

AGENDA
Senate Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs
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Tuesday, March 15, 2011
10:00 AM
OSC, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Sue Madison, Chair
Sen. Gilbert Baker, Vice Chair
Sen. Kim Hendren
Sen. Bill Pritchard

Sen. Paul Bookout
Sen. Robert Thompson
Sen. David Johnson
Sen. Johnny Key

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS - 11:00 A.M.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS TO BE CONSIDERED FOR REFERRAL TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SJR2	J. Hutchinson	TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION TO GOVERN THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION IN THE SAME MANNER AS ALL OTHER STATE AGENCIES AND TO GOVERN THE APPROPRIATION OF LOTTERY FUNDS.
SJR3	E. Williams	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO REQUIRE A BALANCED STATE BUDGET EVERY YEAR.
SJR4	Rapert	THE TAXPAYERS' PROTECTION AMENDMENT.
SJR5	Files	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING FINANCIAL REFORM FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES.
SJR6	B. Pritchard	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO AMENDMENT NO. 73, SECTION 2 TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO LIMIT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY SERVE.
SJR7	R. Thompson	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO COMBINE SEVERAL OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICES; TO ABOLISH THE OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS; AND TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO SET THE SALARIES FOR CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS.
SJR8	J. Jeffress	TO PROMOTE ACCOUNTABILITY, AFFORDABILITY, AND EFFICIENCY IN HIGHER EDUCATION BY ESTABLISHING THE ARKANSAS SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION.
SJR1	Madison	AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW A COUNTY TO ABOLISH THE TOWNSHIP OFFICE OF CONSTABLE IF APPROVED BY A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1013	Nickels	AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD TO TAKE ACTION AGAINST A CONTRACTOR FOR KNOWINGLY EMPLOYING A WORKER WITHOUT LEGAL AUTHORIZATION TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES.
SB339	Crumbly	TO ESTABLISH THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL SYSTEM FOR ADJUDICATED YOUTH.
SB525	B. Sample	TO CREATE THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.
SB257	Madison	AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 25 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 CONCERNING RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS.
SB677	G. Baker	TO FULLY FINANCE THE EXPENDITURES AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE STATE CENTRAL SERVICES FUND AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB713	Laverty	TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE

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		ON LEGISLATIVE FACILITIES.
SB714	Teague	CONCERNING PARTICIPATION BY THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION IN THE ARKANSAS ADMINISTRATIVE STATEWIDE INFORMATION SYSTEM.
HB1546	D. Hutchinson	TO SPECIFY THE COLORS OF THE STATE FLAG AND REQUIRE THAT IT BE MADE IN THE UNITED STATES.
SB724	B. Sample	CONCERNING VOLUNTARY SALARY REDUCTIONS BY CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES.
SB753	Madison	TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION MAY SPEND ON ADVERTISING.
SB757	Madison	TO PROVIDE FOR PROGRAMS FOR THE PREVENTION, EDUCATION, AND TREATMENT OF PROBLEM GAMBLING DISORDERS AND COMPULSIVE GAMBLING DISORDERS.
SB761	Salmon	TO ALLOW PERSON TO REGISTER TO VOTE ON ELECTION DAY AND AMENDING AMENDMENT 51 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION.
SB763	D. Johnson	CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES.
SB782	M. Lamoureux	TO PROVIDE FOR AN ADDITIONAL CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
SB802	Teague	TO ESTABLISH THE 2011 - 2020 CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS.
SB804	J. Dismang	REQUIRING DISCLOSURE OF POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS BY PERSONS AWARDED CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTS.
SB811	J. Key	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING THE PURCHASE OR POSSESSION OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR, WINE, OR BEER BY A MINOR.
SB842	Elliott	TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN INQUIRIES INTO A PERSON'S BACKGROUND ON AN APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT.
SB851	Teague	TO REPEAL THE SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES SALARY POOL.
SB867	Madison	TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF A SELF-SERVICE DISPLAY TO SELL LOTTERY TICKETS.
SB881	P. Malone	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING RULES PROMULGATED UNDER THE ARKANSAS ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT.
SB882	P. Malone	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF A STATE AGENCY TO IMPOSE FEES AND PENALTIES.
SB883	P. Malone	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EMERGENCY RULES PROMULGATED UNDER THE ARKANSAS ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT.
SB886	Elliott	CONCERNING THE HIRING PRACTICES OF CONTRACTORS FOR THE STATE.
SB898	P. Malone	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE REVIEW OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULES BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.
SB905	R. Thompson	TO ESTABLISH A PRIZE-LINKED SAVINGS ACCOUNT PROGRAM OPERATED BY THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZE FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS IN ARKANSAS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PRIZE-LINKED SAVINGS ACCOUNT PROGRAM.
SB907	J. Key	TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION.
SB909	J. Key	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT CONCERNING SCHOLARSHIP AWARD AMOUNTS AND MANAGEMENT OF CERTAIN CAPITAL ASSETS OF THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB916	G. Baker	AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REVIEW CHANGES TO SYSTEMS OF DELIVERY UNDER THE STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM.
SR31	Rapert	CLAIMING STATES' RIGHTS UNDER THE TENTH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.
SB920	S. Flowers	CONCERNING THE USE OF PRIOR CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS AS THE BASIS FOR DENYING A PERSON A STATE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.
SB927	M. Lamoureux	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ACT 70 OF 2011.
SB930	Irvin	TO ALLOW GLOBAL POSITIONING DEVICES ON CERTAIN STATE-OWNED VEHICLES AND TO ALLOW RECORD KEEPING REGARDING TRAVEL IN CERTAIN STATE-OWNED VEHICLES.
SB936	Irvin	TO REGULATE NOTICE TO POLITICAL CANDIDATES CONCERNING RULES OF BALLOT ELIGIBILITY.

