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Ann Cornwell
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72201-1090

RE: Request for Per Diem Information for Members of the Arkansas Senate

Dear Ms. Cornwell,

I am contacting you on behalf of The Independent Citizen's Commission. The Commission met yesterday to begin its annual review of salaries of elected constitutional officers of the executive department, justices, and judges.

One of the Commission's responsibilities is to oversee "the amounts to be paid to members of the General Assembly for: Per diem, Reimbursement for expenses, and Reimbursement for mileage." The Commission is requesting an expense breakdown for Members of the Senate for the first six months of 2021.

If it is possible, could the Commission get this information before the September 8^{th} Commission meeting?

Best Regards,

Chuck Banks, Chairman