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Charleston, W. Va., Tuesday, February 3, 2015

The Senate met at 11 a.m.

(Senator Cole, Mr. President, in the Chair.)

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Jim Butcher, Madison Baptist Church, Madison, West Virginia.

The Senate was then led in recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance by the Honorable Mark R. Maynard, a senator from the sixth district.

Pending the reading of the Journal of Monday, February 2, 2015,

On motion of Senator Williams, the Journal was approved and the further reading thereof dispensed with.

The Senate proceeded to the second order of business and the introduction of guests.

The Senate then proceeded to the fourth order of business.

Senator Maynard, from the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills has examined, found truly enrolled, and on the 2nd day of February, 2015, presented to His Excellency, the Governor, for his action, the following bill, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Delegates:

(Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 280), Allowing well work permit transfers.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark R. Maynard, Chair, Senate Committee. John B. McCuskey, Chair, House Committee.

Senator M. Hall, from the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Finance has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 157, Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to regulation of heating, venting and cooling work.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass; but under the original triple committee reference first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Hall, *Chair*.

The bill, under the original triple committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Senator M. Hall, from the Committee on Finance, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Finance has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 158, Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to weights and measures calibration fees.

With an amendment from the Committee on Labor pending;

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass as amended by the Committee on Labor to which the bill was first referred; but under the original triple committee reference first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Hall, *Chair*.

The bill, under the original triple committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment from the Committee on Labor pending.

Senator D. Hall, from the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 222, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass; but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall, *Chair*.

The bill, under the original double committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Senator Nohe, from the Committee on Banking and Insurance, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Banking and Insurance has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 248, Requiring certain insurance and owner information be provided following car accident.

And reports back a committee substitute for same with the following title:

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 248 (originating in the Committee on Banking and Insurance)—A Bill to amend and reenact §17C-4-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the duty to give information after a car crash; and requiring person involved in a car crash to provide certain insurance and vehicle owner information and exhibit his or her driver's license.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute do pass; but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

David Nohe, *Chair*.

The bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 248), under the original double committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Senator Trump, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on the Judiciary has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 250, Relating to Conservation Agency financial assistance applications from district supervisors.

And,

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 279, Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that they each do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

Senator Trump, from the Committee on the Judiciary, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on the Judiciary has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 261, Clarifying definition of "owner" of dam.

And reports back a committee substitute for same with the following title:

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 261 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §22-14-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to dams; and clarifying definition of "owner" of dam.

Senate Bill No. 374, Permitting in absentia parole hearings in certain instances.

And reports back a committee substitute for same with the following title:

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 374 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §62-12-13 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to permitting parole hearings to be conducted without the presence of the inmate when a documented medical condition precludes his or her appearance.

And,

Senate Bill No. 375, Specifying who receives parole hearing notices via regular or certified mail.

And reports back a committee substitute for same with the following title:

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 375 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §62-12-23 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to specifying who receives notice of parole hearings via regular or certified mail.

With the recommendation that the three committee substitutes do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

Senator Nohe, from the Committee on Banking and Insurance, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Banking and Insurance has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 283, Relating to branch banking.

And,

Senate Bill No. 292, Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that they each do pass; but under the original double committee references first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

David Nohe,

The bills, under the original double committee references, were then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Senator Nohe, from the Committee on Banking and Insurance, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Banking and Insurance has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 285, Relating to primary and subordinate mortgage loans.

And has amended same.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended; but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

David Nohe, *Chair*.

The bill, under the original double committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, with amendments from the Committee on Banking and Insurance pending.

Senator D. Hall, from the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

Senate Bill No. 304, Relating to farmers markets.

And has amended same.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended; but under the original double committee reference first be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall, *Chair*.

The bill, under the original double committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment from the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development pending.

The Senate proceeded to the sixth order of business.

On motions for leave, severally made, the following bills and joint resolution were introduced, read by their titles, and referred to the appropriate committees:

By Senator Trump:

Senate Bill No. 390—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §24-2-1k, relating to additional duties of the Public Service Commission; authorizing commission to approve expedited cost recovery of natural gas utility infrastructure projects deemed just and reasonable and in the public interest; making findings; establishing application and hearing process; and providing for rulemaking.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senators Walters, Facemire, Kessler, Laird, Mullins, Nohe, Romano and Plymale:

Senate Bill No. 391–A Bill to amend and reenact §21A-6-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §21A-6-18, all relating to domestic violence victims' eligibility for unemployment compensation benefits; removing disqualification for certain victims of domestic violence, sexual offenses or stalking; and requiring training of Workforce West Virginia employees in the nature and dynamics of domestic violence to aid employees who interact with claimants.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senator Plymale:

Senate Bill No. 392—A Bill to amend and reenact §12-3A-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §18B-5-4, §18B-5-6 and §18B-5-7 of said code; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §18B-5-4a, all

relating to public higher education procurement and payment generally; receipting of electronic commerce purchases; purchase or acquisition of materials, supplies, equipment, services and printing at institutions of higher education; construction projects at Marshall University and West Virginia University; design-build procurement at institutions of higher education; and disposition of obsolete and unusable equipment, surplus supplies and other needed materials at institutions of higher education.

Referred to the Committee on Education; and then to the Committee on Finance.

By Senators Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler (By Request of the Executive):

Senate Bill No. 393-A Bill to amend and reenact §49-1-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §49-5-2a, §49-5-3, §49-5-11, §49-5-11a, §49-5-13, §49-5-13a, §49-5-14, §49-5-15, §49-5-17 and §49-5-20 of said code; to amend said code by adding thereto four new sections, designated §49-5-13h, §49-5-13i, §49-5-22 and §49-5-23; to amend and reenact §49-5B-4 and §49-5B-5 of said code; to amend and reenact §49-5D-3 and §49-5D-3c of said code; to amend and reenact §49-5E-2 of said code; and to amend said code by adding thereto two new sections, designated §49-5E-9 and §49-5E-10, all relating generally to juvenile justice reform; defining terms; providing mandatory prepetition diversion process for juveniles who commit status offenses and misdemeanor offenses effective July 1, 2016; establishing prepetition review team; providing that a juvenile may be referred to a truancy diversion specialist prior to filing of petition; permitting court to order completion of community services; requiring court to consider results of risk and needs assessment of the juvenile prior to dispositional proceedings; requiring inclusion of accepted treatment and rehabilitation goals for juveniles in certain findings of fact; providing that a juvenile adjudicated as a status offender may not be placed in out-of-home placement in certain circumstances; providing that a juvenile adjudicated delinquent for a misdemeanor offense may not be

placed in out-of-home placement in certain circumstances; requiring court to issue certain findings of fact if a juvenile is to be placed in a residential facility; providing for standardized screener to conduct a psychological evaluation of the juvenile in certain circumstances; providing that a court shall make all reasonable efforts to keep the juvenile in his or her home; permitting court to include reasonable and relevant orders to parents in its disposition order for a juvenile; providing that juveniles may only be transferred to juvenile diagnostic centers under certain circumstances; authorizing creation of restorative justice programs; establishing individualized case planning; establishing review and modification procedures for probation dispositional orders; Supreme Court of Appeals to develop the community-based juvenile probation sanctions and incentives; requiring aftercare plan for all juvenile out-of-home placements; providing for disclosure of juvenile records to Department of Health and Human Resources social workers for case planning and to the juvenile's family; providing for adoption of risk and needs assessment and validation thereof; providing for aggregate data collection related to outcomes and disproportional minority contact; requiring dedication of a percentage of funding for community services to evidence-based practices; establishing criteria for transition to juvenile's home setting following out-of-home placement; providing for cooperative agreements solely between the Department of Health and Human Resources and private agencies to house status offenders; providing for multidisciplinary team meetings; establishing members multidisciplinary team; providing that multidisciplinary team shall advise court on treatment and rehabilitation goals for the juvenile; providing that multidisciplinary team shall monitor the juvenile's progress; providing that the Director of the Division of Juvenile Services may transfer custody of a juvenile to the Department of Health and Human Resources; establishing community-based youth reporting centers; establishing the Juvenile Justice Reform Oversight Committee; and making technical revisions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senators M. Hall, Carmichael, D. Hall, Miller and Plymale: Senate Bill No. 394—A Bill to amend and reenact §33-6-29 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating generally to motor vehicle insurance policies and coverage provided for rented or leased motor vehicles; clarifying that insured driver of a motor vehicle is

motor vehicles; clarifying that insured driver of a motor vehicle is covered by driver's auto insurance policy when renting or leasing a vehicle; and providing that if the renter of a vehicle does not have auto insurance coverage, the rental or leasing car company is provider of security.

Referred to the Committee on Banking and Insurance; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senators Sypolt, Facemire, Gaunch, Prezioso, Stollings, Plymale, Palumbo and Williams:

Senate Bill No. 395—A Bill to amend and reenact §61-2-9 and §61-2-28 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating generally to crimes against the person; and modifying definitions of "battery" and "domestic battery" to conform with federal laws.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senators Sypolt, Facemire, Gaunch, Prezioso, Stollings, D. Hall, Plymale, Karnes, Palumbo, Romano and Williams:

Senate Bill No. 396—A Bill to amend and reenact §61-2-9 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §61-8B-1 and §61-8B-3 of said code, all relating to crimes against the person; providing that an act of domestic violence or sexual offense by strangling is an aggravated felony offense; and providing criminal penalties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senators Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler (By Request of the Executive):

Senate Bill No. 397—A Bill to repeal §31-18D-1, §31-18D-2, §31-18D-3, §31-18D-4, §31-18D-5, §31-18D-6, §31-18D-7, §31-

18D-8, §31-18D-9, §31-18D-10, §31-18D-11, §31-18D-12, §31-18D-13 and §31-18D-14 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §11-15-4c of said code; to amend and reenact §11-22-2 of said code; to amend and reenact §31-18-3, §31-18-6 and §31-18-22 of said code; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §31-18-20d, all relating to the transfer of certain powers and programs of the West Virginia Affordable Housing Trust Fund to the West Virginia Housing Development Fund; eliminating the West Virginia Affordable Housing Trust Fund and the West Virginia Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Directors; creating Affordable Housing Fund of the West Virginia Housing Development Fund and providing for uses therefor; providing for assessment of fee on all sales by licensed dealers of factory-built homes to be deposited in Affordable Housing Fund of the West Virginia Housing Development Fund; providing for assessment of fee upon the privilege of transferring real estate for consideration to be deposited in the Affordable Housing Fund of the West Virginia Housing Development Fund; defining "Affordable Housing Fund"; authorizing West Virginia Housing Development Fund to provide funding to increase the capacity of nonprofit community housing organizations; providing for uses of funds in Affordable Housing Fund; and providing for disposition of Affordable Housing Fund in the event of termination or dissolution of West Virginia Housing Development Fund.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization; and then to the Committee on Finance.

By Senators Ferns, D. Hall and Stollings:

Senate Bill No. 398—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-27-38 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating generally to health care provider taxes; modifying expiration date for tax rate on eligible acute care hospitals; changing tax rate on eligible acute care hospitals; and providing for disbursement of any funds remaining in the Eligible Acute Care Provider Enhancement Account.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources; and then to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Ferns:

Senate Bill No. 399—A Bill to amend and reenact §16-5G-2 and §16-5G-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to hospitals owned or operated by nonprofit corporations, nonprofit associations or local governmental units; clarifying that these hospitals may have only one governing body whose meetings shall be open to the public; enumerating matters which may be acted upon in executive session; and clarifying and expanding authorization for holding of executive sessions.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senator Ferns:

Senate Bill No. 400—A Bill to amend and reenact §21-3-19 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to exempting certain employers from discriminating against tobacco users.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senator Ferns:

Senate Bill No. 401—A Bill to amend and reenact §49-6-5 and §49-6-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to living arrangements for children in foster care and living arrangements for children sixteen years or older; providing for considerations the court must consider when making a decision regarding planned permanent living arrangements; and setting forth necessary order provisions when the court is considering planned permanent living arrangements.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senator Blair:

Senate Bill No. 402—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-21-51 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to requiring

Tax Commissioner to include on West Virginia personal income tax return a short survey asking taxpayer top three preferences where taxpayer's taxes should be spent and bottom three least preferred preferences where taxpayer's tax dollars are spent.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Senators Walters and Nohe:

Senate Bill No. 403—A Bill to amend and reenact §17A-4A-15 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to liens on vehicles; expanding period of time during which a recorded lien on a vehicle is valid; expanding period of time during which a refiled lien on a vehicle is valid; and clarifying that the lienholder may refile a lien or encumbrance without obtaining the owner's consent.

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senator Walters:

Senate Bill No. 404—A Bill to amend and reenact §5A-6-4c of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to audits of certain government contracts; requiring certain public entities to make routine contract audits; requiring change orders be supported by certain documentation; requiring a twenty-percent retainage on certain contracts; requiring post-audit review be completed on certain contracts; and requiring retainage amounts not paid to vendors be deposited in the state's general revenue account.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization; and then to the Committee on Finance.

By Senator Walters:

Senate Bill No. 405—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §15-2-24c, relating to authorizing qualified entities, as defined by this section, to access criminal history information provided by the Criminal Identification Bureau for use only for the purpose of

screening employees, foster parents, adoptive parents and volunteers or persons applying to be an employee, foster parent, adoptive parent or volunteer with a qualified entity.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Senators Trump, D. Hall, Plymale and Prezioso:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of West Virginia, amending section one-b, article X thereof, relating to exempting veterans who are one hundred percent disabled from paying ad valorem real property taxes; numbering and designating such proposed amendment; and providing a summarized statement of the purpose of such proposed amendment.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Blair, Trump, Unger, Plymale and Williams offered the following resolution:

Senate Resolution No. 20—Congratulating Dr. Allen Glasgow of Hampshire County, West Virginia, upon being selected as West Virginia's 2015 Outstanding Tree Farmer.