SB942	B. Pritchard	TO IDENTIFY AND DEFINE THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS FOR 2011 -- 2020.
SB947	Whitaker	AN ACT REGARDING POSITIONS THAT REQUIRE EFFECTIVE ORAL COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN ENGLISH FOR EMPLOYMENT AT CERTAIN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.
SB949	Irvin	TO CREATE THE PUBLIC PENSION TRANSPARENCY ACT.
SB953	Files	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING QUALITY REVIEWS REQUIRED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY.
SB966	Irvin	THE PUBLIC GRANT DISCLOSURE AND AVAILABILITY ACT.
SB972	Madison	TO ESTABLISH THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS FOR 2011 - 2012.
SB975	Files	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TRANSMISSION OF ELECTION INFORMATION.
SB979	G. Baker	AN ACT REGARDING REAPPORTIONMENT OF STATE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB981	J. Key	TO CHANGE THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS AS A RESULT OF THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL CENSUS DATA.
SB993	D. Johnson	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF STATE-OWNED VEHICLES BY STATE EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS.
SB994	M. Lamoureux	TO REGULATE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST WITH PUBLIC OFFICIALS AND PUBLIC ENTITIES.
SR32	Rapert	ENCOURAGING THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS, AND THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO VOTE TO REPEAL THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND AFFORDABLE CARE ACT.
HB1596	Hyde	TO REQUIRE FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENTS FOR PROPOSED BILLS AMENDING THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT, § 23-115-101 ET SEQ.
SB888	D. Johnson	ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP REVENUE STABILIZATION ACT.
SB871	R. Thompson	TO ESTABLISH THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS BASED UPON THE MOST RECENT CENSUS DATA.
HB1024	English	RELATING TO THE LEAVES OF ABSENCE AND REEMPLOYMENT OF MILITARY PERSONNEL CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY.
HB1446	Williams	TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION.
HB1827	Hammer	CONCERNING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR NEW POLITICAL PARTIES.
HB1998	Pierce	TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING THE LOWERING OF STATE FLAGS WHEN A MEMBER OF THE ARMED SERVICES IS KILLED IN ACTION.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB44	Madison	TO CREATE A STATE IMPORTER PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE AN EXCEPTION TO THE POSSESSION OF UNTAXED INTOXICATING LIQUOR FOR PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN ISSUED A LICENSE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SCR5	J. Hutchinson	URGING THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSAL AND PASSAGE OF A BALANCED BUDGET AMENDMENT.
SB746	M. Lamoureux	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO ALLOW ONLY VOTERS AFFILIATED WITH A POLITICAL PARTY TO VOTE IN THE PRIMARY ELECTIONS OF THAT POLITICAL PARTY AND TO AMEND AMENDMENT 51 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION.
SR30	M. Lamoureux	PETITIONING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PROPOSE FOR SUBMISSION TO THE STATES FOR RATIFICATION AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.