Notice of Committee Meeting

Committee on Education

Will meet at:  9:00 am   Date: Wednesday, April 24, 2013

Location: Committee Room 1

Remarks:

*House Bill Nos. 206, 115, 230, 618, and 466: These bills are scheduled for discussion in the morning. The committee will then recess and reconvene upon adjournment of the House Floor proceedings.*

*House Bill Nos. 160, 478, 596, and 644: These bills are scheduled for discussion upon reconvening after adjournment of the House Floor proceedings.*

**HB 206 REYNOLDS**  
SCHOOLS/BOARDS  
Removes geographic limitations on the legislature's authority to create new school boards and on provisions relative to financing education

**HB 115 JAMES**  
SCHOOLS/DISTRICTS  
Provides for parent petitions relative to the transfer of certain schools from the Recovery School District back to the local school system

**HB 230 POPE**  
SCHOOLS/CHOICE  
Provides relative to the definition of "eligible student" for participation in the Student Scholarships for Educational Excellence (voucher) Program

**HB 618 LEOPOLD**  
SCHOOLS/EMPLOYEES  
Provides relative to salary supplements for public school educational diagnosticians

**HB 466 HAVARD**  
EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY  
Provides relative to the assignment of performance-based letter grades to public schools and school districts

*RECESS UNTIL ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS*

**HB 160 REYNOLDS**  
TEACHERS/EVALUATION  
Delays implementation of certain teacher evaluation program requirements and requires legislative approval of the value-added teacher assessment model prior to implementation of the requirements

**HB 478 CHAMPAGNE**  
SCHOOLS/BOARDS  
Provides relative to school board reduction in force policies
HB 596  CARTER  SCHOOLS/BOARDS  Provides relative to powers and duties of local school boards and superintendents

HB 644  WHITNEY  TEACHERS/SALARY SCHEDULE  Provides relative to salaries for teachers and other school and school system employees

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Stephen F. Carter
CHAIRMAN