Whereas, Dr. Allen Glasgow made a formal commitment to sound forest management practices in 1983 by enrolling in the West Virginia Tree Farm Program; and

Whereas, Over the years, Dr. Allen Glasgow and his wife Mary have created Turkey Run Tree Farm, a 241-acre property on the Cacapon River in the northeastern corner of Hampshire County, West Virginia; and

Whereas, From the very beginning, Dr. Allen Glasgow's passion has been to plant trees that would benefit the wildlife and produce a source of income in the future, planting paulownia, chestnuts, crabapples, pears, ash, yellow poplars and other species at the rate of about 300 trees per year; and

Whereas, Dr. Allen Glasgow is committed to the long-term productivity of his property by performing sustainable hardwood forest management through selective timber harvests, timber stand improvement thinning, wildlife habitat improvement practices, improved road access and water resource enhancement practices; and

Whereas, Dr. Allen Glasgow's Tree Farm is enrolled in the American Tree Farm System and he receives professional forest management assistance from Verso and FMA forester Jeffrey Bracken; and

Whereas, For his hard work, dedication and commitment to cultivating a successful tree farm, Dr. Allen Glasgow was selected as the 2015 West Virginia Outstanding Tree Farmer by the West Virginia Tree Farm Committee and its state sponsor, the West Virginia Forestry Association; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate:

That the Senate hereby congratulates Dr. Allen Glasgow of Hampshire County, West Virginia, upon being selected as West Virginia's 2015 Outstanding Tree Farmer; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Senate commends Dr. Allen Glasgow for his outstanding achievement and extends its sincere gratitude and appreciation for his determination in creating a successful West Virginia business; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to Dr. Allen Glasgow.

At the request of Senator Trump, unanimous consent being granted, the resolution was taken up for immediate consideration, reference to a committee dispensed with, and adopted.

On motion of Senator Carmichael, the Senate recessed for one minute

Upon expiration of the recess, the Senate reconvened and proceeded to the eighth order of business.

Eng. Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 175, Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rules.

On third reading, coming up in regular order, was read a third time and put upon its passage.

On the passage of the bill, the yeas were: Beach, Blair, Boley, Boso, Carmichael, Facemire, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Laird, Leonhardt, Maynard, Miller, Mullins, Nohe, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Unger, Walters, Williams, Woelfel and Cole (Mr. President)–33.

The nays were: None.

Absent: Yost-1.

So, a majority of all the members present and voting having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 175) passed with its title.

Senator Carmichael moved that the bill take effect from passage.

On this question, the yeas were: Beach, Blair, Boley, Boso, Carmichael, Facemire, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Laird, Leonhardt, Maynard, Miller, Mullins, Nohe, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Unger, Walters, Williams, Woelfel and Cole (Mr. President)–33.

The nays were: None.

Absent: Yost-1.

So, two thirds of all the members elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 175) takes effect from passage.

Ordered, That The Clerk communicate to the House of Delegates the action of the Senate and request concurrence therein.

Eng. Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 249, Prohibiting straight party voting.

On third reading, coming up in regular order, was read a third time and put upon its passage.

Pending discussion,

The question being "Shall Engrossed Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 249 pass?"

On the passage of the bill, the yeas were: Beach, Blair, Boley, Boso, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Snyder, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Unger, Walters, Williams and Cole (Mr. President)–25.

The nays were: Facemire, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Laird, Miller, Romano, Stollings and Woelfel–8.

Absent: Yost-1.

So, a majority of all the members present and voting having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 249) passed with its title.

Ordered, That The Clerk communicate to the House of Delegates the action of the Senate and request concurrence therein.

The Senate proceeded to the ninth order of business.

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 284, Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms.

On second reading, coming up in regular order, was read a second time.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, and by unanimous consent, the bill was advanced to third reading with the right for amendments to be considered on that reading.

Senate Bill No. 312, Relating to disqualification of general election nominees for failure to file campaign finance statements.

On second reading, coming up in regular order, was read a second time and ordered to engrossment and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 318, Relating to payment of wages by employers.

On second reading, coming up in regular order, was read a second time and ordered to engrossment and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 322, Eliminating mandatory electronic recount of ballots in recounts.

On second reading, coming up in regular order, was read a second time and ordered to engrossment and third reading.

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 323, Relating to municipal home rule.

On second reading, coming up in regular order, was read a second time and ordered to engrossment and third reading.

Senate Bill No. 326, Eliminating campaign finance reporting by candidates for delegate to national convention.

On second reading, coming up in regular order, was read a second time and ordered to engrossment and third reading.

The Senate proceeded to the tenth order of business.

Senate Bill No. 389, Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements.

On first reading, coming up in regular order, was read a first time and ordered to second reading.

The Senate proceeded to the eleventh order of business and the introduction of guests.

On motion of Senator Carmichael, a leave of absence for the day was granted Senator Yost.

Pending announcement of meetings of standing committees of the Senate.

On motion of Senator Carmichael, the Senate adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, February 4, 2015, at 11 a.m.

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- Exempting water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction.
- 239. Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees.
- Eliminating certain boards, councils, committees, panels, task forces and commissions.
- Eliminating certain unnecessary, inactive or redundant councils, committees and boards.
- Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees.
- Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements.

CHILD WELFARE:

- 67. Establishing child support insurance match program.
- 68. Creating Healthy Children and Healthy Communities Act.
- 78. Relating to compilation and availability of birth parents' nonidentifying social and medical histories prior to adoption.
- Increasing compensation for public defenders in child abuse and neglect proceedings.
- 253. Recodifying chapter relating to child welfare and juvenile disposition.
- 263. Requiring court-appointed special advocate in all counties.
- 359. Relating to suicide prevention awareness.
- 387. Creating Task Force on Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children.
- 393. Reforming juvenile justice system.
- 401. Relating to living arrangements for children in foster care and children sixteen years or older.
- 405. Authorizing qualified entities access to Criminal Identification Bureau for certain purposes.

CLAIMS:

- 363. Establishing maximum rates and service limitations for reimbursement of health care services by Court of Claims.
- 382. Declaring claims against state.

CODE REPEALED:

1. Repealing Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act; creating net metering of customer-generators.

- 41. Repealing article authorizing roadside memorial markers.
- 94. Establishing driver's license restoration program.
- 239. Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees.
- 247. Repealing Dangerous Wild Animals Act.
- 255. Eliminating certain boards, councils, committees, panels, task forces and commissions.
- 267. Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning.
- 333. Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence.
- 336. Relating to powers and duties of Health Care Authority.
- 347. Creating Firearms Act of 2015.
- 360. Repealing code sections relating to book indexes and claims reports required by court clerks.
- Repealing code sections relating to prevailing hourly wage requirement for construction of public improvements.
- 369. Repealing code sections relating to mandatory state motor vehicle inspections.

CONSUMER PROTECTION:

- 315. Relating to civil actions filed under Consumer Protection Act.
- 321. Creating Paycheck Protection Act.

CONTRACTS:

44. Lowering threshold for low bidder's duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts.

CORRECTIONS:

- 115. Increasing annual salary of Division of Corrections employees.
- 124. Redistributing and dedicating excise tax on real property transfers to regional jails.
- 309. Authorizing Corrections Commissioner to enter into mutual aid agreements.
- Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees.
- 374. Permitting in absentia parole hearings in certain instances.
- 375. Specifying who receives parole hearing notices via regular or certified mail.

COUNTIES:

- 27. Relating to county solid waste disposal fees; exemption.
- 29. Allowing county employee to run for vacant office without resigning.
- 113. Permitting counties impose property levy for public library funding.
- 258. Creating Letting Our Counties Act Locally Act.
- 329. Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality.
- 333. Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence.
- Exempting certain solid waste common carriers from obtaining certificate of convenience and necessity.
- 367. Authorizing recalculation of base tax revenue amount for sales tax increment financing districts.

384. Permitting wine or alcoholic beverage sales by specialty shop located in dry county.

COURTS:

- 10. Requiring nonpartisan election of judges and magistrates.
- 36. Correcting code reference regarding certain court personnel completing handgun safety requirements before carrying concealed handgun.
- 43. Limiting tolling of statute of limitations for third-party complaints.
- 63. Redefining facilities eligible for funding assistance from Courthouse Facilities Improvement Authority.
- 65. Authorizing additional circuit court judge.
- 70. Authorizing additional family court judge.
- 129. Establishing Intermediate Court of Appeals.
- 134. Creating Civil Justice Reform Act of 2015.
- 263. Requiring court-appointed special advocate in all counties.
- 272. Decreasing number of jurors on municipal jury.
- 281. Creating system of judicial sale of tax liens.
- 306. Establishing Intermediate Court of Appeals.
- 308. Changing minimum interest rate paid on judgments or decrees.
- 345. Relating to jury selection strikes in felony cases.
- 358. Requiring court issue divorce certificate reflecting name change.
- 360. Repealing code sections relating to book indexes and claims reports required by court clerks.

CRIMES:

- 31. Relating to bailpiece surety.
- 59. Creating felony offense of knowingly leaving crash scene resulting in serious bodily injury.
- Increasing penalty for illegally transporting certain controlled substances into state.
- 117. Creating felony offense of DUI causing serious bodily injury.
- 139. Creating misdemeanor offense of impersonating Commission on Special Investigations representative.
- 242. Creating criminal penalties for automated telephone calls causing harm during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 345. Relating to jury selection strikes in felony cases.
- 350. Establishing criminal penalties for assault or battery on utility workers.
- 395. Modifying definitions of "battery" and "domestic battery".
- 396. Providing felony offense of domestic violence or sexual offense by strangling.

DISABILITIES:

- 246. Establishing grandfather exemption requiring certain School for Deaf and Blind child care workers hold associate's degree.
- Making Schools for Deaf and Blind eligible for School Building Authority funding.
- 299. Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments.

DOMESTIC RELATIONS:

67. Establishing child support insurance match program.

- Increasing grandparents' rights in custodial or decision-making authority and visitation matters.
- 358. Requiring court issue divorce certificate reflecting name change.

DRUGS AND DRUG PARAPHERNALIA:

- Allowing law enforcement and emergency service personnel possess opioid antagonists.
- 16. Relating to specialty drugs.
- 18. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.
- Revising fees for manufacturer, distributor, dispenser and researcher of controlled substances.
- 72. Establishing additional circumstances requiring miner certification suspension or revocation for substance abuse violations.
- 81. Increasing penalty for illegally transporting certain controlled substances into state.
- Relating to mandatory drug testing of legislators and certain recipients of federal and state funds.
- 230. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.
- Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 335. Creating Access to Opioid Antagonists Act.
- 348. Creating pilot program for drug screening of cash assistance applicants.
- Limiting civil liability of pharmaceutical manufacturers or sellers providing warning to learned intermediary.

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:

- 55. Creating Keep Jobs in WV Act.
- 135. Creating Creative Communities Development Act.
- 282. Relating to National Coal Heritage Area Authority.
- 338. Relating to Film Industry Investment tax credit.
- 367. Authorizing recalculation of base tax revenue amount for sales tax increment financing districts.

EDUCATION:

- 5. Creating teacher corps program.
- 7. Requiring CPR and care for conscious choking instruction in public schools.
- 14. Creating Public Charter Schools Act of 2015.
- 19. Specifying minimum early childhood education program instruction days.
- 25. Relating to implementation of Common Core standards and assessments.
- 33. Decreasing teacher-pupil ratios; increasing certain classroom aides' pay.
- 46. Allowing temporary reassignment of injured or ill school service personnel.
- 62. Requiring Department of Education provide professional development opportunities for dyslexia.
- 69. Requiring public school screening for dyslexia.
- 73. Establishing cook-meal ratios for full-day and half-day school cooks.
- 82. Requiring SSAC promulgate rules allowing college preparatory team membership.
- 132. Reducing school nurse staffing ratio.

- 238. Exempting county boards of education from liability arising from unorganized recreation.
- 243. Relating to school nutrition standards during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 246. Establishing grandfather exemption requiring certain School for Deaf and Blind child care workers hold associate's degree.
- Making Schools for Deaf and Blind eligible for School Building Authority funding.
- 256. Increasing number of student unexcused absences before taking action against parent.
- 257. Relating to improving middle grades education.
- 287. Providing posthumous high school diplomas.
- 288. Relating to public school financing.
- 296. Providing maximum licensed school psychologist-pupil ratio.
- Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund.
- 354. Creating Rehabilitation Services Vending Program Fund.
- 359. Relating to suicide prevention awareness.
- 362. Relating to public school curricular standards and assessments.

EDUCATION-HIGHER:

- Requiring legislative rule establishing level for higher education capital project spending project approval.
- 137. Exempting HEPC and CCTCS and member institutions from WVOASIS.
- 392. Relating to public higher education procurement and payment of expenses.

ELECTED OFFICIALS:

- 24. Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.
- 291. Clarifying power of Attorney General to contract for outside legal services.
- 316. Exempting veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State.
- 319. Relating to donation of Secretary of State overpayment fees.
- 320. Standardizing notification process for revocation of certificates of authority.
- 328. Repealing code section relating to notary public fees.
- Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence.
- 351. Relating to charitable organization contribution levels requiring independent audit reports.

ELECTIONS:

- 10. Requiring nonpartisan election of judges and magistrates.
- 71. Requiring filing fee for write-in candidate for public office.
- 249. Prohibiting straight party voting.
- 312. Relating to disqualification of general election nominees for failure to file campaign finance statements.
- 322. Eliminating mandatory electronic recount of ballots in recounts.
- 325. Relating to filing of candidates' financial disclosure statements.
- Eliminating campaign finance reporting by candidates for delegate to national convention.

- 331. Relating to withdrawals and filling vacancies in candidacies.
- 340. Requiring voter provide photo ID.

EMERGENCY SERVICES:

- Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.

ENERGY:

- Repealing Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act; creating net metering of customer-generators.
- 116. Relating to solar renewable energy credits.
- 130. Reinstituting residential solar energy tax credit.
- 280. Allowing well work permit transfers.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:

- 4. Relating to development of state plan under Clean Air Act.
- 280. Allowing well work permit transfers.
- 352. Exempting certain solid waste common carriers from obtaining certificate of convenience and necessity.

