announced at the desk.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE  October 6, 2021

PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 743

VOTING YEA  (SIGNED)  SENATOR JONATHAN DISMANG

VOTING NAY  (SIGNED)  SENATOR KEITH INGRAM

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNEWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
SENATE BILL NO. 743

VOTING YEA (SIGNED) SENATOR RICKY HILL

VOTING NAY (SIGNED) SENATOR MARK JOHNSON

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE October 6, 2021

PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 743

VOTING YEA (SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

VOTING NAY (SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH

(SIGNED) ANN CORNEWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ............................................................................................. 23

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rice, Stubblefield, Tucker.

Total ............................................................................................. 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers, Teague.

Total ............................................................................................. 2

EXCUSED:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ............................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast ........................................................................ 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Elliott requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of Senate Bill No. 743. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast 33
Necessary to the passage of the Bill 24
Total number voting in the affirmative 22
Total number voting in the negative 10
Total number absent or not voting 3

Upon sounding of the ballot Senate Bill No. 743 passed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 743, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

Pairs were announced at the desk for the Emergency Clause vote.
STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

DATE  October 6, 2021

PAIR VOTE

SENATE BILL NO. 743

VOTING YEA   (SIGNED) SENATOR JAMES STURCH

VOTING NAY   (SIGNED) SENATOR MATHEW PITSCH

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL
SECRETARY OF SENATE
The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total ......................................................................................... 23

NEGATIVE: Chesterfield, Elliott, Hendren, Ingram, M. Johnson, Leding, Pitsch, Rice, Stubblefield, Tucker.

Total ......................................................................................... 10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers, Teague.

Total ........................................................................................... 2

EXCUSED:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total ........................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast .......................................................... 33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator English moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 743 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which the Emergency Clause of Senate Bill No. 743 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on October 6, 2021.

Senate Bill No. 743 was transmitted to the House with the Emergency Clause having failed of adoption.
Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1982
As Engrossed: H10/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF THE FOUR (4) UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1982 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

October 6, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1982, BY REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS,

report that we have had the same under consideration, and return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
Senate Bill No. 739 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 34
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 7, 2021; TO PROVIDE THAT THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY BE RECONVENCED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES AND CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS OR TO ADJOURN SINE DIE; AND TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENCED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, OCTOBER 14, 2021, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Resolution No. 34 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.
SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING FAILED OF ADOPTION

SENATE BILL NO. 743

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING
FAILED OF ADOPTION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE SENATE
AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 739

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING
FAILED OF ADOPTION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1982
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, October 7, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
The Senate was called to order at 9:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, FLOWERS, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY, HILL, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCHE, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STUBBLEFIELD, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.

Senator Hammer requested leave for Senator Eads. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Sullivan.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Senate Bill No. 743 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
On motion of Senator Ballinger, Senate Bill No. 731 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 731
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A RIGHT OF PRIVACY CONCERNING CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19) VACCINATION STATUS; TO ESTABLISH A GRANT PROGRAM WITH DISTRIBUTIONS FROM COVID-19 RELIEF FUNDS OR AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021 FUNDS TO PROVIDE RESTITUTION FOR INDIVIDUALS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 731 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved for Immediate Consideration of Senate Bill No. 731. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total .................................................................................................................. 22

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.
Total .................................................................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total .................................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Eads.
Total .................................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total .................................................................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill ............................................ 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 731, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:


Total .......................................................................................... 22

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Dismang, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Tucker.

Total .......................................................................................... 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

EXCUSED: Eads.

Total .......................................................................................... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .......................................................................................... 0

Total number of votes cast ......................................................... 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .................... 24

So the emergency clause failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 731 was transmitted to the House with the Emergency Clause having failed adoption.
On motion of Senator Hammer, the House Bill No. 1977 was called up for third reading for consideration of the Emergency Clause only.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977
As Engrossed: H10/4/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRYANT, HAAK, M. GRAY,
VAUGHT, CRAWFORD, BENTLEY
BY: SENATORS B. BALLINGER, K. HAMMER, FLIPPO, RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYMENT ISSUES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEE EXEMPTIONS FROM FEDERAL MANDATES AND EMPLOYER MANDATES RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS 2019 (COVID-19); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1977 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Garner spoke in favor of the Emergency Clause.

Senator Mark Johnson spoke in favor of the Emergency Clause.

Senator Rapert made a disclosure pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06.
TO: Ann Cornwell  
Secretary of the Senate

FROM: Senator Jason Rapert

DATE: October 7, 2021

RE: Disclosure in accordance with Senate Rule 24.06

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

I am submitting this letter as a matter of complying with the Senate Code of Ethics and to comply with full disclosure. Pursuant to Senate Rule 24.06-3(a,b,c), the following disclosure is provided:

Based upon my review of various bills that have been filed over the course of the extended Legislative Session, I made an announcement on the Senate floor that out of an abundance of caution I wished to disclose that I have clients with healthcare related interests that I serve through my business that may or may not have business interests related to some of the provisions addressed in legislation under consideration.

