AGENDA (Revised 4/1/2025 @ 4:00 PM) Added Bills to Regular Agenda Senate Committee on Insurance and Commerce

Tuesday, April 1, 2025 15 Minutes Upon Adjournment of Senate Room 171, State Capitol Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Blake Johnson, Chair	Sen. Mark Johnson
Sen. Justin Boyd, Vice-Chair	Sen. Reginald Murdock
Sen. Stephanie Flowers	Sen. Matt McKee
Sen. Missy Irvin	Sen, Clint Penzo

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
<u>HB1424</u>	L. Johnson	TO MANDATE COVERAGE FOR SEVERE OBESITY TREATMENTS.
<u>SB475</u>	J. Dismang	TO ESTABLISH THE PHARMACY SERVICES ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION ACT; AND TO REGULATE PHARMACY SERVICES ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATIONS.
<u>HB1602</u>	L. Johnson	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER LICENSURE ACT; TO ESTABLISH FEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER LICENSURE ACT; AND TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF CERTAIN INFORMATION BY A PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGER.
<u>SB527</u>	Irvin	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME ACT OF 2021; AND TO INCREASE THE MEDICAL-LOSS RATIO IN THE ARKANSAS HEALTH AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ME PROGRAM.
<u>SB437</u>	Hester	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS WIND ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ACT.
HB1320	Wooldridge	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CRISIS STABILIZATION UNITS AND HEALTHCARE INSURERS.
<u>HB1746</u>	M. Brown	TO AMEND THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE.
<u>HB1737</u>	M. Brown	TO AMEND THE TRANSMITTING UTILITY ACT; AND TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "TRANSMITTING UTILITY" TO INCLUDE FIBER OPTIC AND BROADBAND LINES.
<u>HB1736</u>	M. Brown	TO AMEND ARTICLE 9 OF THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE.
<u>SB596</u>	M. McKee	TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ENERGY; TO ESTABLISH A STATE ENERGY POLICY; TO REGULATE RETIREMENT OF DISPATCHABLE ELECTRIC GENERATION FACILITIES; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1290</u>	L. Johnson	TO MANDATE COVERAGE FOR MENTAL HEALTH WELLNESS EXAMINATIONS; AND TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS SUPPORT OF MENTAL HEALTH WELLNESS EXAMINATIONS ACT.
HB1296	L. Johnson	TO MANDATE COVERAGE FOR HEALTHCARE SERVICES PROVIDED IN MOBILE UNITS.
<u>HB1314</u>	L. Johnson	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN AUDITS OF HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS; AND TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS MEDICAL AUDIT BILL OF RIGHTS ACT.

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<u>HB1333</u>	Hudson	TO MANDATE COVERAGE FOR BREASTFEEDING AND LACTATION CONSULTANT SERVICES.		
<u>HB1703</u>	L. Johnson	TO PROVIDE A DRUG REIMBURSEMENT PROCESS FOR CERTAIN HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS.		
<u>HB1771</u>	Perry	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DISCLOSURES TO POLICYHOLDERS; AND TO REQUIRE MONTHLY REPORTING BY INSURERS.		
<u>HB1788</u>	L. Johnson	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HEALTH CARE CONSUMER ACT; AND TO REDUCE THE TIME ALLOWED FOR PROCESSING AN APPLICATION OF A PROVIDER.		
DEFERRED BILLS				

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<u>SB592</u>	D. Wallace	TO REQUIRE A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION TO RENEW CERTAIN CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT AT THE HIGHEST INTEREST RATE CLOSEST TO THE TERM OF THE PREVIOUS CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT AND FOR THE SAME TERM.