ESTATES AND TRUSTS:

376. Relating to administration of estates.

ETHICS:

- Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.
- 325. Relating to filing of candidates' financial disclosure statements.
- 333. Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence.

FIRE FIGHTING AND PREVENTION:

- 50. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for firefighters; other provisions.
- 119. Relating to meeting and conference rights for police or fire departments.
- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.
- 301. Modifying definition of "member" in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.

FIREARMS:

- 35. Permitting carrying of concealed weapons without license.
- 36. Correcting code reference regarding certain court personnel completing handgun safety requirements before carrying concealed handgun.
- 40. Clarifying circumstances when person may possess certain firearms during outdoor recreational activities.
- 118. Permitting certain loaded firearms in motor vehicles on Capitol Complex grounds.
- 275. Relating to confidentiality of concealed weapon permit applicants' information.
- 284. Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms.
- 347. Creating Firearms Act of 2015.

FOOD AND FOOD SERVICES:

60. Requiring food handler examinations and cards.

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION:

275. Relating to confidentiality of concealed weapon permit applicants' information.

FUNDS:

- 111. Redistributing portion of net racetrack video lottery terminal income dedicated to Development Office Promotion Fund.
- 133. Establishing Fund for Civil Legal Services for Low-Income Persons.
- 235. Creating Hatfield-McCov Regional Recreation Authority Fund.
- Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation
 Debt Service Fund.
- 265. Reducing distribution of excess lottery proceeds to Infrastructure Fund; increasing funds available for grants.
- 268. Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads.
- 298. Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund.
- Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund.
- 349. Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund.
- 354. Creating Rehabilitation Services Vending Program Fund.
- 379. Creating State Infrastructure Bank Program.
- 380. Relating to when Future Fund deposits are made.
- 381. Creating State Police 100th Anniversary Fund.
- 397. Transferring powers and duties of Affordable Housing Trust Fund to Housing Development Fund.

GAMING ACTIVITIES:

 Redistributing portion of net racetrack video lottery terminal income dedicated to Development Office Promotion Fund.

GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES:

- Requiring Legislative Auditor conduct performance reviews and audits for all spending units.
- Lowering threshold for low bidder's duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts.
- 76. Creating Equal Pay Coordinator within Division of Personnel.
- 96. Relating to selection of state agency administrative hearing examiners.
- 260. Providing purchases of state materials, supplies, equipment, etc., be made in US.
- 317. Relating to insurance coverage on state buildings and contents.

GOVERNOR-BILLS REQUESTED BY:

- 233. Budget Bill.
- 240. Updating terms in Personal Income Tax Act.
- 241. Updating terms in Corporation Net Income Tax Act.
- 242. Creating criminal penalties for automated telephone calls causing harm during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 243. Relating to school nutrition standards during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.
- 255. Eliminating certain boards, councils, committees, panels, task forces and commissions.

- 262. Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR.
- 264. Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund.
- 265. Reducing distribution of excess lottery proceeds to Infrastructure Fund; increasing funds available for grants.
- 266. Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials.
- Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning.
- 268. Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads.
- 273. Relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations.
- 274. Relating to TANF program.
- 288. Relating to public school financing.
- Eliminating certain unnecessary, inactive or redundant councils, committees and boards.
- Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund.
- 335. Creating Access to Opioid Antagonists Act.
- Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees.
- 393. Reforming juvenile justice system.

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS:

27. Relating to county solid waste disposal fees; exemption.

HEALTH:

- 6. Relating to medical professional liability.
- 7. Requiring CPR and care for conscious choking instruction in public schools.
- 20. Allowing public health agencies to bill patients for STD and HIV testing.
- Expanding prescriptive authority of advanced nurse practitioners and certified nurse-midwives.
- 48. Modifying health care guidelines for reasonable, necessary medical treatment for injured workers.
- 58. Relating to delivery of workers' compensation medical benefits to injured workers.
- 64. Providing exemption from moratorium on skilled nursing beds for specialty skilled nursing beds.
- 84. Redefining "third-party administrator" to include pharmacy benefits managers.
- 120. Recodifying laws relating to DHHR and Bureau for Medical Services.
- 132. Reducing school nurse staffing ratio.
- 232. Providing for expedited partner therapy.
- 244. Creating Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act.
- 262. Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR.
- 267. Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning.

- 270. Amending criteria for pain management clinic designation.
- 277. Requiring issuance of certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth.
- 286. Relating to compulsory immunizations of students; exemptions.
- 295. Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions.
- 334. Relating to practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry.
- 336. Relating to powers and duties of Health Care Authority.
- 343. Exempting chiropractors from continuing education requirement on mental health conditions common to veterans.
- 348. Creating pilot program for drug screening of cash assistance applicants.
- 359. Relating to suicide prevention awareness.
- 368. Relating to risk-based capital reporting for health organizations.
- 386. Excluding mobile x-ray services from health care provider tax.
- 398. Extending expiration date for health care provider tax on eligible acute care hospitals.
- 399. Relating to hospitals owned or operated by nonprofit corporations or associations or local governmental units.

HUMAN SERVICES:

- 274. Relating to TANF program.
- 295. Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions.

INFRASTRUCTURE:

- Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation
 Debt Service Fund.
- 390. Authorizing PSC approve expedited cost recovery of natural gas utility infrastructure projects.

INSURANCE-HEALTH:

- 28. Requiring health insurance coverage for certain nonnarcotic pain relief systems.
- 97. Relating to air-ambulance fees paid by PEIA.
- 236. Limiting health insurance coverage for elective abortions to supplemental policies.
- 289. Prohibiting insurance plans from charging higher copays, deductibles or coinsurance for certain cancer treatments.
- 366. Creating Patient Protection and Transparency Act.

INSURANCE-MOTOR VEHICLES:

- 32. Requiring certain percentage of insurance claims be performed by resident adjuster.
- Requiring certain insurance and owner information be provided following car accident.
- 373. Allowing wireless communication image serve as proof of motor vehicle insurance.
- 394. Relating to insurance coverage for rented or leased vehicles when driver has no coverage.

INTERIM STUDIES:

140. Amending State Administrative Procedures Act.

- 230. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.
- Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 232. Providing for expedited partner therapy.
- 239. Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees.
- 244. Creating Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act.
- 304. Relating to farmers markets.
- 359. Relating to suicide prevention awareness.

LABOR:

- 11. Relating to workers' compensation disbursements when injury is self inflicted or intentional; permitting recovery in private suit.
- 12. Relating to payment of separated employee's outstanding wages.
- 48. Modifying health care guidelines for reasonable, necessary medical treatment for injured workers.
- 49. Providing liberal weighing of evidence in workers' compensation claims.
- 50. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for firefighters; other provisions.
- 51. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for occupational pneumoconiosis.
- Declaring remedial component of workers' compensation laws receive liberal construction.
- 57. Relating to classification and criteria for disability benefits.
- Relating to delivery of workers' compensation medical benefits to injured workers.
- 74. Requiring employee be paid workers' compensation maximum temporary total disability benefits for lost time without penalty.
- 80. Creating State Labor Relations Act.
- 88. Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act.
- 100. Establishing prevailing hourly rates for construction of public improvements.
- 102. Extending period that terminated employees' wages must be paid.
- 105. Disqualifying unemployment benefits for time not worked because of strike.
- 245. Repealing requirement for prevailing wage payment for public improvement construction.
- 251. Modifying private cause of action for deliberate intention workers' compensation claims.
- 279. Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner.
- 307. Creating Paycheck Protection Act.
- 314. Authorizing indemnity settlement in occupational pneumoconiosis claims.
- 318. Relating to payment of wages by employers.
- 337. Creating workplace freedom act.
- 344. Relating to limitations on compensatory and punitive damages in employment claims.
- 361. Repealing code sections relating to prevailing hourly wage requirement for construction of public improvements.
- 400. Exempting certain employers from discriminating against tobacco users.
- 405. Authorizing qualified entities access to Criminal Identification Bureau for certain purposes.

LAW ENFORCEMENT:

- Allowing law enforcement and emergency service personnel possess opioid antagonists.
- 92. Providing salary increase for natural resources police officers.
- 114. Requiring municipal police officers wear armor vest.
- 119. Relating to meeting and conference rights for police or fire departments.
- 231. Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.
- 284. Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms.
- 299. Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments.
- 301. Modifying definition of "member" in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.
- 353. Transferring motor vehicle inspection program to State Police Superintendent.
- 364. Exempting State Police Forensic Laboratory from state purchasing guidelines.
- 381. Creating State Police 100th Anniversary Fund.
- 405. Authorizing qualified entities access to Criminal Identification Bureau for certain purposes.

LEGISLATURE:

- 15. Requiring Legislative Auditor conduct performance reviews and audits for all spending units.
- Relating to mandatory drug testing of legislators and certain recipients of federal and state funds.
- 112. Requiring legislative rule establishing level for higher education capital project spending project approval.
- Creating misdemeanor offense of impersonating Commission on Special Investigations representative.

LEGISLATURE-RULE MAKING:

- 140. Amending State Administrative Procedures Act.
- 141. Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to state-owned vehicles.
- 142. Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to Purchasing Division.
- 143. Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to operation plan for State Agency for Surplus Property.
- 144. Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to refund, reinstatement, retroactive service, loan and employer error interest factors.
- 145. Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System.
- 146. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to defining terms used in hunting and trapping rules.
- 147. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to hunting, trapping and fishing license and stamp fees.
- 148. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to general hunting.

- 149. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to lifetime hunting, trapping and fishing licenses.
- 150. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to wildlife damage control agents.
- 151. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to special boating.
- 152. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to commercial whitewater outfitters.
- 153. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to Amusement Rides and Amusement Attractions Safety Act.
- Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to child labor.
- 155. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to supervision of plumbing work.
- 156. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to verification of legal employment status.
- 157. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to regulation of heating, venting and cooling work.
- 158. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to weights and measures calibration fees.
- Authorizing Division of Forestry promulgate legislative rule relating to ginseng.
- 160. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to Stream Partners Program grants.
- 161. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to hazardous waste management system.
- 162. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to control of air pollution from hazardous waste treatment, storage and disposal facilities.
- 163. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to standards of performance for new stationary sources.
- 164. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to permits for construction and major modification of major stationary sources for prevention of significant deterioration of air quality.
- 165. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to waste management.
- Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to WV/NPDES rule for coal mining facilities.
- 167. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards.
- 168. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to emission standards for hazardous air pollutants.
- 169. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements for operating permits.
- 170. Authorizing OMHST promulgate legislative rule relating to employee safety in and around quarries.
- 171. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to chronic pain management clinic licensure.

- 172. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to Fatality and Mortality Review Team.
- 173. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to medication administration and performance of health maintenance tasks by approved medication assistive personnel.
- 174. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nurse aid abuse and neglect registry.
- 175. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rules.
- 176. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nursing home licensure.
- 177. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to statewide trauma/emergency care system.
- 178. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to domestic violence program licensure standards.
- 179. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to Monitored Parenting and Exchange Program certification.
- 180. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to board operation.
- 181. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure for correctional institutions.
- Authorizing State Police promulgate legislative rule relating to DNA databank regulations and procedures.
- 183. Authorizing Office of Technology promulgate legislative rule relating to sanitization, retirement and disposition of equipment.
- 184. Authorizing State Fire Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to volunteer firefighters' training, equipment and operating standards.
- 185. Authorizing State Fire Marshal promulgate legislative rule relating to fire protection work supervision.
- 186. Authorizing Tax Department promulgate legislative rule relating to appointment of special assessors.
- 187. Authorizing Racing Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to thoroughbred racing.
- 188. Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to using mortality tables to determine reserve liabilities for annuities.
- 189. Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure.
- 190. Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to nonintoxicating beer licensing and operations procedures.
- 191. Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to private club licensing.
- 192. Authorizing DMV promulgate legislative rule relating to examination and issuance of driver's licenses.
- 193. Authorizing Office of Administrative Hearings promulgate legislative rule relating to appeal procedures.

- 194. Authorizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction promulgate legislative rule relating to law-enforcement training and certification standards.
- 195. Authorizing Conservation Committee promulgate legislative rule relating to financial assistance programs.
- 196. Authorizing Real Estate Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board promulgate legislative rule relating to registration and renewal of appraisal management companies.
- 197. Authorizing Board of Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures; continuing education; physician assistants.
- 198. Authorizing Enterprise Resource Planning Board promulgate legislative rule relating to user fee.
- 199. Authorizing Board of Registration for Professional Engineers promulgate legislative rule relating to examination, licensure and practice.
- 200. Authorizing Board of Physical Therapy promulgate legislative rule relating to fees for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants.
- Authorizing Board of Osteopathy promulgate legislative rule relating to board fees.
- 202. Authorizing Board of Osteopathic Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to osteopathic physician assistants.
- Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to immunizations administered by pharmacists.
- 204. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to pharmacy technician registration.
- 205. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to controlled substances monitoring.
- 206. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of professional limited liability companies.
- 207. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to board.
- 208. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to dental recovery networks.
- 209. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of dental corporations and dental practice ownership.
- Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to frozen desserts and imitation frozen desserts.
- 211. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to animal disease control.
- 212. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to auctioneers.
- Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Pesticide Control Act of 1990 fee structure.
- Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Plant Pest Act.

- Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to meat and poultry inspection.
- 216. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Spay Neuter Assistance Program.
- 217. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to livestock care standards.
- 218. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities.
- 219. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program.
- 220. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation.
- 221. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to industrial hemp.
- 222. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals.
- 223. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure and practice of pharmacy.
- 224. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to election recount procedures.
- 225. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to electronic notarization standards and guidelines.
- Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to notaries public.
- 227. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to schedule of fees for notaries public.
- 228. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure.
- 229. Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to service credit for accrued and unused sick and annual leave.
- 341. Permitting Agriculture Commissioner approve and submit Livestock Care Standards Board rules.
- 355. Relating to quality control procedure for agency rules.

LEVIES:

113. Permitting counties impose property levy for public library funding.

LIABILITY:

- 3. Relating to real property possessor's liability for trespasser harm.
- 6. Relating to medical professional liability.
- 13. Reinstating open and obvious doctrine for premises liability.
- 38. Relating to apportionment of damages in tortious conduct actions.
- 134. Creating Civil Justice Reform Act of 2015.
- 136. Limiting certain public parks and recreation liability.
- 238. Exempting county boards of education from liability arising from unorganized recreation.

