EXHIBIT B

MINUTES
SENATE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE, AND LABOR
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR
Meeting Jointly
Monday, November 9, 2026
1:00 PM
Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Committee members present: Senators Missy Irvin, Chair; Scott Flippo, and Clint Penzo; Representatives Jeff Wardlaw, Chair; Jeremy Wooldridge, Vice-Chair; Fred Allen, Glenn Barnes, Cameron Cooper, Denise Jones Ennett, Kenneth B. Ferguson, Zack Gramlich, Dolly Henley, Jack Ladyman, Wayne Long, Kendra Moore, Mark Perry, Aaron Pilkington, Jay Richardson, and Bart Schulz

Other members present: Senators Alan Clark and Jamie Scott; Representatives Howard M. Beaty, Jr., Keith Brooks, Alyssa Brown, John P. Carr, Talesha Dokes-Elect, Jon S. Eubanks, Steve Hollowell, Cassandra Mayes-Elect, Tippi McCullough, Jessie McGruder, Mark McElroy, Dexter Miller-Elect, Steven Person-Elect, Joy Springer, Steven Walker, and Audrey Willis-Elect

Senator Irvin called the meeting to order.

Consideration to Approve the October 2, 2026, Meeting Minutes [Exhibit B]
Representative Henley made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Representative Long, and the motion carried.

Consideration for Adoption of Interim Study Proposals (ISP) [Exhibits C1-C15]
Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-092, seconded by Representative Ladyman, and the motion carried.

Representative Pilkington made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-099, seconded by Senator Penzo, and the motion carried.

Representative Pilkington made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-100, seconded by Representative Ladyman, and the motion carried.

Representative Pilkington made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-101, seconded by Senator Penzo, and the motion carried.

Representative Pilkington made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-102, seconded by Senator Penzo, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-103, seconded by Representative Ladyman, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-104, seconded by Representative Gramlich, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-105, seconded by Representative Wooldridge, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-106, seconded by Representative Cooper, and the motion carried.

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Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-107, seconded by Representative Long, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-108, seconded by Representative Wooldridge, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-109, seconded by Representative Wooldridge, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-110, seconded by Representative Pilkington, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-111, seconded by Senator Flippo, and the motion carried.

Senator Penzo made a motion to adopt ISP 2025-112, seconded by Representative Wooldridge, and the motion carried.

Arkansas Department of Health (ADH), Division for Local Public Health, Public Health Section, Review of Rule, Rules for Food Establishments [Exhibit D]
Craig Smith, Attorney, ADH, presented proposed amendments and recommended changes regarding the sale of raw milk to comply with the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and with the Code of Arkansas Rules.

Senator Irvin stated that, without objection, the rule stands as reviewed.

Discussion of Annual Report on Implementation of Availability of Automatic Defibrillators on School Campuses [Exhibit E]
Cheria McDonald, State School Nurse Consultant, Arkansas Department of Education, presented the Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Public School Legislative Report 2025-2026 as required by Arkansas Code Annotated (A.C.A) §6-10-122.

Discussion of Report on School Nutrition and Physical Education Standards [Exhibit F]
Jerri Clark, Director, School Health Services, Division of Elementary and Secondary Education, Department of Education, presented the School District Nutrition and Physical Activity Priorities Report as required under A.C.A. §20-7-135.

With no other business, the meeting adjourned at 1:45 p.m.

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