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The State Senate
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

Thursday, February 26, 2026

TO: MEMBERS OF THE SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

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Sen. Blake Tillery (19th)
Sen. Ben Watson (1st)

FROM: Senator Brian Strickland, (42nd), *Chairman*
SUBJECT: Judiciary Committee Hearing Notice

DATE: Thursday, February 26th, 2026
TIME: 2:00 PM
PLACE: 307 CLOB

AGENDA:

- **SB 488 (Sen. Ed Setzler, 37th, LC 49 2614) Torts; generative artificial intelligence systems shall constitute personal property for purposes of certain actions for product liability alleging injury to a minor; provide**
- **SB 572 (Sen. Brian Strickland, 42nd, LC 49 2741) Criminal Prosecutions; an additional justification for use of force in defense of self or others; provide**
- **SB 499 (Sen. Frank Ginn, 47th, LC 39 4933) Dangerous Instrumentalities and Practices; prohibition on possessing a silencer; repeal**
- **SB 418 (Sen. Max Burns, 23rd, LC 49 2512) Torts; cause of action against the knowing and unauthorized use of an individual's photograph or image together with representations of nudity or sexually explicit conduct; provide**
- **SR 262 (Sen. Bill Cowsert, 46th, LC 55 0538) Article V of the United States Constitution; a convention of the states; apply**

***The Chairman reserves the right to change the agenda at his discretion**

cc:
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Sen. Steve Gooch, Majority Leader
Sen. Harold Jones, Minority Leader
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