LIBRARIES:

113. Permitting counties impose property levy for public library funding.

LIENS:

- 281. Creating system of judicial sale of tax liens.
- 403. Increasing period during which motor vehicle lien is valid.

MILITARY AFFAIRS:

- Providing National Guard and reserve members campground rental discount in state parks.
- 53. Exempting military, National Guard and reserve income from state income taxes
- 75. Legalizing and regulating sale of fireworks; establishing WV Veterans Program Fund
- 77. Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel.
- 79. Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel.
- 85. Increasing tax exemption for military, National Guard and reserve retirement income.
- 109. Exempting certain veterans' organizations and active duty military organizations from indoor smoking rules.
- 122. Adopting federal definition for disabled veterans' preference in civil service hiring and state contract vendor bidding.
- 300. Relating to military service credit for PERS members.
- 316. Exempting veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State.
- 346. Creating Mental Health, Veterans and Service Members Court Act.

MINES AND MINERALS:

- 51. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for occupational pneumoconiosis.
- 72. Establishing additional circumstances requiring miner certification suspension or revocation for substance abuse violations.
- 339. Reducing additional severance tax on coal.
- 357. Creating Coal Jobs and Safety Act of 2015.

MISCELLANEOUS:

- 75. Legalizing and regulating sale of fireworks; establishing WV Veterans Program Fund.
- 110. Relating to purchase, possession, sale and use of fireworks.
- 125. Prohibiting discrimination based on age or sexual orientation.

MOTOR VEHICLES:

- 17. Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area.
- 59. Creating felony offense of knowingly leaving crash scene resulting in serious bodily injury.
- 87. Relating to standards for conversion and retrofits of alternative-fuel motor vehicles
- 91. Creating amnesty program for certain drivers with suspended licenses.
- 94. Establishing driver's license restoration program.

- 107. Relating to disclaimer of warranties for used motor vehicles.
- 118. Permitting certain loaded firearms in motor vehicles on Capitol Complex grounds.
- 259. Relating to examination, licensing and endorsement requirements for autocycles.
- 293. Increasing fees for certain DMV services and documents.
- 353. Transferring motor vehicle inspection program to State Police Superintendent.
- 356. Providing motorcycle helmet exemption for certain cyclists.
- 369. Repealing code sections relating to mandatory state motor vehicle inspections.
- 403. Increasing period during which motor vehicle lien is valid.

MUNICIPALITIES:

- 114. Requiring municipal police officers wear armor vest.
- 272. Decreasing number of jurors on municipal jury.
- 323. Relating to municipal home rule.
- 324. Increasing number of participants in Home Rule Pilot Program.
- 329. Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality.

NATURAL RESOURCES:

- 77. Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel.
- 79. Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel.
- 92. Providing salary increase for natural resources police officers.
- 138. Relating to posting of property to prohibit hunting or trespassing.
- 261. Clarifying definition of "owner" of dam.
- 276. Terminating severance tax on timber.
- 278. Relating to lawful and unlawful methods of hunting.
- 311. Changing Coopers Rock State Forest to Coopers Rock State Park.
- Requiring public hearing prior to fee simple transfer of real property to or from DNR and Division of Forestry.
- 383. Permitting hunting or trapping on private lands on Sundays.

PARKS AND RECREATION:

- 47. Providing National Guard and reserve members campground rental discount in state parks.
- 90. Promoting development of corporate sponsorships for state parks and recreational areas.
- 136. Limiting certain public parks and recreation liability.
- 311. Changing Coopers Rock State Forest to Coopers Rock State Park.

PORNOGRAPHY:

128. Revising definition of "obscene matter".

PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS:

- Expanding prescriptive authority of advanced nurse practitioners and certified nurse-midwives.
- 22. Relating to Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses membership.

- 83. Relating to funeral service and embalmer licenses.
- 106. Excepting professional engineer member from sanitary board when project engineer is under contract.
- 126. Relating to practice of psychology.
- 334. Relating to practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry.
- 343. Exempting chiropractors from continuing education requirement on mental health conditions common to veterans.
- 378. Relicensing electricians without retesting under certain circumstances.
- Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements.

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES:

- Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.
- 29. Allowing county employee to run for vacant office without resigning.
- 52. Providing state employee uniforms be manufactured in United States.
- 115. Increasing annual salary of Division of Corrections employees.
- 122. Adopting federal definition for disabled veterans' preference in civil service hiring and state contract vendor bidding.
- 302. Relating to state retirement plans.
- 305. Relating to state retirement system participation and concurrent employment provisions.
- 342. Clarifying scope, application and methods for corrections by CPRB.

REAL PROPERTY:

- 3. Relating to real property possessor's liability for trespasser harm.
- 45. Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes.
- 124. Redistributing and dedicating excise tax on real property transfers to regional iails.
- 138. Relating to posting of property to prohibit hunting or trespassing.
- 269. Creating flood zone homestead property tax exemption.
- 285. Relating to primary and subordinate mortgage loans.
- 329. Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality.

REGULATION OF TRADE:

- 123. Exempting motor fuel sales from unfair trade practices.
- 385. Relating to regulation of transportation network companies.

RETIREMENT:

- 298. Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund.
- 299. Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments.
- 300. Relating to military service credit for PERS members.
- 301. Modifying definition of "member" in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.
- 302. Relating to state retirement plans.
- 305. Relating to state retirement system participation and concurrent employment provisions.

342. Clarifying scope, application and methods for corrections by CPRB.

ROADS AND HIGHWAYS:

- 41. Repealing article authorizing roadside memorial markers.
- 54. Requiring certification of state bridge paint applicators.
- 379. Creating State Infrastructure Bank Program.

SAFETY:

356. Providing motorcycle helmet exemption for certain cyclists.

TAXATION:

- 34. Exempting certain precious metals sales from consumers' sales tax.
- Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes.
- Exempting military, National Guard and reserve income from state income taxes.
- 85. Increasing tax exemption for military, National Guard and reserve retirement income.
- 95. Creating tax exemption for cost of spaying and neutering dogs and cats.
- 98. Creating Tax Revenue Act of 2015.
- 116. Relating to solar renewable energy credits.
- 124. Redistributing and dedicating excise tax on real property transfers to regional iails.
- 127. Creating tax refund checkoff program for Cedar Lakes Foundation.
- 130. Reinstituting residential solar energy tax credit.
- 240. Updating terms in Personal Income Tax Act.
- 241. Updating terms in Corporation Net Income Tax Act.
- 266. Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials.
- 269. Creating flood zone homestead property tax exemption.
- 276. Terminating severance tax on timber.
- 310. Exempting nonprofit public utility companies from B&O tax.
- 332. Relating to administrative fees for Tax Division, Department of Revenue.
- 338. Relating to Film Industry Investment tax credit.
- 339. Reducing additional severance tax on coal.
- 386. Excluding mobile x-ray services from health care provider tax.
- 388. Changing remittance procedure for sales and use taxes on homeowners' dues, fees and assessments.
- Extending expiration date for health care provider tax on eligible acute care hospitals.
- Requiring personal income tax return include survey regarding use of tax dollars.

TECHNOLOGY:

404. Requiring routine audits of major information technology projects.

TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS:

- 98. Creating Tax Revenue Act of 2015.
- 109. Exempting certain veterans' organizations and active duty military organizations from indoor smoking rules.

400. Exempting certain employers from discriminating against tobacco users.

TOURISM:

- 17. Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area.
- Discontinuing moratorium on commercial rafting licenses for portion of New River.
- 282. Relating to National Coal Heritage Area Authority.
- 349. Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund.
- 365. Relating to issuance of travel insurance entity producer limited licenses.

TRANSPORTATION:

- 8. Providing for DOH performance and efficiency audit.
- Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials.
- 268. Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads.
- 385. Relating to regulation of transportation network companies.

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION:

391. Relating to unemployment compensation benefit eligibility for certain victims of domestic violence, sexual offenses or stalking.

UNIFORM LAWS:

- Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission.
- 330. Adopting Interstate Medical Licensure Compact.

UTILITIES:

- Exempting water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction.
- 310. Exempting nonprofit public utility companies from B&O tax.
- 350. Establishing criminal penalties for assault or battery on utility workers.
- 390. Authorizing PSC approve expedited cost recovery of natural gas utility infrastructure projects.

VENDORS:

122. Adopting federal definition for disabled veterans' preference in civil service hiring and state contract vendor bidding.

WATER RESOURCES:

61. Creating Water Sustainability Institute.

HISTORY OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS CONSIDERED BY SENATE

Includes actions as of February 3, 2015

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SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED

(This digest embraces the complete bill list submitted. If passed, all effective ninety days from passage unless otherwise indicated.)

- *1. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Takubo Repealing Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act; creating net metering of customer-generators (original same as H. B. No. 2001 similar to H. B. No. 2106, H. B. No. 2201 and H. B. No. 2409) Introduced 1/14/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining Com. Sub. reported 1/19/15 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 1/21/15 To House 1/22/15 To Energy then Judiciary
- By Sen. Gaunch, Carmichael, Ferns, Karnes, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Blair and Cole (Mr. President) - Predicating actions for damages upon comparative fault principles (original same as H. B. No. 2002) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Palumbo, Leonhardt, Boley, Ferns, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Blair, Williams, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Cole (Mr. President) -Relating to real property possessor's liability for trespasser harm (original same as H. B. No. 2003) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary - Passed Senate 1/21/15 - To House 1/22/15 - To Judiciary - Passed House 1/29/15
- *4. By Sen. Mullins, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Blair, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Cole (Mr. President) Relating to development of state plan under Clean Air Act (original same as H. B. No. 2004) Introduced 1/14/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 Referred to Judiciary 1/28/15
- By Sen. Nohe, Karnes, Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Cole (Mr. President) and Takubo - Creating teacher corps program (original same as H. B. No. 2005) -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education
- *6. By Sen. Ferns, Boley, Carmichael, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe, Trump, Blair, Plymale, Stollings, Cole (Mr. President) and Takubo Relating to medical professional liability (original same as H. B. No. 2006) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 Passed Senate 2/2/15 Effective from passage To House 2/3/15 To Judiciary

- *7. By Sen. Stollings, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Unger, Kirkendoll, Kessler, Facemire, Cole (Mr. President), Takubo and Williams Requiring CPR and care for conscious choking instruction in public schools (original same as H. B. No. 2007 similar to H. B. No. 2443) Introduced 1/14/15 To Education Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 Passed Senate 2/2/15 Effective July 1, 2015 To House 2/3/15 To Education then Finance
- *8. By Sen. Blair, Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Walters and Cole (Mr. President) **Providing for DOH performance** and efficiency audit (original same as H. B. No. 2008) Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization Com. sub. reported 1/23/15 Passed Senate 1/28/15 To House 1/29/15 To Finance
- By Sen. Stollings, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Walters, Snyder, Trump, Blair, Williams, Kirkendoll, Kessler, Facemire, Palumbo, Cole (Mr. President) and Takubo - Allowing law enforcement and emergency service personnel possess opioid antagonists (original same as H. B. No. 2009 similar to H. B. No. 2044, S. B. No. 231 S. B. No. 9) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources
- By Sen. Trump, Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Blair and Cole (Mr. President) - Requiring nonpartisan election of judges and magistrates (original same as H. B. No. 2010) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 11. By Sen. Gaunch, M. Hall, Karnes, Blair, Sypolt and Cole (Mr. President) Relating to workers' compensation disbursements when injury is self inflicted or intentional; permitting recovery in private suit (original same as H. B. No. 2011) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- *12. By Sen. Carmichael, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Mullins, Sypolt, Nohe, Trump, Blair and Cole (Mr. President) **Relating to payment of separated employee's outstanding wages** (original same as H. B. No. 2012 similar to S. B. No. 102) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/20/15 Passed Senate 1/23/15 To House 1/26/15 To Industry and Labor then Finance
- *13. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Ferns, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Mullins, Sypolt, Trump, Blair, Williams and Cole (Mr. President) Reinstating open and obvious doctrine for premises liability (original same as H. B. No. 2013) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/22/15 Passed Senate 1/27/15 To House 1/28/15 To Judiciary Amended On 3rd reading, Daily Calendar 2/4/15
 - By Sen. Sypolt, Walters, Blair, Cole (Mr. President) and Takubo Creating Public Charter Schools Act of 2015 (original same as H. B. No. 2014) - Introduced 1/14/15
 To Education
 - By Sen. Blair, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Walters and Cole (Mr. President) - Requiring Legislative Auditor

- **conduct performance reviews and audits for all spending units** (original same as H. B. No. 2015) Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization
- By Sen. Stollings, Facemire and Romano Relating to specialty drugs Introduced
 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 17. By Sen. Stollings, Beach, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Facemire and Romano Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Government Organization
- By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Kessler Creating Overdose Prevention Act (original similar to H. B. No. 2045 and S. B. No. 18) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- By Sen. Plymale Specifying minimum early childhood education program instruction days - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- By Sen. Stollings Allowing public health agencies to bill patients for STD and HIV testing - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- By Sen. Beach, Blair and Leonhardt Expanding prescriptive authority of advanced nurse practitioners and certified nurse-midwives (original similar to H. B. No. 2450) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
- 22. By Sen. Beach Relating to Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses membership - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- By Sen. Blair Requiring licensure of bartenders by ABCC Introduced 1/14/15
 To Government Organization then Finance
- By Sen. Blair, Gaunch and Sypolt Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Boley and Blair Relating to implementation of Common Core standards and assessments - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- 26. By Sen. D. Hall and Karnes **Discontinuing moratorium on commercial rafting licenses for portion of New River** Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources
- 27. By Sen. D. Hall Relating to county solid waste disposal fees; exemption Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 28. By Sen. D. Hall Requiring health insurance coverage for certain nonnarcotic pain relief systems - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance

- By Sen. D. Hall Allowing county employee to run for vacant office without resigning (original same as hb 2229) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. D. Hall, Trump, Blair, Williams and Karnes Permitting sale of raw milk (original same as H. B. No. 2448) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Health and Human Resources
- 31. By Sen. D. Hall Relating to bailpiece surety Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. D. Hall Requiring certain percentage of insurance claims be performed by resident adjuster - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- By Sen. D. Hall Decreasing teacher-pupil ratios; increasing certain classroom aides' pay - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- By Sen. Nohe, Sypolt and Karnes Exempting certain precious metals sales from consumers' sales tax - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
- By Sen. Leonhardt and Karnes Permitting carrying of concealed weapons without license (original same as H. B. No. 2145) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 36. By Sen. Palumbo, Laird and Facemire Correcting code reference regarding certain court personnel completing handgun safety requirements before carrying concealed handgun - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 37. By Sen. Palumbo Relating to arbitration Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 38. By Sen. Palumbo **Relating to apportionment of damages in tortious conduct actions** Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. Beach Relating to closure and sale of Clements State Tree Nursery -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
- 40. By Sen. Beach and D. Hall Clarifying circumstances when person may possess certain firearms during outdoor recreational activities (original similar to H. B. No. 2178) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 41. By Sen. Beach Repealing article authorizing roadside memorial markers Introduced 1/14/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- By Sen. Beach and Williams Permitting sale of alcoholic beverages on Sundays prior to 1 p.m. - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- *43. By Sen. Palumbo Limiting tolling of statute of limitations for third-party complaints Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/21/15 Passed Senate 1/26/15 To House 1/27/15 To Judiciary

- 44. By Sen. Yost Lowering threshold for low bidder's duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts Introduced 1/14/15 To Labor then Government Organization
- 45. By Sen. Yost, Facemire and Romano Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. Yost Allowing temporary reassignment of injured or ill school service personnel - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Judiciary
- 47. By Sen. Yost, Snyder, D. Hall, Laird, Facemire and Romano Providing National Guard and reserve members campground rental discount in state parks -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
- 48. By Sen. Yost, Facemire and Romano Modifying health care guidelines for reasonable, necessary medical treatment for injured workers - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 49. By Sen. Yost Providing liberal weighing of evidence in workers' compensation claims Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 50. By Sen. Yost, Facemire and Romano Relating to workers' compensation benefits for firefighters; other provisions - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 51. By Sen. Yost Relating to workers' compensation benefits for occupational pneumoconiosis Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary then Finance
- 52. By Sen. Yost Providing state employee uniforms be manufactured in United
 States Introduced 1/14/15 To Labor then Finance
- 53. By Sen. Yost, D. Hall, Miller and Nohe Exempting military, National Guard and reserve income from state income taxes (original similar to S. B. No. 85) -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Military then Finance
- 54. By Sen. Yost Requiring certification of state bridge paint applicators -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Government Organization
- 55. By Sen. Yost **Creating Keep Jobs in WV Act** Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Finance To Government Organization
- 56. By Sen. Yost Declaring remedial component of workers' compensation laws receive liberal construction Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary then Finance

- 57. By Sen. Yost Relating to classification and criteria for disability benefits -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary then Finance
- By Sen. Yost Relating to delivery of workers' compensation medical benefits to injured workers - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary then Finance
- By Sen. Yost and Miller Creating felony offense of knowingly leaving crash scene resulting in serious bodily injury - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- *60. By Sen. Williams and Sypolt Requiring food handler examinations and cards Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 To Government Organization 1/30/15
- 61. By Sen. Walters Creating Water Sustainability Institute Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Finance
- 62. By Sen. Unger and Miller Requiring Department of Education provide professional development opportunities for dyslexia - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- 63. By Sen. Stollings and Kirkendoll Redefining facilities eligible for funding assistance from Courthouse Facilities Improvement Authority Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 64. By Sen. Stollings, Plymale and Kirkendoll Providing exemption from moratorium on skilled nursing beds for specialty skilled nursing beds Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources
- By Sen. M. Hall and Karnes Authorizing additional circuit court judge -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- 66. By Sen. Stollings Revising fees for manufacturer, distributor, dispenser and researcher of controlled substances Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance To Finance 1/30/15
- 67. By Sen. Stollings **Establishing child support insurance match program** Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Finance
- 68. By Sen. Unger, Laird, Miller and Kirkendoll Creating Healthy Children and Healthy Communities Act - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- By Sen. Unger, Laird, Miller and Kirkendoll Requiring public school screening for dyslexia - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance

- By Sen. Williams and Sypolt Authorizing additional family court judge (original similar to H. B. No. 2108) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- 71. By Sen. Williams, Beach, Laird and Miller Requiring filing fee for write-in candidate for public office Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 72. By Sen. Yost Establishing additional circumstances requiring miner certification suspension or revocation for substance abuse violations -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
- By Sen. Yost Establishing cook-meal ratios for full-day and half-day school cooks - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- 74. By Sen. Yost Requiring employee be paid workers' compensation maximum temporary total disability benefits for lost time without penalty Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary then Finance
- 75. By Sen. Yost, D. Hall, Miller, Facemire and Romano Legalizing and regulating sale of fireworks; establishing WV Veterans Program Fund - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Military then Finance
- 76. By Sen. Yost Creating Equal Pay Coordinator within Division of Personnel
 Introduced 1/14/15 To Labor then Government Organization then Finance
- 77. By Sen. Yost Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel (original similar to S. B. No. 79) Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Finance
- By Sen. Yost Relating to compilation and availability of birth parents' nonidentifying social and medical histories prior to adoption - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 79. By Sen. Yost Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel (original similar to S. B. No. 77) Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Finance
- 80. By Sen. Yost **Creating State Labor Relations Act** Introduced 1/14/15 To Labor then Judiciary
- 81. By Sen. Plymale and Beach Increasing penalty for illegally transporting certain controlled substances into state (original similar to H. B. No. 2136) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 82. By Sen. Plymale and D. Hall Requiring SSAC promulgate rules allowing college preparatory team membership Introduced 1/14/15 To Education then Judiciary

- 83. By Sen. Stollings **Relating to funeral service and embalmer licenses** Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 84. By Sen. Stollings and Plymale Redefining "third-party administrator" to include pharmacy benefits managers Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 85. By Sen. Yost, Beach, D. Hall, Laird, Facemire and Romano Increasing tax exemption for military, National Guard and reserve retirement income (original similar to S. B. No. 53) Introduced 1/14/15 To Military then Finance
- 86. By Sen. Unger and Beach **Regulating equine boarding facilities** Introduced 1/14/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
- 87. By Sen. Plymale Relating to standards for conversion and retrofits of alternative-fuel motor vehicles Introduced 1/14/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- *88. By Sen. Stollings and Plymale Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 To Finance 1/30/15
- 89. By Sen. Laird and Miller **Providing Prosecuting Attorneys Institute's council establish Executive Director's salary** Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance
- By Sen. Laird, Snyder, D. Hall, Unger, Facemire and Romano Promoting development of corporate sponsorships for state parks and recreational areas
 Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
- 91. By Sen. Laird, Miller, Stollings, Facemire and Romano Creating amnesty program for certain drivers with suspended licenses Introduced 1/14/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
- 92. By Sen. Laird, Snyder, D. Hall, Sypolt, Plymale, Unger and Miller **Providing** salary increase for natural resources police officers (original same as H. B. No. 2071 similar to H. B. No. 2072) Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Finance
- 93. By Sen. Laird, Beach, D. Hall, Unger, Miller, Stollings, Facemire and Romano Increasing grandparents' rights in custodial or decision-making authority and visitation matters Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- *94. By Sen. Laird, Miller, Stollings, Facemire and Romano Establishing driver's license restoration program Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary then Finance Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 To Finance 1/30/15

- 95. By Sen. Laird, Beach, Stollings, Facemire, Romano and Nohe Creating tax exemption for cost of spaying and neutering dogs and cats Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance
- 96. By Sen. Laird **Relating to selection of state agency administrative hearing examiners** Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 97. By Sen. Laird Relating to air-ambulance fees paid by PEIA Introduced 1/14/15
 To Banking and Insurance then Finance
- 98. By Sen. Carmichael Creating Tax Revenue Act of 2015 Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance
- By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall and Blair Relating to mandatory drug testing of legislators and certain recipients of federal and state funds (original similar to H. B. No. 2012) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- By Sen. Carmichael, Blair and Mullins Establishing prevailing hourly rates for construction of public improvements - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 101. By Sen. Carmichael and Gaunch Limiting punitive damages awarded in personal injury or wrongful death actions Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 102. By Sen. Carmichael Extending period that terminated employees' wages must be paid (original similar to H. B. No. 2012 and S. B. No. 12) - Introduced 1/14/15 -To Judiciary
- By Sen. Carmichael and Mullins Establishing comparative fault standard (original similar to H. B. No. 2002 and S. B. No. 2) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 104. By Sen. Carmichael Increasing threshold of defendant's liability to qualify for several liability in tortious actions - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 105. By Sen. Carmichael and Karnes Disqualifying unemployment benefits for time not worked because of strike - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
- 106. By Sen. Carmichael Excepting professional engineer member from sanitary board when project engineer is under contract Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary Committee reference dispensed Passed Senate 2/2/15 Effective from passage To House 2/3/15 To Political Subdivisions then Government Organization
- By Sen. Carmichael Relating to disclaimer of warranties for used motor vehicles
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- 108. By Sen. Carmichael Creating loser-pays civil justice system Introduced 1/14/15
 To Judiciary

- 109. By Sen. Blair and Leonhardt Exempting certain veterans' organizations and active duty military organizations from indoor smoking rules - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Military then Judiciary
- 110. By Sen. D. Hall Relating to purchase, possession, sale and use of fireworks -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- 111. By Sen. Plymale Redistributing portion of net racetrack video lottery terminal income dedicated to Development Office Promotion Fund -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
- 112. By Sen. Laird Requiring legislative rule establishing level for higher education capital project spending project approval - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- 113. By Sen. Laird Permitting counties impose property levy for public library funding (original similar to H. B. No. 2541) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 114. By Sen. Laird, D. Hall and Miller Requiring municipal police officers wear armor vest - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary -To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 115. By Sen. Miller, Snyder and D. Hall Increasing annual salary of Division of Corrections employees - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
- By Sen. Miller, Facemire and Romano Relating to solar renewable energy credits - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance
- 117. By Sen. Miller, Palumbo, Beach, Plymale and Unger Creating felony offense of DUI causing serious bodily injury - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 118. By Sen. Beach, D. Hall, Williams, Facemire and Romano Permitting certain loaded firearms in motor vehicles on Capitol Complex grounds (original similar to H. B. No. 2128) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 119. By Sen. Yost Relating to meeting and conference rights for police or fire departments (original similar to H. B. No. 2070) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
- 120. By Sen. Stollings Recodifying laws relating to DHHR and Bureau for Medical Services - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
- 121. By Sen. Snyder, Miller, Williams, Facemire and Romano Relating to Conservation Agency financial assistance applications from district supervisors (original same as S. B. No. 250) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Government Organization

- 122. By Sen. Snyder, Facemire and Romano Adopting federal definition for disabled veterans' preference in civil service hiring and state contract vendor bidding Introduced 1/14/15 To Military then Government Organization
- 123. By Sen. Snyder, Blair and Romano Exempting motor fuel sales from unfair trade practices - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 124. By Sen. Snyder Redistributing and dedicating excise tax on real property transfers to regional jails (original similar to H. B. No. 2473) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
- 125. By Sen. Kessler, Beach and Snyder Prohibiting discrimination based on age or sexual orientation (original similar to H. B. No. 2534) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
- 126. By Sen. Beach **Relating to practice of psychology** Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
- 127. By Sen. Carmichael Creating tax refund checkoff program for Cedar Lakes Foundation - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
- 128. By Sen. Yost Revising definition of "obscene matter" Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 129. By Sen. Carmichael, Gaunch, Blair, Leonhardt, Karnes and Mullins Establishing Intermediate Court of Appeals (original similar to S. B. No. 306) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- 130. By Sen. Miller and Beach Reinstituting residential solar energy tax credit Introduced 1/14/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance
- 131. By Sen. Miller, Snyder, Romano and Facemire Increasing compensation for public defenders in child abuse and neglect proceedings Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 132. By Sen. Miller and Beach **Reducing school nurse staffing ratio** Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- 133. By Sen. Miller, Romano and Facemire Establishing Fund for Civil Legal Services for Low-Income Persons - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
- 134. By Sen. M. Hall Creating Civil Justice Reform Act of 2015 Introduced 1/14/15
 To Judiciary then Finance
- 135. By Sen. Miller and Williams Creating Creative Communities Development Act
 Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Finance

- 136. By Sen. Plymale and Beach Limiting certain public parks and recreation liability - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 137. By Sen. Plymale Exempting HEPC and CCTCS and member institutions from WVOASIS - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- *138. By Sen. Williams, Beach, Snyder, D. Hall and Sypolt **Relating to posting of property to prohibit hunting or trespassing** Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural
 Resources then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/22/15 To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 139. By Sen. Palumbo, Kessler and Beach Creating misdemeanor offense of impersonating Commission on Special Investigations representative -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 140. By Sen. Snyder, Romano and Facemire Amending State Administrative Procedures Act (original same as H. B. No. 2445) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 141. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to state-owned vehicles - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 142. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to Purchasing Division - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance then Judiciary
- 143. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to operation plan for State Agency for Surplus Property - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance then Judiciary
- 144. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to refund, reinstatement, retroactive service, loan and employer error interest factors - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 145. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 146. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to defining terms used in hunting and trapping rules - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 147. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to hunting, trapping and fishing license and stamp fees - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 2/2/15

- 148. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to general hunting - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 149. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to lifetime hunting, trapping and fishing licenses - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 2/2/15
- 150. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to wildlife damage control agents - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 151. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to special boating - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/29/15
- 152. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to commercial whitewater outfitters - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/29/15
- 153. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to Amusement Rides and Amusement Attractions Safety Act - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 154. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to child labor - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 155. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to supervision of plumbing work - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 156. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to verification of legal employment status - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 157. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to regulation of heating, venting and cooling work Introduced 1/14/15
 To Labor then Finance then Judiciary To Finance 1/21/15 To Judiciary 2/3/15
- 158. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to weights and measures calibration fees - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/21/15 - To Judiciary 2/3/15
- 159. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Forestry promulgate legislative rule relating to ginseng - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/29/15

- By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to Stream
 Partners Program grants Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary
 To Judiciary 1/29/15
- 161. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to hazardous waste management system - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/29/15
- 162. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to control of air pollution from hazardous waste treatment, storage and disposal facilities - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 163. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to standards of performance for new stationary sources - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 164. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to permits for construction and major modification of major stationary sources for prevention of significant deterioration of air quality - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 165. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to waste management - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 166. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to WV/NPDES rule for coal mining facilities - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 167. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 168. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to emission standards for hazardous air pollutants - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 169. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements for operating permits - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 170. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing OMHST promulgate legislative rule relating to employee safety in and around quarries - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 171. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to chronic pain management clinic licensure - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/16/15

- 172. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to Fatality and Mortality Review Team Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance then Judiciary To Finance 1/16/15
- 173. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to medication administration and performance of health maintenance tasks by approved medication assistive personnel Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 174. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nurse aid abuse and neglect registry Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- *175. By Sen. Snyder **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rules** Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/16/15 Com. Sub. reported 1/29/15 Passed Senate 2/3/15 Effective from passage
- 176. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nursing home licensure - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 177. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to statewide trauma/emergency care system - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 178. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to domestic violence program licensure standards -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 179. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to Monitored Parenting and Exchange Program certification Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 180. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to board operation Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 181. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure for correctional institutions - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 182. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing State Police promulgate legislative rule relating to DNA databank regulations and procedures - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary

- 183. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Office of Technology promulgate legislative rule relating to sanitization, retirement and disposition of equipment - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 184. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing State Fire Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to volunteer firefighters' training, equipment and operating standards - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 185. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing State Fire Marshal promulgate legislative rule relating to fire protection work supervision - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 186. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Tax Department promulgate legislative rule relating to appointment of special assessors - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 187. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Racing Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to thoroughbred racing - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 188. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to using mortality tables to determine reserve liabilities for annuities - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- 189. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- 190. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to nonintoxicating beer licensing and operations procedures - Introduced 1/14/15 -To Judiciary
- By Sen. Snyder Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to private club licensing - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 192. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DMV promulgate legislative rule relating to examination and issuance of driver's licenses - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 193. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Office of Administrative Hearings promulgate legislative rule relating to appeal procedures - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 194. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction promulgate legislative rule relating to law-enforcement training and certification standards - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary

- 195. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Conservation Committee promulgate legislative rule relating to financial assistance programs - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/29/15
- 196. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Real Estate Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board promulgate legislative rule relating to registration and renewal of appraisal management companies - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/23/15
- 197. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures; continuing education; physician assistants Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 198. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Enterprise Resource Planning Board promulgate legislative rule relating to user fee - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 199. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Registration for Professional Engineers promulgate legislative rule relating to examination, licensure and practice -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 200. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Physical Therapy promulgate legislative rule relating to fees for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 201. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Osteopathy promulgate legislative rule relating to board fees - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 202. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Osteopathic Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to osteopathic physician assistants - Introduced 1/14/15 -To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 203. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to immunizations administered by pharmacists - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
- 204. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to pharmacy technician registration - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 205. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to controlled substances monitoring - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15

- 206. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of professional limited liability companies Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/23/15
- 207. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to board Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Finance then Judiciary To Finance 1/23/15
- 208. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to dental recovery networks Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Finance then Judiciary To Finance 1/23/15
- 209. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of dental corporations and dental practice ownership Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/23/15
- 210. By Sen. Snyder-Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to frozen desserts and imitation frozen desserts - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
- 211. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to animal disease control - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
- 212. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to auctioneers - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
- 213. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Pesticide Control Act of 1990 fee structure Introduced 1/14/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/20/15
- 214. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Plant Pest Act - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
- 215. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to meat and poultry inspection Introduced 1/14/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/20/15
- 216. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Spay Neuter Assistance Program - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15

- 217. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to livestock care standards - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- 218. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- 219. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/27/15
- 220. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- 221. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to industrial hemp - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- 222. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals Introduced 1/14/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/3/15
- 223. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure and practice of pharmacy - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/23/15
- 224. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to election recount procedures Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 225. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to electronic notarization standards and guidelines - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 226. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to notaries public - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 227. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to schedule of fees for notaries public - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- 228. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15

- 229. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to service credit for accrued and unused sick and annual leave - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
- 230. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Cole (Mr. President), Kirkendoll, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Walters, Yost, Boley, M. Hall and Unger Creating Overdose Prevention Act (original same as H. B. No. 2045 similar to S. B. No. 18) Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 231. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Cole (Mr. President), Kirkendoll, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Walters, Yost, Boley, M. Hall, Snyder, Gaunch, Blair and Williams Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist (original same as H. B. No. 2044 similar to H. B. No. 2009 and S. B. No. 9) Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources
- 232. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Cole (Mr. President), Kirkendoll, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Walters, Yost, Boley, M. Hall and Sypolt Providing for expedited partner therapy (original same as H. B. No. 2046) Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 233. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Budget Bill (original same as H. B. No. 2016) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance 1/14/15
- 234. By Sen. Trump, M. Hall, Blair and Plymale Exempting water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- 235. By Sen. Kessler, M. Hall, Prezioso, Plymale, Williams, Beach, Stollings and Kirkendoll - Creating Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2097) - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
- 236. By Sen. Karnes, Blair, Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Walters and D. Hall Limiting health insurance coverage for elective abortions to supplemental policies (original similar to H. B. No. 2440) Introduced 1/15/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- *237. By Sen. D. Hall, Romano, Snyder, Facemire and Williams Creating Captive Cervid Farming Act (original similar to H. B. No. 2033) Introduced 1/16/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Finance Com. sub. reported 1/27/15 Committee reference dispensed Passed Senate 1/30/15 Effective from passage To House 2/2/15 To Finance
 - 238. By Sen. D. Hall, Nohe and Stollings Exempting county boards of education from liability arising from unorganized recreation (original same as H. B. No. 2441) Introduced 1/16/15 To Education then Judiciary

- By Sen. Kirkendoll, Blair, Snyder, Williams and Beach Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees (original similar to H. B. No. 2177 and S. B. No. 255) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Government Organization
- 240. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Updating terms in Personal Income Tax Act (original same as H. B. No. 2114) Introduced 1/16/15 To Finance
- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Updating terms in Corporation Net Income Tax Act (original same as H. B. No. 2115) -Introduced 1/16/15 - To Finance
- 242. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Creating criminal penalties for automated telephone calls causing harm during state of emergency or preparedness (original same as H. B. No. 2117) Introduced 1/16/15 To Judiciary
- *243. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] **Relating to school nutrition standards during state of emergency or preparedness** (original same as H. B. No. 2118) Introduced 1/16/15 To Education then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 244. By Sen. Carmichael, Miller, Nohe and Plymale Creating Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act (original same as H. B. No. 2100) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 245. By Sen. Trump, Blair and Walters Repealing requirement for prevailing wage payment for public improvement construction (original same as H. B. No. 2206 similar to S. B. No. 361) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
- 246. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Leonhardt and Williams Establishing grandfather exemption requiring certain School for Deaf and Blind child care workers hold associate's degree Introduced 1/16/15 To Education
- 247. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Walters and Nohe Repealing Dangerous Wild Animals Act
 Introduced 1/16/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
- *248. By Sen. Williams Requiring certain insurance and owner information be provided following car accident Introduced 1/16/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/3/15 To Judiciary 2/3/15
- *249. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Ferns, M. Hall and Walters **Prohibiting straight party voting** Introduced 1/16/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/29/15 Passed Senate 2/3/15
- By Sen. Trump, Blair, Carmichael, M. Hall, Leonhardt, Miller, Snyder, Unger,
 Williams and Plymale Relating to Conservation Agency financial assistance

- applications from district supervisors (original same as S. B. No. 121) Introduced 1/16/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/29/15 On 1st reading 2/4/15
- 251. By Sen. Mullins, Karnes, Leonhardt and Gaunch Modifying private cause of action for deliberate intention workers' compensation claims Introduced 1/16/15 To Judiciary
- 252. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Williams, Facemire, D. Hall and Leonhardt Making Schools for Deaf and Blind eligible for School Building Authority funding (original same as H. B. No. 2160) - Introduced 1/19/15 - To Education then Finance
- *253. By Sen. Trump, Blair, D. Hall, Stollings, Laird, Kirkendoll, Snyder, Plymale and Leonhardt Recodifying chapter relating to child welfare and juvenile disposition (original same as H. B. No. 2200) Introduced 1/19/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 254. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act - Introduced 1/19/15 - To Pensions then Finance
- *255. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] **Eliminating certain boards, councils, committees, panels, task forces and commissions** (original same as H. B. No. 2177) Introduced 1/19/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 256. By Sen. Walters and Nohe Increasing number of student unexcused absences before taking action against parent (original same as H. B. No. 2550) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Education then Judiciary
- 257. By Sen. Plymale, Stollings and Kirkendoll Relating to improving middle grades education - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Education then Judiciary
- *258. By Sen. Beach, Williams, Prezioso and Kessler **Creating Letting Our Counties Act Locally Act** Introduced 1/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
 Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 To Finance 1/28/15
- *259. By Sen. Beach, Snyder and Williams Relating to examination, licensing and endorsement requirements for autocycles - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary - Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 260. By Sen. Yost and Kessler Providing purchases of state materials, supplies, equipment, etc., be made in US Introduced 1/20/15 To Labor then Finance
- *261. By Sen. D. Hall, Miller, Snyder, Beach and Facemire Clarifying definition of "owner" of dam Introduced 1/20/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/29/15 Com. sub. reported 2/3/15 On 1st reading 2/4/15

- 262. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR (original same as H. B. No. 2210) Introduced 1/20/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 263. By Sen. Yost and Kessler Requiring court-appointed special advocate in all counties Introduced 1/20/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 264. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2212) Introduced 1/20/15 To Finance
- 265. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Reducing distribution of excess lottery proceeds to Infrastructure Fund; increasing funds available for grants (original same as H. B. No. 2213) Introduced 1/20/15 To Finance
- 266. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials (original same as H. B. No. 2211) Introduced 1/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance To Finance 1/28/15
- 267. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning (original same as H. B. No. 2209) Introduced 1/20/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/30/15
- 268. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads (original same as H. B. No. 2226) Introduced 1/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance To Finance 1/28/15
- 269. By Sen. Yost, Kessler and Facemire Creating flood zone homestead property tax exemption - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
- 270. By Sen. Stollings, Prezioso and Kirkendoll Amending criteria for pain management clinic designation - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 271. By Sen. Karnes and Nohe **Relating to aborted fetus care** Introduced 1/21/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 272. By Sen. Karnes **Decreasing number of jurors on municipal jury** Introduced 1/21/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 273. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations (original same as H. B. No. 2385) Introduced 1/21/15 To Economic Development then Judiciary

- 274. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Relating to TANF program (original same as H. B. No. 2382) Introduced 1/21/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 275. By Sen. Trump, Kessler, Unger, Nohe, Boso, Blair, Prezioso, D. Hall, Beach and Romano - Relating to confidentiality of concealed weapon permit applicants' information - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Judiciary
- 276. By Sen. Karnes, Boley, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Plymale and D. Hall-Terminating severance tax on timber (original similar to H. B. No. 2268) -Introduced 1/21/15 - To Finance
- 277. By Sen. Miller, D. Hall, Laird, Williams and Kirkendoll Requiring issuance of certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 278. By Sen. Karnes Relating to lawful and unlawful methods of hunting (original similar to H. B. No. 2420) Introduced 1/21/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- *279. By Sen. Walters, Blair, Gaunch, Boso, Karnes, Maynard and D. Hall Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner (original similar to H. B. No. 2217) Introduced 1/21/15 To Labor then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/27/15 To Judiciary 1/27/15 On 1st reading 2/4/15
- *280. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Boley, Ferns, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Prezioso, Facemire, D. Hall, Williams, Kessler, Palumbo and Beach Allowing well work permit transfers Introduced 1/21/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/23/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 1/23/15 Effective from passage To House 1/26/15 To Energy Passed House 1/28/15 Effective from passage To Governor 2/2/15
- 281. By Sen. Plymale Creating system of judicial sale of tax liens Introduced 1/21/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 282. By Sen. D. Hall and Stollings Relating to National Coal Heritage Area Authority (original same as H. B. No. 2227) - Introduced 1/22/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 283. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch and Plymale Relating to branch banking (original same as H. B. No. 2379) Introduced 1/22/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/3/15
- *284. By Sen. Nohe, Plymale, Sypolt, Walters, Blair, Williams, Prezioso and D. Hall-Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms Introduced 1/22/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 On 3rd reading with right to amend 2/4/15

- 285. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch and Plymale **Relating to primary and subordinate** mortgage loans (original same as H. B. No. 2223) Introduced 1/22/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/3/15
- 286. By Sen. Ferns, Trump, D. Hall, Blair, Boley, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Mullins and Karnes Relating to compulsory immunizations of students; exemptions (original same as H. B. No. 2556) Introduced 1/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 287. By Sen. Takubo, Boley, Carmichael, Gaunch, Stollings, Walters, Williams, Trump and Blair - Providing posthumous high school diplomas (original same as H. B. No. 2156 - similar to H. B. No. 2516) - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Education
- 288. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Relating to public school financing (original same as H. B. No. 2478) - Introduced 1/23/15 -To Education then Finance
- 289. By Sen. Takubo, Stollings, Carmichael, Ferns, Walters, Gaunch and Miller-Prohibiting insurance plans from charging higher copays, deductibles or coinsurance for certain cancer treatments - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 290. By Sen. Williams, Beach, Blair, Kirkendoll, Stollings, Sypolt, Palumbo and Miller-Relating to regulation of nonintoxicating beer brewers and retailers - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Economic Development then Judiciary
- By Sen. Ferns, D. Hall, Karnes and Leonhardt Clarifying power of Attorney General to contract for outside legal services - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Judiciary
- 292. By Sen. Nohe and Gaunch Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission (original same as H. B. No. 2241) Introduced 1/23/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/3/15
- By Sen. Beach, Kessler and Miller Increasing fees for certain DMV services and documents - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
- 294. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Eliminating certain unnecessary, inactive or redundant councils, committees and boards (original same as H. B. No. 2469) Introduced 1/23/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 295. By Sen. Ferns and Trump Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/28/15
- 296. By Sen. Walters and D. Hall Providing maximum licensed school psychologist-pupil ratio Introduced 1/23/15 To Education then Finance

- 297. By Sen. Walters and Palumbo Relating to sale of nonintoxicating beer Introduced 1/23/15 - To Economic Development then Judiciary
- 298. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2504) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary
- 299. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments (original same as H. B. No. 2506) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary
- By Sen. Gaunch, Trump and Stollings Relating to military service credit for PERS members - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Finance
- 301. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Modifying definition of "member" in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System (original same as H. B. No. 2507) -Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Finance
- By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Relating to state retirement plans (original same as H. B. No. 2560) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary
- 303. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2462) Introduced 1/26/15 To Education then Finance
- 304. By Sen. Miller, Williams, Beach, D. Hall, Nohe, Sypolt, Snyder and Stollings Relating to farmers markets (original same as H. B. No. 2467) Introduced 1/26/15
 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/3/15
- 305. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Relating to state retirement system participation and concurrent employment provisions (original same as H. B. No. 2505) Introduced 1/26/15 To Pensions then Finance
- 306. By Sen. Ferns, Carmichael, D. Hall, Mullins and Blair Establishing Intermediate Court of Appeals (original similar to S. B. No. 129) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- By Sen. Blair and Carmichael Creating Paycheck Protection Act (original similar to S. B. No. 321) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
- 308. By Sen. Trump and Carmichael Changing minimum interest rate paid on judgments or decrees - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary
- 309. By Sen. Trump, Laird, Walters and Nohe Authorizing Corrections Commissioner to enter into mutual aid agreements (original same as H. B. No. 2274) Introduced 1/26/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary

- By Sen. Sypolt, Williams and Nohe Exempting nonprofit public utility companies from B&O tax - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Finance
- 311. By Sen. Beach, Kessler, D. Hall and Prezioso Changing Coopers Rock State Forest to Coopers Rock State Park - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 312. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Palumbo and D. Hall Relating to disqualification of general election nominees for failure to file campaign finance statements - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary - On 3rd reading 2/4/15
- 313. By Sen. Nohe, Blair, Carmichael, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Laird, Palumbo and Stollings - Relating to delinquency proceedings of insurers (original same as H. B. No. 2461) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 314. By Sen. Nohe, Carmichael, Mullins and Blair Authorizing indemnity settlement in occupational pneumoconiosis claims - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 315. By Sen. Mullins Relating to civil actions filed under Consumer Protection Act
 Introduced 1/27/15 To Judiciary
- 316. By Sen. D. Hall, Leonhardt, Trump, Stollings, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Nohe Exempting veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State Introduced 1/27/15 To Military then Finance
- 317. By Sen. Miller, Beach, Laird, Walters and Woelfel Relating to insurance coverage on state buildings and contents - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- By Sen. Trump, Karnes, Carmichael and Blair Relating to payment of wages by employers - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary - On 3rd reading 2/4/15
- By Sen. D. Hall and Trump Relating to donation of Secretary of State overpayment fees - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
- 320. By Sen. D. Hall and Trump Standardizing notification process for revocation of certificates of authority - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Blair Creating Paycheck Protection Act (original similar to S. B. No. 307) Introduced 1/27/15 To Labor then Judiciary
- 322. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Palumbo, Leonhardt and Trump Eliminating mandatory electronic recount of ballots in recounts Introduced 1/27/15 To Judiciary On 3rd reading 2/4/15
- *323. By Sen. Blair **Relating to municipal home rule** Introduced 1/27/15 To Government Organization then Finance Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 Committee reference dispensed On 3rd reading 2/4/15

- 324. By Sen. Blair, Trump, Laird, Kessler, D. Hall, Palumbo and Plymale Increasing number of participants in Home Rule Pilot Program (original same as H. B. No. 2539) Introduced 1/27/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 325. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Palumbo, Trump and Blair Relating to filing of candidates' financial disclosure statements - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
- 326. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Palumbo, Trump and Blair Eliminating campaign finance reporting by candidates for delegate to national convention Introduced 1/27/15 To Judiciary On 3rd reading 2/4/15
- 327. By Sen. Williams and Sypolt Requiring public hearing prior to fee simple transfer of real property to or from DNR and Division of Forestry - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- By Sen. Boley, Sypolt and D. Hall Repealing code section relating to notary public fees - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
- 329. By Sen. Walters, Leonhardt and Takubo Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality Introduced 1/27/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- By Sen. Ferns Adopting Interstate Medical Licensure Compact (original same as H. B. No. 2496) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Interstate Cooperation then Health and Human Resources
- 331. By Sen. Palumbo Relating to withdrawals and filling vacancies in candidacies
 Introduced 1/27/15 To Judiciary
- 332. By Sen. M. Hall Relating to administrative fees for Tax Division, Department of Revenue (original same as H. B. No. 2538) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
- 333. By Sen. M. Hall Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence (original same as H. B. No. 22547) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
- 334. By Sen. Ferns Relating to practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry (original same as H. B. No. 2497) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Health and Human Resources - To Health and Human Resources 1/30/15
- *335. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] **Creating Access to Opioid Antagonists Act** (original same as H. B. No. 2543) Introduced 1/27/15 To Health and Human Resources Com. sub. reported 1/28/15 Passed Senate 2/2/15 To House 2/3/15 To Judiciary

- 336. By Sen. Ferns and Takubo Relating to powers and duties of Health Care Authority - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
- By Sen. Carmichael, Blair, Boso, Sypolt and Trump Creating workplace freedom act - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
- 338. By Sen. Palumbo, Gaunch, Snyder, M. Hall, Williams, Blair, Unger, Trump and Stollings - Relating to Film Industry Investment tax credit - Introduced 1/27/15 -To Economic Development then Finance
- 339. By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall and Nohe Reducing additional severance tax on coal (original similar to H. B. No. 2394) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance
- 340. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Blair and Takubo Requiring voter provide photo ID (original similar to H. B. No. 2092, hb 2365H. B. No. 2477) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- 341. Originating in Senate Agriculture and Rural Development Permitting Agriculture Commissioner approve and submit Livestock Care Standards Board rules -Introduced 1/27/15 - Passed Senate 1/30/15 - Effective from passage - To House 2/2/15 - To Agriculture and Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 342. By Sen. Gaunch, Trump and Plymale Clarifying scope, application and methods for corrections by CPRB (original same as H. B. No. 2521) - Introduced 1/28/15 -To Pensions then Finance
- 343. By Sen. Blair, Snyder and Nohe Exempting chiropractors from continuing education requirement on mental health conditions common to veterans -Introduced 1/28/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 344. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael and Blair Relating to limitations on compensatory and punitive damages in employment claims - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Sypolt, Blair, Ferns, D. Hall, M. Hall, Laird, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe, Trump and Williams - Relating to jury selection strikes in felony cases (original similar to H. B. No. 2480) - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Judiciary
- 346. By Sen. Ferns Creating Mental Health, Veterans and Service Members Court Act - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- By Sen. Sypolt, Beach, Blair, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Williams and Ferns - Creating Firearms Act of 2015 - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Judiciary
- 348. By Sen. Blair, Carmichael and Karnes Creating pilot program for drug screening of cash assistance applicants Introduced 1/28/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance

- 349. By Sen. Kessler, Unger, Beach, Facemire, Kirkendoll, Laird, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Williams, Woelfel and Yost Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund Introduced 1/28/15 To Economic Development then Finance
- 350. By Sen. D. Hall, Beach, Blair, Facemire, Ferns, Gaunch, M. Hall, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Laird, Mullins, Plymale, Prezioso, Snyder, Stollings, Trump, Walters, Romano, Nohe, Williams and Leonhardt Establishing criminal penalties for assault or battery on utility workers (original same as H. B. No. 2554) Introduced 1/28/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. Ferns Relating to charitable organization contribution levels requiring independent audit reports - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Judiciary
- 352. By Sen. Walters Exempting certain solid waste common carriers from obtaining certificate of convenience and necessity - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 353. By Sen. Walters and Nohe Transferring motor vehicle inspection program to State Police Superintendent - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 354. By Sen. Plymale and Stollings Creating Rehabilitation Services Vending Program Fund - Introduced 1/28/15 - To Finance
- 355. By Sen. M. Hall Relating to quality control procedure for agency rules -Introduced 1/29/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- 356. By Sen. D. Hall, Yost and Gaunch Providing motorcycle helmet exemption for certain cyclists - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 357. By Sen. Mullins, Blair, Boley, Boso, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Carmichael, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Plymale, Prezioso, Stollings, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Walters and Williams Creating Coal Jobs and Safety Act of 2015 (original similar to H. B. No. 2566) Introduced 1/29/15 To Judiciary
- 358. By Sen. Leonhardt, Beach, Blair, Boley, Boso, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Kessler, Maynard, Miller, Mullins, Nohe, Romano, Snyder, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Walters, Williams, Woelfel, Plymale, Prezioso, Stollings and Kirkendoll Requiring court issue divorce certificate reflecting name change Introduced 1/29/15 To Judiciary
- 359. By Sen. Unger, Laird, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Stollings, M. Hall, Snyder, Kirkendoll and Kessler - Relating to suicide prevention awareness (original same as H. B. No. 2535) - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Education then Finance
- By Sen. Miller, Beach, Carmichael, D. Hall, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Williams,
 Woelfel, Laird, Plymale and Facemire Repealing code sections relating to book

- indexes and claims reports required by court clerks Introduced 1/29/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. Blair Repealing code sections relating to prevailing hourly wage requirement for construction of public improvements (original similar to H. B. No. 2206 and S. B. No. 245) - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Government Organization
- 362. By Sen. Boley, Blair, Karnes and Leonhardt Relating to public school curricular standards and assessments - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Education then Judiciary
- 363. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) Establishing maximum rates and service limitations for reimbursement of health care services by Court of Claims Introduced 1/29/15
 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 364. By Sen. M. Hall, Snyder, D. Hall, Plymale and Facemire Exempting State Police Forensic Laboratory from state purchasing guidelines - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Finance
- 365. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch, D. Hall and Palumbo Relating to issuance of travel insurance entity producer limited licenses (original similar to H. B. No. 2536) -Introduced 1/29/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 366. By Sen. Ferns, Stollings, Walters and D. Hall Creating Patient Protection and Transparency Act - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Finance
- 367. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] -Authorizing recalculation of base tax revenue amount for sales tax increment financing districts (original same as H. B. No. 2532) - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Finance
- 368. By Sen. Nohe Relating to risk-based capital reporting for health organizations
 Introduced 1/29/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 369. By Sen. Karnes and Leonhardt Repealing code sections relating to mandatory state motor vehicle inspections - Introduced 1/29/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 370. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] -Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees - Introduced 1/30/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- 371. By Sen. Carmichael and Karnes Applying forum non conveniens doctrine when actions involve resident and nonresident plaintiffs - Introduced 1/30/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Carmichael Providing for civil action mediation Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary

- 373. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes and Blair Allowing wireless communication image serve as proof of motor vehicle insurance Introduced 1/30/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- *374. By Sen. Trump and D. Hall **Permitting in absentia parole hearings in certain instances** Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/3/15 On 1st reading 2/4/15
- *375. By Sen. Trump **Specifying who receives parole hearing notices via regular or certified mail** Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/3/15 On 1st reading 2/4/15
- By Sen. Trump Relating to administration of estates Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary
- 377. By Sen. Boso and Gaunch Limiting civil liability of pharmaceutical manufacturers or sellers providing warning to learned intermediary Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary
- 378. By Sen. Snyder, Blair, Miller, Kessler, Kirkendoll and Gaunch Relicensing electricians without retesting under certain circumstances Introduced 1/30/15
 To Government Organization
- 379. By Sen. Walters, D. Hall, Beach and Miller Creating State Infrastructure Bank Program - Introduced 1/30/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
- 380. By Sen. Kessler, Stollings, Unger, Miller and Yost Relating to when Future Fund deposits are made - Introduced 1/30/15 - To Finance
- 381. By Sen. M. Hall, Stollings, D. Hall, Nohe, Boso, Miller, Kessler and Prezioso-Creating State Police 100th Anniversary Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2523)
 - Introduced 1/30/15 - To Finance
- 382. By Sen. M. Hall and Walters **Declaring claims against state** Introduced 1/30/15 To Finance
- 383. By Sen. D. Hall, Ferns, Kirkendoll, Maynard, Mullins, Takubo and Stollings -Permitting hunting or trapping on private lands on Sundays - Introduced 2/2/15 - To Natural Resources
- 384. By Sen. D. Hall, Prezioso, Takubo, Stollings and Beach Permitting wine or alcoholic beverage sales by specialty shop located in dry county - Introduced 2/2/15 - To Government Organization
- By Sen. D. Hall, Beach, Blair, Ferns, Karnes, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Mullins, Nohe,
 Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Williams and Stollings Relating to regulation of

- **transportation network companies** Introduced 2/2/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 386. By Sen. Ferns, Stollings and D. Hall Excluding mobile x-ray services from health care provider tax - Introduced 2/2/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- 387. By Sen. Walters, Stollings and D. Hall Creating Task Force on Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children (original same as H. B. No. 2527) - Introduced 2/2/15 - To Judiciary
- 388. By Sen. Sypolt, Beach, Blair, M. Hall, Kessler, Leonhardt, Prezioso, Snyder, Trump, Unger, Williams, Stollings and Nohe Changing remittance procedure for sales and use taxes on homeowners' dues, fees and assessments Introduced 2/2/15 To Finance
- 389. By Sen. Blair, Yost, Maynard, Facemire, Leonhardt, Williams, Walters, Boso, Palumbo, Mullins, Gaunch, Miller, Ferns and Snyder Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements Introduced 2/3/15 On 2nd reading 2/4/15
- By Sen. Trump Authorizing PSC approve expedited cost recovery of natural gas utility infrastructure projects - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Judiciary
- 391. By Sen. Walters, Facemire, Kessler, Laird, Mullins, Nohe, Romano and Plymale Relating to unemployment compensation benefit eligibility for certain victims of domestic violence, sexual offenses or stalking (original same as H. B. No. 2520) Introduced 2/3/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 392. By Sen. Plymale Relating to public higher education procurement and payment of expenses - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Education then Finance
- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Reforming juvenile justice system - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Judiciary
- 394. By Sen. M. Hall, Carmichael, D. Hall, Miller and Plymale Relating to insurance coverage for rented or leased vehicles when driver has no coverage (original same as H. B. No. 2557) - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 395. By Sen. Sypolt, Facemire, Gaunch, Prezioso, Stollings, Plymale, Palumbo and Williams - Modifying definitions of "battery" and "domestic battery" - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Judiciary
- 396. By Sen. Sypolt, Facemire, Gaunch, Prezioso, Stollings, D. Hall, Plymale, Karnes, Palumbo, Romano and Williams Providing felony offense of domestic violence or sexual offense by strangling (original similar to H. B. No. 2240) Introduced 2/3/15 To Judiciary

- 397. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] -Transferring powers and duties of Affordable Housing Trust Fund to Housing Development Fund - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- 398. By Sen. Ferns, D. Hall and Stollings Extending expiration date for health care provider tax on eligible acute care hospitals Introduced 2/3/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- 399. By Sen. Ferns Relating to hospitals owned or operated by nonprofit corporations or associations or local governmental units - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 400. By Sen. Ferns Exempting certain employers from discriminating against tobacco users - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 401. By Sen. Ferns Relating to living arrangements for children in foster care and children sixteen years or older - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 402. By Sen. Blair Requiring personal income tax return include survey regarding use of tax dollars Introduced 2/3/15 To Finance
- 403. By Sen. Walters and Nohe Increasing period during which motor vehicle lien is valid - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 404. By Sen. Walters Requiring routine audits of major information technology projects - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- 405. By Sen. Walters Authorizing qualified entities access to Criminal Identification Bureau for certain purposes - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Judiciary

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

- By Sen. Boley Proposing constitutional amendment designated School Board Election Amendment - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Judiciary
- By Sen. Kessler, Williams, Laird and Miller Proposing constitutional amendment designated Future Fund Amendment - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- By Sen. Snyder and Miller Proposing constitutional amendment designated Homestead Exemption Calculation Amendment - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
- By Sen. Trump, D. Hall, Plymale and Prezioso Proposing constitutional amendment designated Disabled Veteran Exemption From Ad Valorem Property Taxation Amendment - Introduced 2/3/15 - To Finance

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

- By Sen. Cole, M. Hall and Kessler Authorizing payment of supplies, services, printing and other expenses - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted by Senate 1/14/15 - To House 1/15/15 - Reference dispensed - Adopted by House 1/15/15
- By Sen. D. Hall and Stollings Requesting DOH name US Rt. 54/6 in Wyoming County "Virginia & U. S. Army Major Woodrow Cook Memorial Road" -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Sen. Palumbo, Blair and Stollings Requesting DOH name portion of Rt. 25 in Kanawha County "U. S. Army Sgt. James Lawrence Taylor Memorial Road" -Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Sen. Yost, Snyder, Romano and Gaunch Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study issues facing military veterans and active duty service personnel - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Military then Rules - To Rules 1/22/15
- By Sen. Sypolt and Blair Urging Governor fill Board of Education vacancies -Introduced 1/15/15 - To Education
- By Sen. D. Hall and Stollings Requesting DOH name bridge in Raleigh County "John Thomas Scott II Memorial Bridge" - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Sen. Sypolt, Williams and Beach Requesting DOH name bridge in Preston County "Army Air Force SGT Everett Wayne 'Bud' Sell Memorial Bridge" -Introduced 1/16/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Sen. Trump, Blair, M. Hall, Leonhardt, Mullins, Unger, Williams, Kirkendoll, Romano, Snyder, Facemire, Stollings and D. Hall - Urging US EPA withdraw and/or rescind proposed definition of "waters of the United States" - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development - Adopted by Senate 1/28/15 - To House 1/29/15 - To Rules - To House Rules 1/29/15
- By Sen. Beach Petitioning Congress call convention for proposal of constitutional amendments - Introduced 1/19/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Trump, Kessler, Unger, Nohe, D. Hall and Prezioso Designating September each year as US Constitution Month - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Yost, Facemire, Kessler, Romano, D. Hall, Snyder, Unger, Plymale, Sypolt and Williams Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study workplace safety at state-operated behavioral health facilities Introduced 1/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Rules To Health and Human Resources 1/26/15

- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Carmichael and Kessler Adopting Joint Rules of Senate and House of Delegates - Introduced 1/26/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted by Senate 1/26/15 - To House 1/27/15 - Reference dispensed -Adopted by House 1/27/15
- By Sen. Ferns, D. Hall and Sypolt Urging Congress propose balanced budget amendment - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
- 14. By Sen. Beach, Kessler, Leonhardt, Prezioso, Unger, Stollings, Miller and Yost-Requesting DOH erect signs in Marion County designated "Home of Francis H. Pierpont" Introduced 1/30/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure

SENATE RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

- By Sen. Carmichael Adopting Rules of Senate Introduced 1/14/15 Committee reference dispensed - Amended - Adopted 1/14/15
- By Sen. Carmichael Raising committee to notify House Senate has assembled and organized - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/14/15
- By Sen. Carmichael Raising committee to notify Governor Legislature has organized - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/14/15
- By Sen. M. Hall Relating to mailing of bills and journals Introduced 1/14/15 -Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/14/15
- By Sen. Beach, Plymale, Williams, Stollings, Prezioso and D. Hall Celebrating Monongalia County - Introduced 1/15/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/15/15
- By Sen. Williams, Sypolt, Blair, Trump, Plymale, D. Hall and Beach Honoring Doris Marks on Mineral County Day - Introduced 1/15/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/15/15
- Authorizing appointment of employees Introduced 1/15/15 Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/16/15
- By Sen. Palumbo, Beach, Stollings and Williams Recognizing jazz drummer Butch Miles - Introduced 1/16/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/16/15
- By Sen. Ferns, Stollings, Palumbo, Kessler, Unger, Beach, Plymale, D. Hall, Trump and Prezioso - Designating January 21, 2015, Disability Advocacy Day -Introduced 1/21/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/21/15
- By Sen. Palumbo, Plymale and Beach Recognizing Nuru International -Introduced 1/21/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/21/15

- By Sen. Leonhardt, Facemire, Kessler, D. Hall and Plymale Recognizing Calhoun and Gilmer counties - Introduced 1/23/15 - Committee reference dispensed -Adopted 1/23/15
- By Sen. Unger, Snyder, Blair, Trump, Kessler, Beach, Prezioso and Stollings - Recognizing Leadership Berkeley - Introduced 1/26/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/26/15
- By Sen. Sypolt, Boley, Stollings, Plymale, Unger, Williams, D. Hall, Beach, Kessler, Nohe and Leonhardt - Designating January 27, 2015, Higher Education Day at Legislature - Introduced 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/27/15
- By Sen. Karnes, Boso, Stollings, Unger, D. Hall, Williams, Beach and Kessler-Designating January 27, 2015, Randolph County Day at Legislature - Introduced 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/27/15
- By Sen. Romano, Beach and Williams Recognizing independent insurance agent Timothy W. Dyer - Introduced 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/27/15
- By Sen. D. Hall, Kessler, Stollings, Plymale, Palumbo, Laird and Williams Designating January 28, 2015, Generation West Virginia Day Introduced 1/28/15
 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 1/28/15
- By Sen. Ferns, Kessler, Stollings, Plymale, Palumbo, Laird and Williams -Designating January 28, 2015, Kids at Risk Day at Legislature - Introduced 1/28/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/28/15
- By Sen. Walters, Stollings, Plymale, Palumbo and Williams Recognizing value and importance of state's innovation industry - Introduced 1/28/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/28/15
- By Sen. D. Hall, Ferns, Takubo, Stollings, Nohe, Unger, Williams and Beach Recognizing February 6, 2015, National Wear Red Day Introduced 2/2/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/2/15
- By Sen. Blair, Trump, Unger, Plymale and Williams Congratulating Dr. Allen Glasgow, 2015 Outstanding Tree Farmer - Introduced 2/3/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 2/3/15

HOUSE BILLS COMMUNICATED TO SENATE

*2001. By Del. Gearheart, Nelson, J., Arvon, Ellington, Folk, White, B., Frich, Hill, Householder, Moffatt and Shott - Repealing portions of the Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act (original same as S. B. No. 1) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy then Judiciary - To House Judiciary 1/16/15 - Passed House 1/22/15 - Title amended - To Senate 1/23/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Passed Senate

- 1/27/15 Effective from passage Senate requests House to concur in changed effective date 1/27/15 House concurred in Senate effective date 1/28/15 Effective from passage To Governor 1/29/15
- *2002. By Del. Wagner, Overington, Evans, A., Anderson, Waxman, Shott, Kelly, Nelson, E., Folk, Espinosa and Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) **Predicating actions for damages upon principles of comparative fault** (original same as S. B. No. 2 similar to S. B. No. 103) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Amendments pending Amended Passed House 1/27/15 Title amended To Senate 1/28/15 To Judiciary
- *2025. By Del. Howell, Shott, Hamrick, Romine, Sobonya, Espinosa, Miller, Weld, Statler, Kurcaba and Canterbury **Prohibiting certain sex offenders from loitering within one thousand feet of a school or child care facility** Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed House 1/23/15 To Senate 1/26/15 To Judiciary
- *2053. By Del. Shott **Relating to the form of trust deeds** Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed House 1/30/15 To Senate 2/2/15 To Judiciary
- 2138. By Del. Folk, Gearheart, Householder, Howell, Nelson, J., Ireland, Faircloth, Williams, Lynch, Shott and McGeehan Adding aircraft operations on private airstrips and farms to the definition of recreational purpose Introduced 1/20/15 To Judiciary Passed House 1/29/15 To Senate 1/30/15 To Judiciary
- 2200. By Del. Shott, Lane, McCuskey, Manchin and Fleischauer Revising, rearranging, consolidating and recodifying the laws of the State of West Virginia relating to child welfare (original same as S. B. No. 253) Introduced 1/21/15 To Judiciary then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Amended Passed House 2/3/15
- 2201. By Del. Ireland, Folk, Manchin, Lynch, Rowe, Fleischauer, Skinner, Fast, Fluharty, Byrd and Summers (Originating in House Judiciary) Requiring the Public Service Commission to adopt certain net metering and interconnection rules and standards (original similar to S. B. No. 1) Introduced 1/20/15 Amendments pending Reformed Amendment reported Amended Passed House 1/23/15 To Senate 1/26/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary To Energy, Industry and Mining 1/26/15 To Judiciary 1/28/15
- *2227. By Del. Phillips, L., Eldridge, Gearheart, Moffatt, Nelson, J., White, H., Guthrie, Rowe, Marcum, Perdue and Hornbuckle Relating to the National Coal Heritage Area Authority (original same as S. B. No. 282) Introduced 1/22/15 To Government Organization Passed House 1/30/15 To Senate 2/2/15 To Government Organization

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS COMMUNICATED TO SENATE

 By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) - Extending an invitation to His Excellency, the Governor, to deliver an address to the Legislature and raising a Joint Assembly **therefor** - Introduced 1/14/15 - Reference dispensed - Adopted by House 1/14/15 - To Senate 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted by Senate 1/14/15

SENATE BILLS PASSED LEGISLATURE

- By Sen. Palumbo, Leonhardt, Boley, Ferns, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Blair, Williams, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Cole (Mr. President) -Relating to real property possessor's liability for trespasser harm (original same as H. B. No. 2003) - Passed 1/29/2015
- *280. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Boley, Ferns, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Prezioso, Facemire, D. Hall, Williams, Kessler, Palumbo and Beach Allowing well work permit transfers Passed 1/28/2015; Effective from passage To Governor 2/2/15

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY LEGISLATURE

- By Sen. Cole, M. Hall and Kessler Authorizing payment of supplies, services, printing and other expenses - Adopted 1/15/15
- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Carmichael and Kessler Adopting Joint Rules of Senate and House of Delegates - Adopted 1/27/15

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SENATE CALENDAR

Wednesday, February 4, 2015

11:00 A.M.

THIRD READING

- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 284 Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms (With right to amend).
- Eng. S. B. No. 312 Relating to disqualification of general election nominees for failure to file campaign finance statements.
- Eng. S. B. No. 318 Relating to payment of wages by employers.
- Eng. S. B. No. 322 Eliminating mandatory electronic recount of ballots in recounts.
- Eng. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 323 Relating to municipal home rule.
- Eng. S. B. No. 326 Eliminating campaign finance reporting by candidates for delegate to national convention.

SECOND READING

S. B. No. 389 - Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements. [PASSAGE]

FIRST READING

- S. B. No. 250 Relating to Conservation Agency financial assistance applications from district supervisors (original same as S. B. No. 121). [PASSAGE]
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 261 Clarifying definition of "owner" of dam.

- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 279 Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner (original similar to H. B. No. 2217).
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 374 Permitting in absentia parole hearings in certain instances. [PASSAGE]
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 375 Specifying who receives parole hearing notices via regular or certified mail. [PASSAGE]

ANNOUNCED SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Regular Session 2015

Wednesday, February 4, 2015

10 a.m.	Military	(Room No. 451M)
1 p.m.	Economic Development	(Room No. 451M)
2 p.m.	Natural Resources	(Room No. 451M)
2 p.m.	Pensions	(Room No. 208W)