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# INDEPENDENT CITIZENS COMMISSION

# November 17, 2021

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The Independent Citizens Commission met on Wednesday, November 17, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. in room 171 of the State Capitol in Little Rock, Arkansas.

Chairman Banks called the meeting to order with roll call. Commission members present Chairman Banks, Mr. Jonathon Rogers, Mrs. Annabelle Imber Tuck, Mr. Clark Smith, and Phillip Fletcher.

Ms. Melanie Jenkins and Mrs. Dawna Kerr - Auditor of State’s office.

**Consideration of minutes from October 1, 2021**

A motion was made by Justice Imber Tuck and seconded by Mr. Phillip Fletcher to adopt the minutes with no corrections, The motion carried without objection.

**Presentations:**

Mary Garrity with BLR - Commission discussion comparing legislative and judicial salaries, travel and per diem with other states

Dr. Scott Graves with AOC - Commission discussion of duties for Supreme Court Judges, Court of Appeals Judges, Circuit and District Judges and their caseload statistics

Roy Ragland, Chief of Staff and Buddy Johnson, House Parliamentarian - Commission discussion of duties and full benefits afforded by law for Speaker of the House Members

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

**Handouts and complete audio of the meeting can be found at** [**http://citizenscommission.ar.gov**](http://citizenscommission.ar.gov)