

AGENDA
House Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs
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CALL OF CHAIR
Room 151, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Rep. Clark Hall, Chair
Rep. Mary L. Slinkard, Vice Chair
Rep. Eddie L. Cheatham
Rep. Ed Garner
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Rep. Andrea Lea
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Rep. Jim Nickels
Rep. James McLean
Rep. Tiffany Rogers
Rep. Nate Steel
Rep. John T. Vines

CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENT		
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB2074	Slinkard	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TRANSMISSION OF ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATIONS.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1969	Cheatham	CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS BASED UPON THE MOST RECENT CENSUS DATA.
HB1984	Biviano	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE PROCEDURES FOR VOTING WITH A PAPER BALLOT.
HR1024	Lea	TO URGE THE UNITED STATES CENSUS BUREAU TO PROVIDE REDISTRICTING DATA THAT COUNTS PRISONERS IN A MANNER CONSISTENT WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF "ONE PERSON, ONE VOTE".
HB2013	Pierce	TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 7-2-101 ET SEQ., TO SET OUT THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS FOR THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.
HB2123	T. Steele	TO REQUIRE CERTAIN STATE AGENCIES TO ESTABLISH INTERNSHIP PROGRAMS.
HB2130	Johnston	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ELECTION EXPENSES.
HB2147	Walker	TO REQUIRE A BOARD OR COMMISSION TO SUBMIT INFORMATION ON THE DEMOGRAPHICS OF ITS MEMBERSHIP TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE.
HB2149	Walker	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE APPLICABILITY OF THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967 TO PUBLIC OFFICIALS.
HB2155	Johnston	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE PROCEEDINGS OF A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
HB2093	Shepherd	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING NONPARTISAN ELECTIONS.
SB258	Madison	TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 22 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 CONCERNING PUBLIC PROPERTY.
SB763	D. Johnson	CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES.
HB2145	Walker	TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF STATE AGENCIES.
HB2148	Walker	TO REQUIRE THAT THE GOVERNING BODY OF A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR A PUBLICLY-FUNDED ENTITY HAS A REPRESENTATIVE FORM OF GOVERNMENT.
HB1890	Baird	TO RE-ESTABLISH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

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SB257	Madison	AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 25 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 CONCERNING STATE GOVERNMENT.
HB1039	English	PROVIDING FOR THE REVIEW OF STATE AGENCY PERFORMANCE BY THE JOINT PERFORMANCE REVIEW COMMITTEE TO ENSURE EFFICIENT AND EFFECTIVE AGENCY OPERATIONS.
SB782	M. Lamoureux	TO PROVIDE FOR AN ADDITIONAL CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
HCR1009	Hobbs	STRONGLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO RESOLVE IMMIGRATION POLICY ISSUES OR GIVE STATES THE AUTHORITY TO ADDRESS THOSE ISSUES WITHIN THEIR OWN BORDERS.
HCR1010	Hobbs	CLAIMING STATES' RIGHTS UNDER THE TENTH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES.
HB2020	Hubbard	AN ACT REQUIRING CANDIDATES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO PROVIDE EVIDENCE OF THEIR QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE OFFICE.
HB1836	Hall	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.
SB886	Elliott	CONCERNING THE HIRING PRACTICES OF CONTRACTORS FOR THE STATE.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1005	Sanders	TO CHANGE THE STATE NICKNAME BACK TO "THE LAND OF OPPORTUNITY".
HB1292	Hubbard	TO PROHIBIT ILLEGAL ALIENS FROM RECEIVING ANY STATE BENEFIT EXCEPT IN INSTANCES OF EMERGENCY OR WHEN LIFE-SAVING MEASURES ARE REQUIRED.
HB1409	Carter	TO REQUIRE A CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY JUDGE TO BE A RESIDENT OF THE COUNTY AT THE TIME OF FILING FOR OFFICE.
HB2043	E. Elliott	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PROPERTY USED AS A POLLING SITE.
HB1602	Harris	CONCERNING A REQUEST FOR PUBLIC RECORDS BY A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PERTAINING TO ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
HB1577	Perry	TO MODIFY THE LENGTH OF TIME A PERSON MAY SERVE ON THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION LICENSING BOARD.
HB1834	King	TO PROMOTE FAIR AND COMPETITIVE BIDDING PRACTICES BY AMENDING THE BIDDING PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS FOR STATE AGENCIES.
HB2017	Ingram	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING THE ELECTION OF MEMBERS TO THE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB2019	Hubbard	TO PROVIDE THAT STATE PUBLICATIONS SHALL BE PREPARED EXCLUSIVELY IN ENGLISH.
HB1835	Hall	TO PROVIDE THAT ARKANSAS STATE POLICE OFFICERS SHALL NOT ENTER INTO EMPLOYMENT FOR SERVICES WITH A GOVERNMENTAL BODY WITHIN THE JURISDICTION IN WHICH THEY ARE ASSIGNED.
HB2073	Slinkard	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING WRITE-IN CANDIDATES.
HB2075	Slinkard	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE COUNTING OF ABSENTEE OR EARLY VOTES.
HB2076	Slinkard	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING POLLING PLACES FOR SCHOOL ELECTIONS.
HB1848	T. Steele	TO ESTABLISH THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS BASED UPON THE 2010 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS.
HB1880	Williams	TO ESTABLISH THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS FOR THE STATE OF ARKANSAS BASED UPON THE 2010 FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS.
HB1904	Moore	AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICIALS.
HB1941	Nickels	TO AMEND TITLE 7, CHAPTER 2 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE WITH REGARD TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS.
HB1954	Nickels	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF STATE-OWNED VEHICLES BY STATE EMPLOYEES.
HB1959	King	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING THE FUNDS PAID BY STATE AGENCIES TO THE EMPLOYEE BENEFITS DIVISION FOR BUDGETED UNFILLED POSITIONS AS PART OF THE STATE CONTRIBUTION FOR STATE EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE.
HB2079	Hobbs	AN ACT REGARDING THE REAPPORTIONMENT OF THE FOUR CONGRESSIONAL

DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL CENSUS DATA RECEIVED IN 2011.

HB2095	Powers	AN ACT REGARDING THE FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS AND THE REAPPORTIONMENT OF CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.
HB2110	King	TO REGULATE THE BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT, APPORTIONMENT, AND REDISTRICTING AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB2183	Woods	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS ENTERTAINERS HALL OF FAME.
HB2190	Stubblefield	TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING EARLY VOTING AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB2061	Post	TO REQUIRE AND REGULATE THE USE OF A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK FOR CANDIDATES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE.
HB2077	Slinkard	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SERVICE ON A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
HB2181	Slinkard	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ELECTION LAWS AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB2209	Bell	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF PUBLIC FUNDS TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE BALLOT MEASURES.
HB1885	Lea	TO REVISE ARKANSAS LAW REGARDING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS AS A RESULT OF REAPPORTIONMENT.