Please file this letter in the official Senate Journal of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) Senator Jason Rapert  
State Senator  
District 35
Senator Hester moved for Immediate Consideration.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

Total ................................................................................................. 22

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Chesterfield, Elliott, English, Hendren, Hickey, Ingram, Leding, Sample, Teague, Tucker.
Total ................................................................................................. 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
Total ................................................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Eads.
Total ................................................................................................. 1

VOTING PRESENT:
Total ................................................................................................. 0

Total number of votes cast .................................................................. 33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause......................... 24

So the motion failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1977 was returned to the House the Emergency Clause having failed to pass.
On motion of Senator 1982, House Bill No. 1982 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1982
As Engrossed: H10/6/21
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS
BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF THE FOUR (4) UNITED STATES CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF ARKANSAS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1982 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved for Immediate Consideration of House Bill No. 1982. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

   Total ................................................................. 21

   Total ................................................................. 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Flowers.
   Total ................................................................. 1

EXCUSED: Eads.
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VOTING PRESENT:
   Total ................................................................. 0
Total number of votes cast .............................................................. 33
Necessary to the passage of the bill .................................................. 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1982 was returned to the House as passed.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 34
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY:  SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 7, 2021; TO PROVIDE THAT THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY BE RECONVENED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES AND CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS OR TO ADJOURN SINE DIE; AND TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, OCTOBER 14, 2021, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Resolution No. 34. was read the third time.

A voice vote was taken.

A sound voice vote was taken.

The Presiding Office ruled that Senate Resolution No. 34 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED)  ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

A Sounding of the Ballot was requested.  Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot.  Results are as follows:
Total number of votes cast 31
Necessary to the passage of the Bill 18
Total number voting in the affirmative 13
Total number voting in the negative 18
Total number absent or not voting 3
Total number excused 1

Upon sounding of the ballot, Senate Resolution No. 34 failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until noon on Thursday, October 7, 2021.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present. No official business occurred.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

October 7, 2021

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 739, BY SENATOR KIM HAMMER,
SENATE BILL NO. 743, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,

report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:53 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN
GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 739
SENATE BILL NO. 743

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this seventh day of October, 2021 at 10:53 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR
(SIGNED) KASSIDY RANKIN, SECRETARY

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 35
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 8, 2021; TO PROVIDE THAT THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY BE RECONVENCED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES AND CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS OR TO ADJOURN SINE DIE; AND TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, OCTOBER 15, 2021, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Resolution No. 35. was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the calendar.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY
SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING
FAILED OF ADOPTION

SENATE BILL NO. 731

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED/EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING
FAILED OF ADOPTION

HOUSE BILL NO. 1977

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1982

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 743
On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Friday, October 8, 2021.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
Little Rock, Arkansas
October 8, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until 1:30 p.m.

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

BALLINGER, BECKHAM, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, DAVIS, DISMANG, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FLIPPO, GARNER, GILMORE, HAMMER, HICKEY, HILL, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, M. JOHNSON, LEDING, PITSCH, RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, STURCH, SULLIVAN, TEAGUE, TUCKER, WALLACE.


The Senate was lead in prayer by Senator Hammer.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.
SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 35
NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HICKEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON OCTOBER 8, 2021; TO PROVIDE THAT THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY BE RECONVENED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES AND CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS OR TO ADJOURN SINE DIE; AND TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, OCTOBER 15, 2021, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Resolution No. 35 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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SENATE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS

SENATE BILL NO. 731
On motion of Senator Hickey the Senate recessed until Friday, October 15, 2021.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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Little Rock, Arkansas
October 15, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 12:00 o’clock p.m. by the President.

On motion of Senator Hickey, the Senate adjourned sine die.
TO THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on October 13, 2021, I am allowing the following measures from the Regular Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly to go into law without my signature:

SB 739 - Act 1115
SB 743 - Act 1116

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON

cc: Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer, Arkansas House of Representatives
Ms. Sherri Stacks, Chief Clerk, Fiscal Officer  
House of Representatives  
State Capitol, Room 350  
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Stacks:

I am enclosing herewith the following House Bills remaining in the Senate at Sine Die Adjournment on October 15, 2021.

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HB 1022

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, Arkansas Senate Secretary of the Senate
October 15, 2021

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas  72201

Dear Ann Cornwell:

Attached are the Senate Bills that died in the House at Sine Die Adjournment of the Regular Session of the 93rd General Assembly.

**Died in the House**
SB298  SB730

**Failed on the Calendar**
SB140  SB188  SB282  SB476  SB485  SB502
SCR13

**Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative & Military Affairs**
SB167  SB589

**Education Committee**
SB501  SB540

**Insurance and Commerce Committee**
SB587  SB666

**Judiciary Committee**
SB284  SB335  SB626  SB633

**Public Health, Welfare and Labor Committee**
SB259  SB514  SB696  SB732  SCR14

**State Agencies and Governmental Affairs Committee**
SB460  SB620  SB634

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SHERRI STACKS
Chief Clerk/Fiscal Officer
House of Representatives
October 15, 2021

Marty Garrity, Director
Bureau of Legislative Research
State Capitol, Room 315
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Garrity:

I am submitting to you the list of Senate Bills that were referred to Interim Study during the 93rd General Assembly as of the General Assembly Recess on April 28, 2021.

**JUDICIARY**

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Respectfully,

(SIGNED)  Ann Cornwell, Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of the Senate
October 15, 2021

John Thurston
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Mr. Thurston:

I am enclosing herewith the following Senate Resolutions and Senate Bill:

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Respectfully submitted,

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October 18, 2021

John Thurston
Secretary of State
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Mr. Thurston:

I am submitting to you the following Senate Bills that were referred to Interim Study during the 93rd General Assembly as of the General Assembly Recess on April 28, 2021.

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(SIGNED) Ann Cornwell, Director, Arkansas Senate Secretary of the Senate
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We, your Committee on Transportation, Technology and Legislative Affairs, have checked the Journal of the 93rd General Assembly, Regular Session, 2021 carefully and find it correct and in proper form for filing with the Secretary of State.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
CHAIRMAN

(SIGNED) TIM GRIFFIN
PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL,
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE