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Charleston, W. Va., Monday, February 23, 2015

The Senate met at 11 a.m.

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

Prayer was offered by Bishop Joe Thomas, Nondenominational Fellowship Pentecostal Ministries, Charleston, West Virginia.

The Senate was then led in recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance by the Honorable Michael A. Woelfel, a senator from the fifth district.

Pending the reading of the Journal of Friday, February 20, 2015,

On motion of Senator Blair, 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 third order of business.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the concurrence by that body in the passage of

Eng. Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 255, Eliminating certain boards, councils, committees, panels, task forces and commissions.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the concurrence by that body in the passage of

**Eng. Senate Bill No. 298,** Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the amendment by that body, passage as amended, and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the House of Delegates amendment, as to

Eng. Senate Bill No. 299, Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments.

On motion of Senator Carmichael, the message on the bill was taken up for immediate consideration.

The following House of Delegates amendment to the bill was reported by the Clerk:

On page eight, section ten, line thirty-two, after the word "jurisdiction" by changing the period to a colon and inserting the following proviso: *Provided*, That in no circumstance may the disability payments begin prior to termination of employment in order to avoid an in-service distribution.

On motion of Senator Carmichael, the Senate concurred in the House of Delegates amendment to the bill.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 299, as amended by the House of Delegates, was then 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, Nohe, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Unger, Williams, Woelfel, Yost and Cole (Mr. President)–31.

The nays were: None.

Absent: Miller, Mullins and Walters–3.

So, a majority of all the members elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. S. B. No. 299) passed with its title.

*Ordered*, That The Clerk communicate to the House of Delegates the action of the Senate.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the concurrence by that body in the passage of

Eng. Senate Bill No. 302, Relating to state retirement plans.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the concurrence by that body in the passage, to take effect from passage, of

Eng. Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 378, Relicensing electricians without retesting under certain circumstances.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2054—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §37-6-31, relating to the right of the landlord of

commercial premises to terminate the lease under certain circumstances and providing a process for the termination.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body, to take effect from passage, and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2139—A Bill to amend and reenact §18A-2-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to employment of retired teachers as substitutes in areas of critical need and shortage for substitutes; requiring days of retirement before instructional term employed as substitute; requiring electronic posting of vacancy; requiring preemployment submission of information to, and verification of compliance by, state board prior to submission to retirement board; resetting expiration date of provisions; and making other technical improvements.

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

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2140—A Bill to amend and reenact §18-2E-5 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to building governance and leadership capacity of county board during period of state intervention; providing flexibility on strategic plans; authorizing removal, subject to reemployment, of will and pleasure employees of the county superintendent during intervention in operation of school system; requiring during periods of intervention, county board goals and action plans for improvement and sustained success to end intervention in not more than five years; specifying minimum components of goals and action plans; requiring annual

assessment and report of readiness of county to accept return and sustain improvement; requiring public hearing if determination made at fifth annual assessment the county board not ready; continued intervention allowed only after hearing; requiring continued supports as needed for three years following end of intervention; and requiring public hearing for another intervention within this three years.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2187—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §5-6-17, relating to patriotic displays at public buildings; allowing for the national motto, 'In God We Trust', to be displayed on public buildings; allowing for the display of the POW-MIA flag at public buildings; and requiring the State Building Commission to develop guidelines for appropriate display of the motto and flag.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

**Eng. House Bill No. 2272**—A Bill to repeal §16-5W-1, § §16-5W-2, §16-5W-3, §16-5W-4, §16-5W-5, §16-5W-6, §16-5W-7, and §16-5W-8, of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, and to amend and reenact §30-5-7, of said code, relating the authority of the Board of Pharmacy to maintain an official prescription paper program; and allowing pharmacy interns to administer certain immunizations.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the concurrence by that body in the Senate amended title, passage as amended, of

Eng. House Bill No. 2274, Authorizing the Commissioner of Corrections to enter into mutual aid agreements.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

**Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2432**—A Bill to amend and reenact §30-5-9 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the licensure requirements to practice pharmacist care.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2461—A Bill to amend and reenact §33-10-4 and §33-10-26 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to delinquency proceedings of insurers; issuance of injunctions or orders following the commencement of a rehabilitation or liquidation proceeding of an insurer; and providing limitations on the avoidance of a transfer to a federal home loan bank in a liquidation proceeding of an insurer-member of the federal home loan bank.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of **Eng. House Bill No. 2492**—A Bill to repeal §29-5A-10 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the authority of the State Athletic Commission.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2505-A Bill to amend and reenact §5-10-17 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §7-14D-5 of said code; to amend and reenact §8-22A-6 of said code; to amend and reenact §15-2A-3 of said code; to amend and reenact §16-5V-6 of said code; and to amend and reenact §18-7A-13 of said code, all relating to retirement system participation; clarifying that police officers and firefighters hired after a certain date are members of the West Virginia Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System; clarifying that members first employed in covered employment in the West Virginia Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System, West Virginia Municipal Police Officers and Firefighters Retirement System or the West Virginia Emergency Medical Services Retirement System shall participate in only one retirement system administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board in which the member has the earliest date of hire: and specifying that members of the Public Employees Retirement System, the State Police Retirement System and the Teachers' Retirement System who are employed in an additional job that requires membership in the West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement System, the West Virginia Municipal Police Officers and Firefighters Retirement System or the West Virginia Emergency Medical Services Retirement System shall abide by the concurrent employment provisions of said system and participate in only one system administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2507—A Bill to amend and reenact §8-22A-2 and §8-22A-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to membership provisions in the West Virginia Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.

Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2545—A Bill to amend and reenact §18A-4-2a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to reimbursement of certification fee for National Board for Professional Teaching Standards certification; and requiring the submission of satisfactory evidence to the West Virginia Department of Education for reimbursement.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2598—A Bill to amend and reenact §18-20-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to school accommodations for exceptional children; and requiring that teachers receive instruction relating to the school's plan of accommodations for students with disabilities.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

**Eng. House Bill No. 2625**–A Bill to amend and reenact §22-18-22 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the Hazardous Waste Management Fee Fund, by extending its sunset provision from June 30, 2015 to June 30, 2020.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2626—A Bill to amend and reenact §22-2-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to use of the Abandoned Land Reclamation Fund.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body, to take effect July 1, 2015, and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2632—A Bill to amend and reenact §5A-3-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §18-2E-7 of said code; and to amend and reenact §18-9A-10 of said code, all relating to procurement of instructional materials, digital content resources, instructional technology, hardware, software, telecommunications and technical services for use in and in support of public schools; exempting procurement of these items from division of purchasing requirements; removing outdated language and updating name of state technology plan; requiring the State Board of Education to define "equitable distribution"; requiring certain technology tools to adhere to state contract prices; adding personalized learning as potential student use for technology;

providing for technology system specialists; and removing expired transitional funding language and references to the twenty-first century.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2646-A Bill to repeal §11-12-86 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to repeal §29-3-23, §29-3-24, §29-3-25 and §29-3-26 of said code; to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §9A-1-11b; to amend said code by adding thereto a new article, designated §29-3E-1, \$29-3E-2, \$29-3E-3, \$29-3E-4, \$29-3E-5, \$29-3E-6, \$29-3E-7, §29-3E-8, §29-3E-9, §29-3E-10, §29-3E-11, §29-3E-12 and §29-3E-13; and to amend and reenact §61-3E-1 and §61-3E-11 of said code, all relating to legalizing and regulating the sale and use of fireworks; eliminating the prohibition on the sale, possession and explosion of fireworks; eliminating the requirement that the State Fire Marshal seize and destroy fireworks and combustibles illegally held; eliminating the prohibition on nonresidents without in-state legal counsel to obtain a permit for conducting of a pyrotechnic display; eliminating the sparkler and novelty registration fee; eliminating certain defined terms; eliminating exemptions; defining terms; creating standards for the production and transport of fireworks; establishing registration requirements for sales of sparklers, novelties and toy caps; creating a certification requirement for the sale of consumer fireworks; establishing permit requirements for public fireworks displays; creating the West Virginia Veterans Program Fund to be administered by the Department of Veterans' Assistance; imposing a twenty percent fee on each dollar of a sale for the sale of fireworks and providing for the allocation of the fee collections between the West Virginia Veterans Program Fund for veterans programs, the Fire Protection Fund for volunteer fire departments, and the Fire Marshal Fees Fund; providing for public fireworks displays; providing for rules; authorizing seizures by the

State Fire Marshal; providing exemptions; and providing for criminal penalties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

**Eng. House Bill No. 2663**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §18-10G-5a, relating to creating the Rehabilitation Services Vending Program Fund.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. House Bill No. 2669—A Bill to amend and reenact §16-3D-2 and §16-3D-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to compulsory tuberculosis testing; defining terms; removing requirement for compulsory tuberculosis testing for school children transferring from outside this state; removing the requirement for recording test results, immediate evaluations by a physician of positive reactors, and X rays upon a positive test; omitting the requirement for all school personnel to have one tuberculin test at the time of employment; and eliminating the requirement that local health officers be responsible for arranging follow-up of school personnel and students who are not able to get a physician evaluation for a positive tuberculin skin test.

At the request of Senator Sypolt, and by unanimous consent, reference of the bill to a committee was dispensed with, and it was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body, to take effect from passage, and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2702—A Bill to amend and reenact §18-5-18 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §18A-4-8, §18A-4-8a and §18A-4-8b of said code, all relating to redefining service personnel class titles of early childhood classroom assistant teacher; protecting certain aides from reduction in force or transfer to create vacancy for less senior early childhood classroom assistant teacher; requiring aide who becomes employed as early childhood classroom assistant teacher to hold certain multiclassification status; and including early childhood assistant classroom assistant teacher in same classification category as aides.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the passage by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of

**Eng. House Bill No. 2726**—A Bill to amend and reenact §55-8-16 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to choice of law in product liability actions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

**Com. Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 4**—Requesting the Division of Highways to name the bridge on Route 14, bridge number 23-14-0.20 (23A369) latitude 37.81184, longitude -81.93115 in Logan County, locally known as Rum Creek CSX Overpass, the "U.S. Army PFC Clarence Allen Mooney Memorial Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

**Com. Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 6**—Requesting the Division of Highways to name bridge number 39-7-26.83 (39A194), locally known as Corinth Railroad Overpass, carrying WV 7 over CSX RAILROAD in Preston county, the "U.S. Army Air Force SGT Everett Wayne 'Bud' Sell Memorial Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

**Com. Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 9**—Requesting the Division of Highways to name bridge number 55-54-1.44, locally known as the Winding Gulf Bridge, carrying WV Route 54 over Slab Fork in Wyoming County, the "U.S. Air Force Lt. Col. John Richard 'Toots' Wilcox Memorial Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

Com. Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 19—Requesting the Division of Highways to name the Section of US Route 16 from the Donald J. Bragg Memorial Bridge to the intersection of County Route 14 in Logan County, the "U.S. Army SGT Bobby Ray Adkins Memorial Highway".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

Com. Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 21–Requesting the Division of Highways to name the bridge on U. S. Route 19 crossing Scott's Run, bridge number 31-19-14.98, (39.66036, -80.00463), locally known as Osage Bridge, near Osage in Monongalia County, the "U. S. Army Air Corps PFC James Elwood Wickline Memorial Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

**Com.** Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 27–Requesting the Division of Highways to name a future bridge with a design number of 10978, longitude 38.39933, latitude -81.57895, carrying future County Route 219/32 over the Elk River in Kanawha County the "West Virginia Air National Guard 167th Fighter Squadron Memorial Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

**Com.** Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 28–Requesting the Division of Highways to name the bridge on County Route 32, Evergreen Road, in Upshur County, bridge number 49-32-8-16, as the "USMC Cpl Marple W. Landes and U.S. Army PV2 Margel S. Landes Memorial Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

**Com.** Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 32–Requesting the Division of Highways to name the bridge on Upper Pinch Creek Road that carries County Route 52/2 over Pinch Creek in Kanawha County, bridge number 20-52/2-0.10 (20A331), latitude 38.41945, longitude -81.48488, as the "Lipscomb Brothers Veterans Bridge".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

A message from The Clerk of the House of Delegates announced the adoption by that body and requested the concurrence of the Senate in the adoption of

Com. Sub. for House Concurrent Resolution No. 35—Requesting the Division of Highways name a section of United States Route 33 from the Ritchie Bridge in Ravenswood, Jackson County to its intersection with Interstate 79 at Exit 99 in Lewis County, and from where United States Routes 219 and 33 diverge just north of Elkins in Randolph County to the Randolph/Pendleton County line "The Historic Blue-Gray Highway".

Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

The Senate proceeded to the fourth order of business.

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. 24,** Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.

And,

**Senate Bill No. 360,** Repealing code sections relating to book indexes and claims reports required by court clerks.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bills (S. B. Nos. 24 and 360) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary were each taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 140,** Amending State Administrative Procedures Act.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 140 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to repeal §29A-2-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §29A-1-2 of said code; to amend said code by adding thereto two new sections, designated §29A-1-3a and §29A-1-3b; and to amend and reenact §29A-3-1a, §29A-3-4, §29A-3-8, §29A-3-13 and §29A-3-15 of said code, all relating generally to the State Administrative Procedures

Act; defining "legislative exempt rule"; providing certain technical amendments; providing for nullification and voiding of rules; setting forth requirements for amendments to existing rules, proposed new rules and repeal of existing rules; establishing filing and adoption requirements for legislative exempt rules; making legislative rules effective upon filing; requiring agency to provide list of interested parties with emergency rules; and changing number of copies required when filing an emergency rule.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 140) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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 Nos. 178, 179, 180, 181, 194, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227 and 228, Authorizing Board of Registration for Professional Engineers promulgate legislative rule relating to examination, licensure and practice.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 199 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)-A Bill to amend and reenact article 9, chapter 64 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating generally to the promulgation of administrative rules by miscellaneous agencies and boards; legislative mandate or authorization for the promulgation of certain legislative rules by various executive or administrative agencies of the state; authorizing certain of the agencies to promulgate certain legislative rules as amended by the Legislature; authorizing certain of the agencies to promulgate certain legislative rules in the form that the rules were filed in the State Register; authorizing certain of the agencies to promulgate certain legislative rules with various modifications presented to and recommended by the Legislative Rule-Making Review Committee; authorizing certain of the agencies to promulgate certain legislative rules with various modifications; authorizing Board of Registration for Professional Engineers to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the examination, licensure and practice for professional engineers; authorizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction to promulgate a legislative rule relating to lawenforcement training and certification standards; authorizing Real Estate Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to requirements for registration and renewal of appraisal management companies; authorizing Board of Medicine to promulgate a legislative rule relating to licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures, continuing education and physician assistants; authorizing Enterprise Resource Planning Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the enterprise resource planning system user fee; authorizing Board of Physical Therapy to promulgate a legislative rule relating to fees for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants; authorizing Board of Osteopathic Medicine to promulgate a legislative rule relating to fees for services rendered by the board; authorizing Board of Osteopathic Medicine to promulgate a legislative rule relating to osteopathic physician assistants; authorizing Board of Pharmacy to promulgate a legislative rule relating to immunizations administered by pharmacists; authorizing Board of Pharmacy to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the registration of pharmacy technicians; authorizing Board of

Pharmacy to promulgate a legislative rule relating to controlled substances monitoring; authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate a legislative rule relating to licensure and the practice of pharmacy; authorizing Board of Dental Examiners to promulgate a legislative rule relating to formation and approval of professional limited liability companies; authorizing Board of Dental Examiners to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the board; authorizing Board of Dental Examiners to promulgate a legislative rule relating to dental recovery networks; authorizing Board of Dental Examiners to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the formation and approval of dental corporations and dental practice ownership; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to frozen desserts and imitation frozen desserts; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to animal disease control; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to auctioneers; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to fee structure for the Pesticide Control Act of 1990: authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the West Virginia Plant Pest Act; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule to inspection of meat and poultry; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the West Virginia Spay Neuter Assistance Program; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to livestock care standards; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to industrial hemp; authorizing Commissioner of Agriculture to promulgate a legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals; authorizing Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the procedures for recount of election results; authorizing Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative

rule relating to the standards and guidelines for electronic notarization; authorizing Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to notaries public; authorizing Secretary of State to promulgate a legislative rule relating to a schedule of fees for notaries public; authorizing Family Protection Services Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure; authorizing Family Protection Services Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to domestic violence program licensure standards; authorizing Family Protection Services Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the Monitored Parenting and Exchange Program certification; authorizing Family Protection Services Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to the operation of the board; and authorizing Family Protection Services Board to promulgate a legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure for correctional institutions.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 199) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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

Your Committee on the Judiciary has had under consideration

**Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 273** (originating in the Committee on Economic Development), Relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations.

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

Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 273 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)-A Bill to amend and reenact §11-16-3, §11-16-6, §11-16-9 and §11-16-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto two new sections, designated §11-16-6a and §11-16-6b, all relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations; clarifying definitions; providing legislative findings; authorizing licensed brewers and resident brewers to offer complimentary nonintoxicating beer and nonintoxicating craft beer samples; authorizing licensed brewers and resident brewers to sell growlers with limitations; authorizing licensed brewpubs, Class A retail dealers, Class B retail dealers, private clubs, Class A retail licensees and Class B retail licensees to sell growlers with limitations; clarifying licensing and operational requirements for brewers, resident brewers and brewpubs; changing license fee schedule for certain brewers and resident brewers; decreasing license fee for brewpubs; requiring brewers and resident brewers to submit annual reports of production; and removing brewpub bonding requirements.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute for committee substitute do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 273) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 304, Relating to farmers markets.

With an amendment from the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development pending;

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass as amended by the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development to which the bill was first referred.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (S. B. No. 304) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 346,** Creating Mental Health, Veterans and Service Members Court Act.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 346 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931,

as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §62-16-1, §62-16-2, §62-16-3, §62-16-4, §62-16-5, §62-16-6, §62-16-7, §62-16-8, §62-16-9, §62-16-10, §62-16-11, §62-16-12 and §62-16-13, all relating to establishing a Mental Health and Military Service Member Court program within the Supreme Court of Appeals; defining terms; granting authority to oversee the court to the Administrator of the Supreme Court of Appeals; setting forth structure of the court; providing for written agreement to participate in the court; setting forth incentives for successful participation; providing for sanctions for violation of provisions of the court; setting out disposition on successful completion; providing for teams to function within the court; setting forth eligibility requirements for participation; setting forth procedure to participate in the court; allowing for mental health and drug treatment services for participants; providing for governance of the court by the Supreme Court of Appeals; setting forth information to be maintained on participants; providing for funding mechanisms which may include court fees; and providing for limitation of liability.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

The bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 346), under the original double committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on Finance.

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. 351,** Relating to charitable organization contribution levels requiring independent audit reports.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 351 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §29-19-5 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to contribution levels by charitable organizations necessary for submission of an audit report of the organization by an independent certified public accountant; and requiring additional information on registration statement.

And,

**Senate Bill No. 353,** Transferring motor vehicle inspection program to State Police Superintendent.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 353 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §17C-16-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to designating the Superintendent of the West Virginia State Police as current administrator and enforcer of the motor vehicle inspection program.

With the recommendation that the two committee substitutes do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bills (Com. Sub. for S. B. Nos. 351 and 353) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary were each taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 373,** Allowing wireless communication image serve as proof of motor vehicle insurance.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 373 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §17D-2A-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to allowing image displayed on a wireless communication device to serve as proof of insurance on a motor vehicle.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 373) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up

for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 399,** Relating to hospitals owned or operated by nonprofit corporations or associations or local governmental units.

And,

Senate Bill No. 418, Relating to trustee real estate sale under deed of trust.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bills (S. B. Nos. 399 and 418) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary were each taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 456,** Relating to letters of merit in medical professional liability actions.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 456 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §55-7B-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to medical professional liability; allowing admissibility of letters of merit in actions against health care providers; and allowing testimony of a health care provider at trial or during a deposition upon issuing a letter of merit.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 456) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 484,** Relating to procedure for removal of certain county, school district and municipal officers.

And has amended same.

And,

**Senate Bill No. 489,** Imposing statute of limitations on civil actions derived from surveying of real property.

And has amended same.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bills (S. B. Nos. 484 and 489) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary were each taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 508,** Reorganizing Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority.

And has amended same.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (S. B. No. 508) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

Senator Gaunch, from the Committee on Interstate Cooperation, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Interstate Cooperation has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 510,** Amending Uniform Interstate Family Support Act.

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,

C. Edward Gaunch, *Chair*.

The bill, 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. 523,** Creating Alcohol and Drug Overdose Prevention and Clemency Act.

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

Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 523 (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)-A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §16-47-1, \$16-47-2, \$16-47-3, \$16-47-4, \$16-47-5 and \$16-47-6, all relating to obtaining emergency medical assistance for persons who may be experiencing alcohol or drug overdose; establishing short title; stating legislative findings; defining terms; providing immunity from prosecution in limited circumstances for persons who call for emergency medical assistance for person who reasonably appears to be experiencing drug or alcohol overdose; specifying required actions to be eligible for immunity from prosecution for certain misdemeanor offenses; providing seeking emergency medical assistance may be raised as mitigating factor at sentencing in certain criminal proceedings; providing limited immunity does not preclude civil claims based on violations of exempted misdemeanor criminal statutes; providing option of limited immunity from prosecution; providing deferred prosecution, pretrial diversion, adjudication in drug court and other elemency options for the court to consider for persons who experienced drug or alcohol overdose for whom emergency medical assistance was sought; allowing persons to plead guilty to certain exempted criminal offenses if desired; and providing law-enforcement personnel limited civil immunity in arresting or issuing citations, except in cases of willful, wanton and reckless misconduct.

With the recommendation that the committee substitute do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 523) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration, read a first time and ordered to second reading.

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. 532,** Relating to civil liability immunity for clinical practice plans and medical and dental school personnel.

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 Finance.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

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

The Senate proceeded to the fifth order of business.

### Filed Conference Committee Reports

The Clerk announced the following conference committee report had been filed at 11:40 a.m. today:

Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2025, Prohibiting certain sex offenders from loitering within one thousand feet of a school or child care facility.

The Senate proceeded to the sixth order of business.

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

#### By Senators Carmichael, Blair and D. Hall:

Senate Bill No. 541-A Bill to amend and reenact §3-8-1a. §3-8-2, §3-8-3, §3-8-4, §3-8-5, §3-8-5a, §3-8-5b, §3-8-7, §3-8-8, §3-8-9, §3-8-10 and §3-8-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §3-8-9a, all relating generally to the regulation and control of elections; modifying what qualifies as a federal reporting exemption; requiring certain contributions be reported to State Election Commission within forty-eight hours of their receipt; deleting certain reports by membership organizations that raise funds for political purposes by payroll; permitting certain financial statements by mail or in person; requiring Secretary of State to maintain an online database; setting forth additional powers of State Election Commission; requiring Attorney General to provide assistance when requested; permitting a political committee to transfer funds to a national, state or local committee of a political party without limitation; permitting a candidate committee to contribute to another candidate committee for the purpose of retiring debt incurred during a prior election; permitting a political action committee to contribute to another political action committee; establishing expenditure limits by political party committees, political party caucuses and candidates; permitting candidates, after a general election, to transfer any unused contributions to state party executive committees, state party legislative caucus committees, local committees of a political party or any other candidate for public office without limitation; modifying and adding definitions; and creating criminal penalties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

# By Senators D. Hall, Carmichael, M. Hall, Gaunch, Trump, Blair and Nohe:

**Senate Bill No. 542**—A Bill to amend and reenact §46A-2-121, §46A-2-122, §46A-2-125, §46A-2-126 and §46A-2-128 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §46A-5-101 and §46A-5-106 of said code; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §46A-5-107, all relating

to unconscionability; defining "creditor", "debt collector" and "person"; engaging any person in a telephone conversation; failure to disclose a caller's identity; convenient time for communicating with a consumer; unreasonable publication by disclosure of caller's identity; affirmation of an obligation pursuant to bankruptcy law; means of giving notice of a consumer's representation by an attorney; a ringing phone not answered by the consumer does not constitute a prohibited communication; damages and penalties for violation; no action may be brought more than four years after the violation or excess charge occurred; allowing time after discovery to correct an error without liability; adjustment of damages for inflation; and venue of an action or proceeding brought by a consumer.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### By Senator Trump:

**Senate Bill No. 543**—A Bill to amend and reenact §29-22A-10d and §29-22A-10e of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to transferring certain revenues derived from racetrack video lottery, lottery racetrack table games and lottery historic resort hotel gaming activities to the State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund for appropriation.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

### By Senators Sypolt, Stollings and D. Hall:

Senate Bill No. 544—A Bill to amend and reenact §18-2-7a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to procedures for body mass index screening in schools; establishing legislative findings; providing physical education and physical activity requirements for physical education classes in schools; establishing procedures for collecting body mass index data of students; allowing for the contracting for collecting body mass index of students; permitting or requiring parents and guardians of students to obtain body mass index data from a provider selected by the parent or guardian and to submit the results to the appropriate authority; requiring board to provide to parents information about the body

mass index screening program; requiring board, in certain circumstances, to provide to parents and guardians a list of providers and information about screening services available in the community for parents and guardians who cannot afford a private provider; requiring that students not be subjected to body mass screening when parents or guardians do not wish for their children to be subjected to the same; requiring that prior written consent be obtained before any student is subjected to body mass screening; requiring that parents be advised of risks associated with body mass index screening and that parents or guardians be provided with information about appropriately addressing the risks; requiring that the confidentiality of each student be maintained and that each student's privacy is protected by ensuring that each student is screened alone and not in the presence of other students or staff.

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

#### By Senators Nohe, Walters, Palumbo and Gaunch:

**Senate Bill No. 545**—A Bill to amend and reenact §31A-4-26 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to removing requirement of prior approval of overdrafts made by a director or executive officer of a banking institution under certain conditions.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### By Senators Carmichael, Kessler and D. Hall:

Senate Bill No. 546—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated \$16-8A-1, \$16-8A-2, \$16-8A-3, \$16-8A-4, \$16-8A-5, \$16-8A-6, \$16-8A-7, \$16-8A-8, \$16-8A-9, \$16-8A-10, \$16-8A-11, \$16-8A-12, \$16-8A-13, \$16-8A-14, \$16-8A-15, \$16-8A-16, \$16-8A-17, \$16-8A-18, \$16-8A-19, \$16-8A-20, \$16-8A-21, \$16-8A-22, \$16-8A-23 and \$16-8A-24, all relating to creating the Compassionate Use Act for Medical Cannabis; providing for protections for the medical use of cannabis; limitations of article; prohibiting discrimination; authorizing addition of debilitating

medical conditions; registration of qualifying patients and designated caregivers; issuance of registry identification cards; affirmative defense and dismissal for medical marijuana; providing misdemeanor offense and criminal penalties for disclosing certain information; and otherwise providing for the enforcement of this article.

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

#### By Senators Stollings and D. Hall:

**Senate Bill No. 547**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §19-24A-1, §19-24A-2, §19-24A-3, §19-24A-4, §19-24A-5, §19-24A-6, §19-24A-7 and §19-24A-8, all relating to creating the West Virginia Greyhound Racing Cessation Program; legislative findings and definitions; creating West Virginia Greyhound Racing Cessation Fund; and providing formulas for pay outs to greyhound racing entities and termination of the program and fund following verification that all pay outs have been made.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### By Senators Blair, Karnes and Leonhardt:

**Senate Bill No. 548**—A Bill to amend and reenact §3-10-1, §3-10-3 and §3-10-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to filling of vacancies in elected offices; and setting forth procedures for filling vacancies in office of United States Senator.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## By Senators M. Hall, Blair, Kessler, Unger and D. Hall:

**Senate Bill No. 549**—A Bill to amend and reenact §15-2-5 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to classifying civilian positions within West Virginia State Police forensic laboratory; establishing salaries; and requiring a manual.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### By Senators Kirkendoll, Kessler, Stollings and Unger:

Senate Bill No. 550—A Bill to amend and reenact §7-1-3ff of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §8-12-16 of said code, all relating to authorizing county commissions and municipalities to cooperate and enter into agreements removing or demolishing dwellings or buildings unfit for human habitation.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

# By Senators D. Hall, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Palumbo, Romano, Unger and Sypolt:

Senate Bill No. 551—A Bill to amend and reenact §5-10-15 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to availability of military service credit for members of the West Virginia Public Employees Retirement System; clarifying that active service under Title 10 and Title 32 of the United States Code and active state service in the West Virginia National Guard qualify for military service credit; clarifying the methodology for awarding military service credit; clarifying the prohibition on use of military service to obtain military service credit in more than one retirement system administered by the board; clarifying applicability of liberality clause to the board's decisions to grant or deny requests for military service credit; and making other technical clarifications and corrections.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senator D. Hall:

Senate Bill No. 552—A Bill to amend and reenact §5B-2-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to providing funds for Tourism Promotion Fund; requiring annual deposits from general revenue into Tourism Promotion Fund; creating subaccount of Tourism Promotion Fund; setting parameters for spending money in subaccount; detailing certain transfers of funds; and requiring Division of Tourism to conduct a study.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senators Sypolt, Blair, Karnes and Takubo:

**Senate Bill No. 553**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §2-2-13, relating to establishing English language as official language of the state; requiring all state activities and records to be in English; defining a term; and providing exceptions.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## By Senator Walters:

**Senate Bill No. 554**—A Bill to amend and reenact §46A-6-102 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §46A-6-111, all relating to limiting termination fee a provider of broadband/Internet service may impose.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senators Ferns, Blair and D. Hall:

Senate Bill No. 555–A Bill to amend and reenact §16-4C-3, §16-4C-4, §16-4C-5 and §16-4C-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto three new sections, designated §16-4C-4a, §16-4C-4b and §16-4C-5a, all relating to emergency medical services; continuing Office of Emergency Medical Services as an independent office within Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety; updating definitions; creating positions of Executive Director, Medical Director and Administrative Director for the office; establishing and clarifying powers and duties of directors; establishing Emergency Medical Services Commission with nine members; and requirements for state medical protocols.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

## By Senators M. Hall and Ferns:

**Senate Bill No. 556**—A Bill to amend and reenact §30-30-16 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to requirements for provisional social worker licenses.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

## By Senators D. Hall and Takubo:

**Senate Bill No. 557**–A Bill to amend and reenact §30-20A-1, §30-20A-2, §30-20A-3, §30-20A-4, §30-20A-5, §30-20A-6 and §30-20A-7 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said article by adding thereto nine new sections, designated §30-20A-8, §30-20A-9, §30-20A-10, §30-20A-11, §30-20A-12, §30-20A-13, §30-20A-14, §30-20A-15 and §30-20A-16, all relating to licensing practice of athletic training; and providing criminal penalties.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources.

# By Senators Trump, Blair and D. Hall:

Senate Bill No. 558—A Bill to amend and reenact §19-21A-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to powers and duties of a conservation district; and permitting conservation districts to award scholarships in limited amounts under certain circumstances.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

# By Senators M. Hall and Ferns:

**Senate Bill No. 559**—A Bill to amend and reenact §30-30-18 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to exemptions from the social work licensing requirements of this article.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

## By Senators Trump and D. Hall:

**Senate Bill No. 560**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §51-1-22, relating to establishing a new special revenue fund for the purpose of collecting and remitting moneys to the State Treasury for use of certain advanced technology provided by Supreme Court of Appeals.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senators Laird and Kessler:

Senate Bill No. 561—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §18B-20-1, §18B-20-2 and §18B-20-3, all relating to establishment of an Economic Adjustment Evaluation Task Force to study the impact of the closure or substantial change in the scope of operation of any campus of a state two- or four-year institution of higher learning; composition of task force; and report of task force to Joint Committee on Government and Finance.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senators Yost and Kessler:

**Senate Bill No. 562**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §9-5-24, relating to requiring the Department of Health and Human Resources review rates paid to health care providers.

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

# By Senators D. Hall and Kessler:

**Senate Bill No. 563**–A Bill to amend and reenact §29-22A-7, §29-22A-8, §29-22A-9 and §29-22A-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §29-22C-7 and §29-22C-29 of said code, all relating to eliminating the requirement that race tracks have agreements with the

representatives of local horse owners, trainers, pari-mutuel clerks, breeders and kennel owners, to have a video lottery license; eliminating the prohibition against having automated teller machines in gaming area; allowing video lottery play on days when live or televised racing not conducted at racetrack; eliminating a procedure for local option election to eliminate video lottery; eliminating a procedure for local option election to eliminate table games; and allowing persons under twenty-one who are accompanied by an adult to cross a gaming area on a path approved by the commission to get to food service areas.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senators Trump and Nohe:

Senate Bill No. 564—A Bill to amend and reenact §22C-8-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to spacing of shallow horizontal wells on multiple well pads; and authorizing Shallow Gas Well Review Board grant waivers of minimum distance requirements for shallow wells.

Referred to the Committee on Energy, Industry and Mining; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

# By Senators Walters, D. Hall, Miller and Sypolt:

Senate Bill No. 565—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-10-11 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to authorizing the Tax Commissioner to collect tax, interest and penalties due and owing from payments to vendors and contractors from the Auditor and other state, county, district or municipal officers and agents; requiring the Auditor and other state, county, district or municipal officers and agents to certify to the Tax Commissioner the identity of payees prior to the first payment and prior to any subsequent payments; authorizing the Tax Commissioner to identify those payees who are not in good standing with the Tax Department; requiring the Auditor or issuing officer or agent to forward to the Tax Commissioner the lesser of the amount owed or the remaining amount of payment; requiring the Auditor or issuing officer or agent to notify the vendor or contractor of the amount being withheld;

requiring payment be withheld until the vendor or contractor is in good standing with the Tax Department; specifying that, for contracts which are subject to county or municipal business and occupation tax, payments are withheld until released by the county or municipality after all business and occupation taxes have been paid, including any authorized transaction fee, additions to tax, interest and penalty; defining terms, excluding employees of this state, or any county, district or political subdivision thereof who receive no nonemployee compensation from treatment as vendors and contractors for purposes of specified provisions, authorizing the Tax Commissioner to enter into agreements to comply with mandates of the provision and to protect taxpayer information; authorizing the Tax Commissioner and the Auditor to propose legislative rules; and specifying effective date.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

## By Senator Takubo:

Senate Bill No. 566—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §11-13DD-1, §11-13DD-2, §11-13DD-3, §11-13DD-4, §11-13DD-5, §11-13DD-6, §11-13DD-7, §11-13DD-8, §11-13DD-9 and §11-13DD-10, all relating to establishing Hotel and Restaurant Renovation Tax Credit Act; legislative findings; defining terms; establishing credit amount; requiring application for certification of project; requiring application fee; directing credit to offset sales tax generated by project in excess of baseline sales tax amount; claiming credit; promulgating rules; and effective date.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

# By Senators Takubo, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe and Karnes:

**Senate Bill No. 567**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §9-5-24, relating to Medicaid managed care expansion.

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

## By Senator Takubo:

Senate Bill No. 568—A Bill to amend and reenact §9-7-1 and §9-7-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to Medicaid fraud and abuse; and transferring the duties of the fraud control unit in the Department of Health and Human Resources to the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of the Attorney General's office after July 1, 2016; and allowing the Attorney General to use contract attorneys to bring civil suits for Medicaid fraud.

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

## By Senators Maynard, Karnes and Leonhardt:

**Senate Bill No. 569**—A Bill to amend and reenact §20-2-22a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to removing provision prohibiting bear hunting with outfitters.

Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources.

## By Senator Walters:

**Senate Bill No. 570**—A Bill to amend and reenact §24-6-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to dispatching of towing services for emergency towing of vehicles.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

# By Senator Maynard:

**Senate Bill No. 571**—A Bill to amend and reenact §7-1-3cc of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §24-6-4 of said code, all relating to requiring all "911" calls to be put on a log call sheet for verification.

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

## By Senators Walters, Unger and Karnes:

**Senate Bill No. 572**—A Bill to amend and reenact §5B-2-12 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating generally to Tourism Promotion Fund; and distribution of moneys.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Senators Woelfel, Miller, Laird, Unger and Stollings offered the following resolution:

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 34**—Requesting the Division of Highways name bridge number 13-64-165.87 on Interstate 64 near Lewisburg, Greenbrier County, the "Army Air Corps LT William H. Corkerean, Jr., Memorial Bridge".

Whereas, William H. Corkerean, Jr., was born on June 7, 1922, in Ronceverte, Greenbrier County. He lived in Ronceverte and was educated in Greenbrier County schools. He joined the West Virginia National Guard at age 15 in 1939 with his fathers's permission. He was employed by the Hecht Co. before entering military service in 1941. In the military, he was a B-17 pilot assigned to 390th BG 570th BS. On May 11, 1944, while piloting the 42-31971 "Twenty-One or Bust" on his twenty-third mission, the aircraft was hit by flak and crashed at Gilz-Rijer, Belgium. It was reported that he remained with the plane until it crashed; and

Whereas, William H. Corkerean, Jr., died defending the principals of freedom upon which his country, state and community were established; and

Whereas, Naming bridge number 13-64-165.87 on Interstate 64 near Lewisburg, Greenbrier County, the "Army Air Corps LT William H. Corkerean, Jr., Memorial Bridge" is an appropriate recognition of his contributions and his supreme sacrifice to his country, state, community and Greenbrier County; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That the Division of Highways is hereby requested to name bridge number 13-64-165.87 on Interstate 64 near Lewisburg, Greenbrier County, the "Army Air Corps LT William H. Corkerean, Jr., Memorial Bridge"; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Division of Highways is requested to have made and be placed signs identifying the bridge as the "Army Air Corps LT William H. Corkerean, Jr., Memorial Bridge"; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of the Senate is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Department of Transportation and the surviving relatives of William H. Corkerean, Jr.

Which, under the rules, lies over one day.

Senators Stollings and Unger offered the following resolution:

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 35**—Requesting the Division of Highways name bridge number 24-13-0.01 (24A089), locally known as Gary Bridge, carrying County Route 13 over the Tug Fork of the Big Sandy River in McDowell County the "U. S. Army CPL Zane Joseph Gero and U. S. Marine Cpl John Anthony 'Tony' Gero Memorial Bridge".

Whereas, Zane Joseph Gero was born January 26, 1911, in Thorpe, McDowell County, into a coal-mining family of immigrant ancestors; and

Whereas, While attending Gary High School, Zane Joseph Gero led the Gary Coaldigger football team to many victories and received an honorable mention as a state football player/quarterback; and

Whereas, While attending Gary High School, Zane Joseph Gero was also the band drum-major and at half time would lead the band in its performance; and

Whereas, As a high school senior, Zane Joseph Gero won the title of state drum-major in a statewide competition; and

Whereas, Following high school, Zane Joseph Gero earned a bachelor's degree from Concord College qualifying him to teach social studies; and

Whereas, Concord College had no band at the time he enrolled there, so Zane Joseph Gero gained approval to start a band, now known as the Concord Commanders, and was the band leader; and

Whereas, Following college, as the emergency services chief for the U. S. Coal and Coke Company, Zane Joseph Gero taught volunteers to be well qualified in emergency responses, including fire and ambulance. He taught how to provide first response in mine accidents. In a partly segregated community Zane Joseph Gero was welcomed by all ethnic and racial groups. He spoke numerous languages and at times acted as an interpreter; and

Whereas, The coal company allowed Zane Joseph Gero to enlist in the U. S. Army and, following training, he was attached to General Joseph Patton's 3rd Army with a specialization in demolitions, land mine, bridge and highway issues, serving in 1944 and 1945; and

Whereas, Zane Joseph Gero reached the rank of corporal and served with Company C, 314th Battalion, 89th Infantry Division, 3rd Army; and

Whereas, Corporal Gero's knowledge of several European languages helped him serve often as an interpreter. He led a squad which, under fire, helped put the first bridge across the Rhine River; and

Whereas, Corporal Gero's squad, on a mission April 4, 1945, to find and clear a route for advancing troops, was moving through a wooded area near Ohrdruk, Germany, when they encountered a lightly guarded facility containing piles of corpses, ovens with

human remains, a terrible stench and a few surviving internees. The unit had come across the first concentration camp to be liberated by United States troops. It was part of the Buchenwald Concentration Camp network; and

Whereas, Corporal Gero later became a social studies teacher at Berwind Middle School, was the Big Creek High School Band Director and was honored with the Freedom's Foundation at Valley Forge Classroom Teacher's Medal for, through his life and work, having made a significant contribution to a better understanding of the American way of life; and

Whereas, Corporal Gero died October 23, 1968, in Welch, West Virginia; and

Whereas, John Anthony "Tony" Gero, son of Zane Joseph Gero, was born August 22, 1947, in Welch, McDowell County; and

Whereas, John Anthony Gero was named for his father's friend, David Anthony, of New Martinsville, West Virginia, fulfilling a promise made by the senior Gero to his friend while the two were serving in Europe during World War II, to name any future son after him; and

Whereas, Members of the Gero family have served in the military as early as the American Revolution; and

Whereas, Marine Corporal John Anthony Gero was a sniper in the 1st Platoon, Company G, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines, 3rd Marine Division; and

Whereas, Marine Corporal John Anthony Gero was mortally wounded by friendly fire in combat in Vietnam and died on the U. S. Hospital Ship, USS Sanctuary, June 29, 1968; and

Whereas, Marine Corporal John Anthony Gero was buried with honors at Fort Rosecrans Military Cemetery in San Diego, California; and Whereas, Marine Corporal John Anthony Gero was a latediscovered qualifying West Virginian to have his name on the State Capitol military monument and his name is on a list to be added to the monument in the future; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That the Division of Highways is hereby requested to name bridge number 24-13-0.01 (24A089), locally known as Gary Bridge, carrying County Route 13 over the Tug Fork of the Big Sandy River in McDowell County the "U. S. Army CPL Zane Joseph Gero and U. S. Marine Cpl John Anthony 'Tony' Gero Memorial Bridge"; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Commissioner of the Division of Highways is hereby requested to have made and be placed signs identifying the bridge as the "U. S. Army CPL Zane Joseph Gero and U. S. Marine Cpl John Anthony 'Tony' Gero Memorial Bridge"; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of the Senate is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Commissioner of the Division of Highways.

Which, under the rules, lies over one day.

Senator Maynard offered the following resolution:

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 36**—Requesting the Division of Highways name the bridge on County Route 5/3, bridge number 24-5/3-3.10 (1030), crossing the Tug River in McDowell County the "Homer Hopkins Bridge".

Whereas, Homer Allen Hopkins was born March 6, 1944, in Bradshaw, West Virginia, growing up in the time of the Depression with five other siblings. At age one, his family moved to Garland, a distance of 8.1 miles north from his birthplace. He has always been known locally for his hard working habits, even in his

childhood days. He graduated high school in 1962 and enrolled at Nashville Auto Diesel College (now known as Lincoln College of Technology). He returned to Garland and in 1963 he married his wife, Joyce. After a brief move to Alexandria, Virginia, with wife and daughter, he returned to Garland, where he and his wife raised four children. In July 1975, he left his employment and opened up his own mining business. It seems that he would always find himself as a business owner creating jobs and new opportunities for everyone in and around the community of Garland. Besides the coal industry, he has also owned his own construction business as well as becoming a certified contractor and septic system installer. During his lifetime he has owned approximately 30 coal mines, with 500 employees. His construction career has resulted in building a total of eleven Dollar General stores throughout West Virginia, with three being in his home county. In 1985 he built a convenient store / gas station 2.6 miles from the residents of Garland family owned and operated as "Hopkins' Best-Way". In 1987, he built and opened "Hoppy's Skating Rink" on the outskirts of Bradshaw, bringing a new activity and recreational option for the families of the area and all around McDowell County. Later in 1989, he opened "Bradshaw Auto Parts" and became the only automotive business in the area. He was also responsible for construction the Marquee Cinemas in Welch, McDowell County Ambulance Authority, Panther Fire Department, Iaeger City Hall, Iaeger High School announcement booth and the reconstruction of the high school's football field after the flood in 2002; and

Whereas, Homer Hopkins has unselfishly spent his lifetime working for the betterment of his community and county and serving the needs of the people, whether it be charitable acts of kindness or continuing to work for the people in his community. He is now 71 years of age and still lives in the home he built board by board as a newlywed on his childhood stomping grounds. Homer loves nothing more than spending time with his family. He has four children and five grandchildren who all live within 10 minutes of his home, making it a very close-knit family; and

Whereas, Naming the bridge on County Route 5/3, bridge number 24-5/3-3.10 (1030), crossing the Tug River in McDowell County the "Homer Hopkins Bridge" is an appropriate recognition of his contributions to his state, community and McDowell County; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That the Division of Highways is hereby requested to name the bridge on County Route 5/3, bridge number 24-5/3-3.10 (1030), crossing the Tug River in McDowell County the "Homer Hopkins Bridge"; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Division of Highways is requested to have made and be placed signs identifying the bridge as the "Homer Hopkins Bridge"; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Clerk of the Senate is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Department of Transportation and Homer Hopkins and his family.

Which, under the rules, lies over one day.

Senators Stollings, Unger, Kessler and D. Hall offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 39**—Recognizing the town of Whitesville, West Virginia, for its designation as a Turn This Town Around community.

Whereas, Community development is a key mechanism to growing and improving communities across the state; and

Whereas, Whitesville has taken great strides to create a robust and engaged community; and

Whereas, The town of Whitesville showed great leadership in its application and selection as a Turn This Town Around 2015

community, with more that sixty applications and over four thousand votes; and

Whereas, Turn This Town Around, a program coordinated by West Virginia Focus Magazine, the West Virginia Community Development Hub and West Virginia Public Broadcasting, will work with the Town of Whitesville to provide financial resources, technical assistance, training and coaching to "turn the town around"; and

Whereas, The town of Whitesville is dedicated to community improvement and has demonstrated that commitment already through community development planning and will continue to exercise that commitment through multiple community improvement and engagement projects led by town leaders and local volunteers; and

Whereas, Whitesville hopes to utilize the Turn the Town Around opportunity to bring increased investment into the city and to grow community engagement in improving the town; and

Whereas, Whitesville has already taken great strides towards turning the town around and expects to see great success in the coming year; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate:

That the Senate hereby recognizes the town of Whitesville, West Virginia, for its designation as a Turn This Town Around community; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Senate recognizes the value and importance of local community leadership that promotes community development and revitalization; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Senate commends Turn This Town Around Whitesville and the West Virginia Development Hub, West Virginia Focus Magazine and West Virginia Public Broadcasting for

their dedication to improving the City of Whitesville and the collaborative community-driven development that will continue to grow and revitalize the Whitesville community over the coming years; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to Turn This Town Around Whitesville and the West Virginia Community Development Hub.

At the request of Senator Stollings, 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 resumed business under the sixth order.

Senators Woelfel, Plymale, Unger and Stollings offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 40**—Celebrating the achievements and contributions of the 2014 Barboursville Intermediate Little League All-Stars team to the town of Barboursville, Cabell County and the citizens of the great State of West Virginia.

Whereas, The Barboursville Little League team won the West Virginia District 1 Championship before winning the West Virginia State Championship; and

Whereas, In the Southeast Regional series, played in Apopka, Florida, the Barboursville Little League team showed it meant business from the outset when it thumped host Florida, 18-4, in the opening game. They went 5-0 and outscored their opponents, 84-36. The closest call was an 11-9 win over South Carolina in the semifinal; and

Whereas, On July 20, 2014, the Barboursville Little League team pounded the ball from start to finish on that Sunday, capped by an 18-7 victory over Fort Myers American Team from Florida to capture the Southeast Regional Championship and secure a spot in the Little League World Series; and

Whereas, The Barboursville Little League team finished with a 12-2 record, placing them sixth in the World Series that was played in Livermore, California; and

Whereas, The Barboursville Little League team outscored opponents 193-69, had a batting average of .438, hit 25 home runs during the Southeast Regional and stole 22 bases in the World Series, one shy of the record; and

Whereas, The Barboursville Little League team beat state champions from North Carolina, Georgia, South Carolina and Florida to win the Southeast Region, beat teams from California and Michigan during the World Series and lost to eventual World Series Champions from Arizona; and

Whereas, The Barboursville Little League team players, Griffin Adkins, Kristian Gerwig, Brody Aliff, Jayce Gould, Brett Armbruster, Camron Lewis, Hogan Carter, Austin Petry, Trey Chapman, Ivan Vaughn, Luke Ellis and Peyton Weekly, Manager Coach Dell Adkins and coaches Randy Coyle and Pat Carter should be congratulated on their accomplishments; therefore, be it

## Resolved by the Senate:

That the Senate hereby celebrates the achievements and contributions of the 2014 Barboursville Intermediate Little League All-Stars team to its town, Cabell County and the citizens of the great State of West Virginia; and, be it

*Further Resolved,* That the Clerk is directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Barboursville Little League team.

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

Thereafter, at the request of Senator Sypolt, and by unanimous consent, the remarks by Senators Woelfel and Plymale regarding the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 40 were ordered printed in the Appendix to the Journal.

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

Upon expiration of the recess, the Senate reconvened and resumed business under the sixth order.

Senators Carmichael, Unger, Stollings and D. Hall offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 41**—Recognizing the city of Ripley, West Virginia, for its designation as a Turn This Town Around community.

Whereas, Community development and economic development guided by local leadership and implemented through community volunteerism is a significant benefit to all the communities in the state; and

Whereas, Ripley has taken great strides to create a robust and engaged community; and

Whereas, The City of Ripley showed great leadership in its application and election as a Turn This Town Around 2015 community; and

Whereas, Turn This Town Around, a program coordinated by West Virginia Focus Magazine, the West Virginia Community Development Hub and West Virginia Public Broadcasting, will work with the City of Ripley to provide financial resources, technical assistance, training and coaching to "turn the town around"; and

Whereas, The City of Ripley is dedicated to community improvement and has demonstrated that commitment already through community development planning and will continue to exercise that commitment through multiple community improvement and engagement projects led by town leaders and local volunteers; and

Whereas, Ripley hopes to utilize the Turn the Town Around opportunity to bring increased investment into the city and to grow community engagement in improving the town; and

Whereas, Ripley has taken great strides towards turning the town around and expects to see great success in the coming year; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate:

That the Senate hereby recognizes the city of Ripley, West Virginia, for its designation as a Turn This Town Around community; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Senate recognizes the value and importance of local community leadership that promotes community development and revitalization; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Senate commends Turn This Town Around Ripley and the West Virginia Development Hub, West Virginia Focus Magazine and West Virginia Public Broadcasting for their dedication to improving the City of Ripley and the collaborative community-driven development that will continue to grow and revitalize the Ripley community over the coming years; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to Turn This Town Around Ripley and the West Virginia Community Development Hub.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, 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 resumed business under the sixth order.

## **Petitions**

Senators Blair, Boso, Gaunch, D. Hall, Nohe, Sypolt and Walters, respectively, presented petitions from numerous West Virginia residents, supporting Senate Bill No. 35 (Permitting carrying of concealed weapons without license).

Referred to the Committee on Government Organization.

At the request of Senator Carmichael, and by unanimous consent, the Senate returned to the fourth order of business.

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. 573** (originating in the Committee on the Judiciary)—A Bill to amend and reenact §50-1-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the number of magistrates to be seated in each county of the state and providing for the election thereof.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it do pass; but with further recommendation that it first be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Trump IV, *Chair*.

At the request of Senator Trump, unanimous consent being granted, the bill (S. B. No. 573) contained in the preceding report from the Committee on the Judiciary was taken up for immediate consideration.

On motion of Senator Trump, the bill was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Senate proceeded to the seventh order of business.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 32,** Amending Joint Rules of Senate and House of Delegates by adding Joint Rule 31, Unfinished Business.

On unfinished business, coming up in regular order, was reported by the Clerk and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 33,** Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study undeveloped land preservation and conservation tax credit program.

On unfinished business, coming up in regular order, was reported by the Clerk and referred to the Committee on Finance; and then to the Committee on Rules.

The Senate proceeded to the eighth order of business.

Eng. Senate Bill No. 415, Relating to circuit judges.

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, Nohe, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Unger, Williams, Woelfel, Yost and Cole (Mr. President)–31.

The nays were: None.

Absent: Miller, Mullins and Walters–3.

So, a majority of all the members present and voting having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. S. B. No. 415) 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.

**Senate Bill No. 89,** Providing Prosecuting Attorneys Institute's council establish Executive Director's salary.

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

Senate Bill No. 283, Relating to branch banking.

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

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

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

The following amendments to the bill, from the Committee on Banking and Insurance, were reported by the Clerk and considered simultaneously:

On page four, section one, after line fifty-seven, by inserting a new subdivision, designated subdivision (h), to read as follows:

"(h) 'Consumer credit sale' means a consumer credit sale as defined in subdivision (13), section one hundred two, article one, chapter forty-six-a of this code;";

And by relettering the remaining subdivisions;

On page sixteen, section eight, line two hundred, by striking out the words "and continuing until January 1, 2015,";

And,

On page seventeen, section eight, line two hundred two, by striking out the words "with and in" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and".

Prior to the call of the roll, Senators Trump and Gaunch moved to be excused from voting under rule number forty-three of the Rules of the Senate, which motions prevailed.

The question being on the adoption of the Banking and Insurance committee amendments to the bill, the same was put and prevailed.

The bill (S. B. No. 285), as amended, was then ordered to engrossment and third reading.

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

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

**Senate Bill No. 370,** Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees.

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

**Senate Bill No. 445,** Relating to investment of RJCFA excess funds.

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.

The following bills on first reading, coming up in regular order, were each read a first time and ordered to second reading:

**Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 88,** Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act.

Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 109, Relating to local indoor smoking prohibitions.

Senate Bill No. 403, Increasing period during which motor vehicle lien is valid.

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**Senate Bill No. 463,** Making supplementary appropriation to DHHR, DHS, Health Care Provider Tax, Medicaid State Share Fund.

**Senate Bill No. 466,** Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Commerce.

**Senate Bill No. 467,** Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Agriculture, State Conservation Committee.

**Senate Bill No. 469,** Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DEP, Division of Environmental Protection.

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**Senate Bill No. 476,** Making supplementary appropriation to Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, Purchasing Improvement Fund.

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Remarks were made by Senator Carmichael.

Thereafter, at the request of Senator Blair, and by unanimous consent, the remarks by Senator Carmichael were ordered printed in the Appendix to the Journal.

The Senate proceeded to the thirteenth order of business.

At the respective requests of Senators Kirkendoll and Woelfel, the names of Senators Kirkendoll and Woelfel were removed as sponsors of **Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21** (Urging Congress call convention for proposal of constitutional amendments imposing fiscal restraints, limiting jurisdiction and setting term limits).

On motion of Senator Carmichael, leaves of absence for the day were granted Senators Miller, Mullins and Walters.

Pending announcement of meetings of standing committees of the Senate, including a majority party caucus,

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- 234. Exempting certain water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction.
- 239. Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees.
- 255. Eliminating certain boards, councils, committees, panels, task forces and commissions.
- 294. Eliminating certain unnecessary, inactive or redundant councils, committees and boards.
- 370. Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees.
- 389. Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements.
- 412. Relating to Real Estate Commission complaint filings.
- 437. Increasing membership of PEIA Finance Board.
- 556. Relating to provisional social worker license requirements.
- 559. Relating to social work licensing exemptions.
- 564. Authorizing Shallow Gas Well Review Board grant certain waivers.

## 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.
- 131. 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.
- 460. Modifying requirements allowing child witnesses to testify by closed circuit television.

#### **CIVIL RIGHTS:**

487. Creating Freedom of Conscience Protection Act.

#### **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.
- 361. Eliminating prevailing hourly wage requirement for construction of public improvements.
- 369. Repealing code sections relating to mandatory state motor vehicle inspections.
- 423. Amending Aboveground Storage Tank Act.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS:**

- 459. Relating to development of broadband middle mile infrastructure.
- 496. Creating Statewide Interoperable Radio Network Act.
- 504. Authorizing collection of additional local 911 fees.
- 507. Relating to monitoring inmates' electronic communications.
- 554. Limiting broadband/Internet service termination fees.

#### CONSUMER PROTECTION:

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

542. Reforming provisions of Consumer Credit and Protection Act relating to debt collections.

#### **CONTRACTS:**

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

#### **CORPORATIONS AND BUSINESS ENTITIES:**

- 406. Criminalizing trademark counterfeiting.
- 454. Criminalizing trademark counterfeiting.

#### **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.
- 370. 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
- 507. Relating to monitoring inmates' electronic communications.
- 526. Relating to expungement of certain felony convictions.

#### **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.
- 352. Expanding scope of cooperative associations to goods and services including recycling.
- 367. Authorizing recalculation of base tax revenue amount for sales tax increment financing districts.
- 384. Permitting wine sales by specialty shop located in dry county, magisterial district or municipality.
- 484. Relating to procedure for removal of certain county, school district and municipal officers.
- 485. Providing county commissioners mechanism for elected officials' compensation increases.
- 495. Relating to County Local Powers Act.
- 518. Permitting county and municipal economic development authorities invest certain funds.

550. Authorizing agreements between county commissions and municipalities regarding structures unfit for human habitation.

#### **COURTS:**

- 10. Requiring nonpartisan election of judges and magistrates.
- 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.
- 415. Relating to circuit judges.
- 430. Permitting mutual orders enjoining certain contact between parties to domestic relations actions.
- 442. Relating to interest on judgments and decrees.
- 460. Modifying requirements allowing child witnesses to testify by closed circuit television.
- 479. Adding additional family court judges.
- 493. Relating to authority to waive incapacitated person's right to jury trial.
- 560. Establishing special revenue fund for use of certain Supreme Court advanced technology.
- 573. Relating to number of magistrates seated in each county.

#### **CRIMES:**

- 31. Relating to bailpiece surety.
- 59. Creating felony offense of knowingly leaving crash scene resulting in serious bodily injury.
- 81. 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 certain automated telephone calls 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.
- 406. Criminalizing trademark counterfeiting.
- 450. Creating offense of sexual assault in fourth degree.
- 454. Criminalizing trademark counterfeiting.
- 490. Adding certain facilities and operations to protected parties relating to crimes against property.
- 526. Relating to expungement of certain felony convictions.
- 536. Expanding definition of "kidnapping".

#### **DISABILITIES:**

- 246. Establishing grandfather exemption requiring certain School for Deaf and Blind child care workers hold associate's degree.
- 252. 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.
- 93. Increasing grandparents' rights in custodial or decision-making authority and visitation matters.
- 358. Requiring court issue divorce certificate reflecting name change.
- 430. Permitting mutual orders enjoining certain contact between parties to domestic relations actions.

#### DRUGS AND DRUG PARAPHERNALIA:

- 9. Allowing law enforcement and emergency service personnel possess opioid antagonists.
- 16. Relating to specialty drugs.
- 18. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.
- 66. 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.
- 99. Relating to mandatory drug testing of legislators and certain recipients of federal and state funds.
- 230. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.

- 231. 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.
- 377. Limiting civil liability of pharmaceutical manufacturers or sellers providing warning to learned intermediary.
- 428. Relating to hydrocodone combination drug prescriptions.
- 458. Relating to controlling methamphetamine.
- 497. Permitting school nurses to possess and administer opioid antagonists.
- 523. Creating Alcohol and Drug Overdose Prevention and Clemency Act.

#### 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.
- 414. Creating Local Development Superiority Act.
- 518. Permitting county and municipal economic development authorities invest certain funds.

#### **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.
- Specifying minimum early childhood education program instruction days.
- 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. Limiting certain county board of education 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.
- 252. 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.
- 303. 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.
- 408. Establishing critical need alternative teaching certificate.
- 410. Relating to liability insurance coverage for county board of education volunteers and student teachers.
- 420. Relating to retirement benefits for certain employees in kindergarten programs.
- 422. Raising minimum teacher salaries.
- 424. Eliminating compulsory tuberculosis testing for certain school children and school personnel.
- 431. Relating to graduated salary increases for teachers.
- 432. Relating to graduated salary increases for service personnel.
- 444. Relating to home schooling.
- 447. Allowing issuance of diploma by public, private or home school administrator.
- 448. Relating to PROMISE Scholarship Program.
- 457. Relating to selection of school athletic coaches or other extracurricular activities coaches.
- 484. Relating to procedure for removal of certain county, school district and municipal officers.
- 497. Permitting school nurses to possess and administer opioid antagonists.
- 529. Relating to PERS, SPRS and TRS benefits and costs.
- 537. Changing mandatory school instructional time from days to minutes.
- 540. Creating Office of Early Childhood Collaboration.
- 544. Establishing procedures for body mass index screening in schools.

#### **EDUCATION - HIGHER:**

- 112. 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.
- 425. Providing WVU, MU and WVSOM more authority to invest assets.
- 426. Relating to campus police officers of state institutions of higher learning.
- 439. Relating to higher education.
- 448. Relating to PROMISE Scholarship Program.
- 455. Relating to public higher education procurement and payment of expenses.
- 524. Requiring higher education institutions award transfer credit.
- 558. Permitting scholarship awards by conservation districts.
- 561. Establishing Economic Adjustment Evaluation Task Force.

#### **ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

- 24. Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.
- Clarifying power of Attorney General to contract for outside legal services.
- 316. Exempting new 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.
- 333. Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence.
- 351. Relating to charitable organization contribution levels requiring independent audit reports.
- 485. Providing county commissioners mechanism for elected officials' compensation increases.
- 527. Eliminating certain qualification requirements of Commissioner of Agriculture.
- 548. Changing procedure for filling U. S. Senator vacancies.
- 568. Transferring Medicaid Fraud Control Unit from DHHR to Attorney General.

#### **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.
- 326. 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.
- 541. Relating to regulation and control of elections.

## **EMERGENCY SERVICES:**

- 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.
- 496. Creating Statewide Interoperable Radio Network Act.
- 504. Authorizing collection of additional local 911 fees.
- 555. Continuing Office of EMS as independent office within DMAPS.
- 570. Mandating dispatch of local services for emergency towing.
- 571. Requiring log call sheets for 911 calls.

#### **ENERGY:**

- 1. 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.
- 520. Creating Local Energy Efficiency Partnership Act.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:**

- 4. Relating to development of state plan under Clean Air Act.
- 280. Allowing well work permit transfers.
- 352. Expanding scope of cooperative associations to goods and services including recycling.
- 482. Relating to permits for stationary sources of air pollutants.
- 513. Establishing minimum standards for unconventional well sites.
- 558. Permitting scholarship awards by conservation districts.

#### ESTATES AND TRUSTS:

376. Relating to administration of estates.

## ETHICS:

- 24. 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.
- 451. Allowing certain National Guard firefighters to become Air National Guard civilian firefighters.
- 514. Relating to investments of local policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds.

#### 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.
- 566. Creating Hotel and Restaurant Renovation Tax Credit Act.

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION:

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

#### **FUNDS:**

- 75. Legalizing and regulating sale and use of fireworks; establishing WV Veterans Program Fund.
- 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-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority Fund.
- 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.
- 268. Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to

- railroads.
- 298. Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund.
- 303. Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund.
- 339. Eliminating certain funding sources for Workers Compensation Debt Reduction Fund.
- 349. Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund.
- 354. Creating Rehabilitation Services Vending Program Fund.
- 379. Creating State Infrastructure Fund 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.
- 445. Relating to investment of RJCFA excess funds.
- 543. Redistributing certain lottery revenues to State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund.
- 552. Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund.
- 560. Establishing special revenue fund for use of certain Supreme Court advanced technology.
- 572. Eliminating distribution of Tourism Promotion Funds for courtesy patrol program.

#### GAMING ACTIVITIES:

- 111. Redistributing portion of net racetrack video lottery terminal income dedicated to Development Office Promotion Fund.
- 339. Eliminating certain funding sources for Workers Compensation Debt Reduction Fund.
- 434. Relating to horse racing.
- 446. Increasing number of terminals authorized by limited video lottery retailer license.
- 491. Creating bid preference for certain limited video lottery current permit holders.
- 543. Redistributing certain lottery revenues to State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund.
- 547. Creating WV Greyhound Racing Cessation Program.
- 563. Relating to racetrack video lottery and table games.

## **GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES:**

- 15. Requiring Legislative Auditor conduct performance reviews and audits for all spending units.
- 44. 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 certain automated telephone calls during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 243. Relating to school nutrition standards during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 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.
- 267. 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 sanctions.
- 288. Relating to public school financing.
- 294. Eliminating certain unnecessary, inactive or redundant councils, committees and boards.
- 303. Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund.
- 335. Creating Access to Opioid Antagonists Act.
- 370. Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees.
- 393. Reforming juvenile justice system.
- 408. Establishing critical need alternative teaching certificate.
- 440. Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Commerce.
- 441. Supplementing, amending, decreasing and increasing appropriations

- from State Road Fund to DOH.
- 443. Making supplementary appropriation from State Fund, State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund, to DHS.
- 462. Expiring funds to State Fund, General Revenue, from Auditor's Office, Purchasing Card Administration Fund.
- 463. Making supplementary appropriation to DHHR, DHS, Health Care Provider Tax, Medicaid State Share Fund.
- 464. Making supplementary appropriation from State Fund, State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund, to DHHR, DHS.
- 465. Expiring funds to State Fund, General Revenue, from various accounts.
- 466. Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Commerce.
- 467. Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Agriculture, State Conservation Committee.
- 468. Expiring funds to State Fund, General Revenue, from Joint Expenses and DHHR, DHS, TRIP Fund.
- 469. Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DEP, Division of Environmental Protection.
- 470. Making supplementary appropriation of Lottery Net Profits to State Department of Education, School Building Authority, Debt Service Fund.
- 471. Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DHHR, Human Rights Commission, and DHHR, DHS.
- 472. Making supplementary appropriation to DOT, DMV, Motor Vehicle Fees Fund.
- Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DMAPS,
   WV State Police.
- 474. Making supplementary appropriation of Lottery Net Profits to Bureau of Senior Services, Lottery Senior Citizens Fund.
- 475. Making supplementary appropriation to DMAPS, Division of Corrections, Parolee Supervision Fees, and WV State Police, Motor Vehicle Inspection Fund.
- 476. Making supplementary appropriation to Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, Purchasing Improvement Fund.
- 477. Supplementing, amending, decreasing and increasing appropriation from State Road Fund to DOH.
- 508. Reorganizing Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority.

#### **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.
- 21. 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.
- 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.
- 424. Eliminating compulsory tuberculosis testing for certain school children and school personnel.
- 428. Relating to hydrocodone combination drug prescriptions.
- 501. Requiring annual report by persons practicing midwifery.

- 516. Relating to practice of advance practice registered nurses.
- 532. Relating to civil liability immunity for clinical practice plans and medical and dental school personnel.
- 539. Relating to release of medical records in certain civil actions.
- 544. Establishing procedures for body mass index screening in schools.
- 562. Requiring DHHR review health care providers' rates.
- 567. Requiring legislative approval for Medicaid expansion.
- 568. Transferring Medicaid Fraud Control Unit from DHHR to Attorney General.

#### **HUMAN SERVICES:**

- 274. Relating to TANF program sanctions.
- 295. Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions.
- 348. Creating pilot program for drug screening of cash assistance applicants.
- 556. Relating to provisional social worker license requirements.
- 559. Relating to social work licensing exemptions.

#### **INFRASTRUCTURE:**

- 264. 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.
- 478. Generating and maintaining revenue for road construction and maintenance and infrastructure.

#### **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.
- 437. Increasing membership of PEIA Finance Board.

#### INSURANCE -- MOTOR VEHICLES:

- 32. Requiring certain percentage of insurance claims be performed by resident adjuster.
- 248. 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.
- 231. 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.
- 56. Declaring remedial component of workers' compensation laws receive liberal construction.
- 57. Relating to classification and criteria for disability benefits.
- 58. 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.
- 339. Eliminating certain funding sources for Workers Compensation Debt Reduction Fund.
- 344. Relating to limitations on back and front pay and punitive damages.
- 361. Eliminating 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.
- 409. Creating Fair and Open Competition in Governmental Construction Act.
- 511. Relating to contractor or subcontractor's obligations regarding minimum prevailing wage rates on public improvement projects.
- 521. Requiring employer provide group life insurance policy under certain circumstances.
- 528. Creating Earned Sick Time Act.

#### LAW ENFORCEMENT:

- 9. 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. Designating State Police Superintendent administrator and enforcer of motor vehicle inspection program.
- 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.
- 426. Relating to campus police officers of state institutions of higher learning.
- 427. Relating to State Police compensation.
- 435. Creating WV Sheriffs' Bureau of Professional Standards.
- 445. Relating to investment of RJCFA excess funds.
- 449. Relating to salaries for Division of Corrections, RJCFA and Division of Juvenile Services employees.
- 452. Exempting RJCFA employees from classified service.
- 503. Permitting sheriff hire outside attorneys for tax collection assistance.
- 514. Relating to investments of local policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds.
- 529. Relating to PERS, SPRS and TRS benefits and costs.
- 549. Establishing classifications and salary schedules for State Police forensic lab civilian employees.

#### LEGISLATURE:

- 15. Requiring Legislative Auditor conduct performance reviews and audits for all spending units.
- 99. 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.
- 139. Creating misdemeanor offense of impersonating Commission on Special Investigations representative.
- 567. Requiring legislative approval for Medicaid expansion.

## 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 rules.
- 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.
- 154. 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.
- 159. 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.
- 166. 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 Bureau of Commerce promulgate legislative rules.
- 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.
- 182. Authorizing Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety promulgate legislative rules.
- 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 Department of Revenue promulgate legislative rules.
- 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 Department of Transportation promulgate legislative rules.
- 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 miscellaneous agencies and boards promulgate legislative rules.
- 200. Authorizing Board of Physical Therapy promulgate legislative rule relating to fees for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants.
- 201. 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.
- 203. 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.
- 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.
- 210. 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.
- 213. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Pesticide Control Act of 1990 fee structure.
- 214. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Plant Pest Act.
- 215. 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.
- 226. 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. Limiting certain county board of education liability arising from unorganized recreation.
- 411. Creating Asbestos Bankruptcy Trust Claims Transparency Act and Asbestos and Silica Claims Priorities Act.
- 456. Relating to letters of merit in medical professional liability actions.
- 532. Relating to civil liability immunity for clinical practice plans and medical and dental school personnel.

#### 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.
- 505. Creating Physicians Lien Act.

#### MILITARY AFFAIRS:

- 47. 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 and use 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. Relating to local indoor smoking prohibitions.
- 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 new veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State.
- 346. Creating Mental Health, Veterans and Service Members Court Act.
- 451. Allowing certain National Guard firefighters to become Air National Guard civilian firefighters.
- 486. Exempting WV Wing of Civil Air Patrol vehicles from displaying WV State Car license plate.
- 551. Relating to PERS military service credit.
- 555. Continuing Office of EMS as independent office within DMAPS.

#### 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. Eliminating certain funding sources for Workers Compensation Debt Reduction Fund.
- 357. Creating Coal Jobs and Safety Act of 2015.
- 502. Relating to eligibility for certain reclamation or remediation tax credit.
- 517. Exempting privilege of producing coalbed methane gas from severance tax.

#### MISCELLANEOUS:

- 110. Relating to purchase, possession, sale and use of fireworks.
- 125. Prohibiting discrimination based on age or sexual orientation.
- 438. Creating Sexual Assault Fund to End Rape Act.
- 500. Providing procedure for delegate selection to Article V Convention.
- 553. Establishing English as official state language.

#### 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. Designating State Police Superintendent administrator and enforcer of motor vehicle inspection program.
- 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.
- 417. Removing certain tax discounts from motor fuel excise tax.
- 453. Relating to motor vehicle dealers, distributors, wholesalers and manufacturers.
- 486. Exempting WV Wing of Civil Air Patrol vehicles from displaying WV State Car license plate.
- 533. Prohibiting visual obstruction of motor vehicle registration plates.
- 538. Relating to hearings before Office of Administrative Hearings.
- 570. Mandating dispatch of local services for emergency towing.

## **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.
- 481. Relating to municipal policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds' investment.
- 483. Clarifying continuing election of municipal policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds' trustees.
- 484. Relating to procedure for removal of certain county, school district and municipal officers.
- 515. Allowing Municipal Pensions Oversight Board invest funds with Investment Management Board or Board of Treasury Investments.
- 518. Permitting county and municipal economic development authorities invest certain funds.
- 550. Authorizing agreements between county commissions and municipalities regarding structures unfit for human habitation.

#### 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.
- 327. 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.
- 423. Amending Aboveground Storage Tank Act.
- 569. Permitting bear hunting with outfitters.

#### OIL AND GAS:

- 513. Establishing minimum standards for unconventional well sites.
- 564. Authorizing Shallow Gas Well Review Board grant certain waivers.

#### 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.
- 508. Reorganizing Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority.

#### **PORNOGRAPHY:**

128. Revising definition of "obscene matter".

#### PRESCRIPTIONS AND MEDICATIONS:

- 458. Relating to controlling methamphetamine.
- 494. Relating to prescriptions for epinephrine auto-injectors.
- 546. Creating Compassionate Use Act for Medical Cannabis.

## PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS:

- 21. 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.
- 389. Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements.
- 456. Relating to letters of merit in medical professional liability actions.
- 505. Creating Physicians Lien Act.

#### **PUBLIC EMPLOYEES:**

24. 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 requirements for error corrections by CPRB.
- 433. Relating to graduated salary increases for state employees.
- 449. Relating to salaries for Division of Corrections, RJCFA and Division of Juvenile Services employees.
- 452. Exempting RJCFA employees from classified service.
- 529. Relating to PERS, SPRS and TRS benefits and costs.

#### **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 jails.
- 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.
- 418. Relating to trustee real estate sale under deed of trust.
- 489. Imposing statute of limitations on civil actions derived from surveying of real property.
- 498. Clarifying tax map rules apply to paper and electronic documents.
- 503. Permitting sheriff hire outside attorneys for tax collection assistance.
- 509. Relating to waste by cotenant.
- 519. Relating to Nonprofit Youth Organization Tax Exemption Support Amendment enabling legislation.

## **REGULATION OF TRADE:**

- 123. Exempting gasoline, diesel fuel and blended fuel from unfair trade practices.
- 385. Regulating 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 requirements for error corrections by CPRB.
- 420. Relating to retirement benefits for certain employees in kindergarten programs.
- 480. Increasing tax exemption for PERS and TRS income.
- 481. Relating to municipal policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds' investment.
- 483. Clarifying continuing election of municipal policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds' trustees.
- 514. Relating to investments of local policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds.
- 515. Allowing Municipal Pensions Oversight Board invest funds with Investment Management Board or Board of Treasury Investments.
- 529. Relating to PERS, SPRS and TRS benefits and costs.
- 530. Extending income tax exemption for retirees receiving pensions from certain defined pension plans.
- 551. Relating to PERS military service credit.

#### **ROADS AND HIGHWAYS:**

- 41. Repealing article authorizing roadside memorial markers.
- 54. Requiring certification of state bridge paint applicators.
- 379. Creating State Infrastructure Fund Program.
- 407. Implementing state safety oversight program.
- 478. Generating and maintaining revenue for road construction and maintenance and infrastructure.
- 499. Creating Tourist-Oriented Directional Signs Program.
- 572. Eliminating distribution of Tourism Promotion Funds for courtesy patrol program.

## SAFETY:

- 356. Providing motorcycle helmet exemption for certain cyclists.
- 407. Implementing state safety oversight program.

## **TAXATION:**

- 34. Exempting certain precious metals sales from consumers' sales tax.
- 45. Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes.
- 53. 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 jails.
- 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. Eliminating certain funding sources for Workers Compensation Debt Reduction Fund.
- 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.
- 398. Extending expiration date for health care provider tax on eligible acute care hospitals.
- 402. Requiring personal income tax return include survey regarding use of tax dollars.
- 416. Relating to hotel occupancy tax.
- 417. Removing certain tax discounts from motor fuel excise tax.
- 461. Exempting railroad locomotive fuel from certain fuel excise taxes.
- 480. Increasing tax exemption for PERS and TRS income.
- 502. Relating to eligibility for certain reclamation or remediation tax credit.
- 512. Exempting complimentary hotel rooms from hotel occupancy tax.
- 517. Exempting privilege of producing coalbed methane gas from severance tax.
- 519. Relating to Nonprofit Youth Organization Tax Exemption Support Amendment enabling legislation.
- 525. Exempting services of individuals authorized to practice before IRS from consumers sales and service tax.
- 530. Extending income tax exemption for retirees receiving pensions from certain defined pension plans.
- 531. Increasing cigarette tax to fund substance abuse and workforce

- development.
- 534. Increasing cigarette tax.
- 535. Exempting certain community rehabilitation programs from taxes on sales of personal property and services.
- 565. Relating to tax collections from certain political subdivision vendors.

#### TECHNOLOGY:

- 404. Requiring routine audits of major information technology projects.
- 459. Relating to development of broadband middle mile infrastructure.
- 488. Reestablishing and modifying Broadband Deployment Council.
- 554. Limiting broadband/Internet service termination fees.
- 560. Establishing special revenue fund for use of certain Supreme Court advanced technology.

## TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS:

- 98. Creating Tax Revenue Act of 2015.
- 109. Relating to local indoor smoking prohibitions.
- 400. Exempting certain employers from discriminating against tobacco users.
- 531. Increasing cigarette tax to fund substance abuse and workforce development.
- 534. Increasing cigarette tax.

#### TOURISM:

- 17. Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area.
- 26. 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 licenses.
- 499. Creating Tourist-Oriented Directional Signs Program.
- 512. Exempting complimentary hotel rooms from hotel occupancy tax.
- 522. Increasing wholesale liquor prices for promotion of travel and tourism.
- 552. Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund.
- 566. Creating Hotel and Restaurant Renovation Tax Credit Act.

#### TRANSPORTATION:

- 8. Providing for DOH performance and efficiency audit.
- 266. Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials.
- 268. Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads.
- 385. Regulating transportation network companies.
- 414. Creating Local Development Superiority Act.
- 419. Providing insurance requirements for transportation network

- companies and drivers.
- 461. Exempting railroad locomotive fuel from certain fuel excise taxes.
- 572. Eliminating distribution of Tourism Promotion Funds for courtesy patrol program.

## **UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION:**

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

#### UNIFORM LAWS:

- 292. Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission.
- 330. Adopting Interstate Medical Licensure Compact.
- 510. Amending Uniform Interstate Family Support Act.

#### **UTILITIES:**

- 234. Exempting certain 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.
- 565. Relating to tax collections from certain political subdivision vendors.

#### WATER RESOURCES:

61. Creating Water Sustainability Institute.

# HISTORY OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS CONSIDERED BY SENATE

## Includes actions as of February 23, 2015

(This symbol \* indicates Committee Substitutes.)

#### 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 To Governor 2/4/15 Approved by Governor 2/9/15
- \*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
  - 5. 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 Amended Passed House 2/17/15 Title amended Effective from passage Senate amended House amendment and passed 2/19/15 Effective from passage Senate requests return of bill from House Senate reconsidered effective date and passage Senate amended House amendment and passed 2/20/15 Effective from passage
- \*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 2nd reference dispensed Amended Passed House 2/11/15 Title amended Effective July 1, 2015 Senate concurred in House amendments and passed bill 2/12/15 Effective July 1, 2015 To Governor 2/19/15
- \*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
- 9. 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 and S. B. No. 231) Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources
- 10. 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
- 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 To House Finance 2/19/15
- \*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 Passed House 2/4/15 Title amended Senate refused to concur in House amendment 2/5/15 House refused to recede and requested conference 2/9/15 To conference 2/10/15 Senate adopted conference report and passed bill 2/17/15 Effective from passage House adopted conference report and passage
- \*14. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Referred to Finance 2/18/15
- 15. 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
- 16. By Sen. Stollings, Facemire and Romano **Relating to** specialty drugs Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human

- Resources then Judiciary
- 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
- 18. 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 To Judiciary 2/18/15
- \*19. By Sen. Plymale Specifying minimum early childhood education program instruction days Introduced 1/14/15 To Education then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/6/15 Committee reference dispensed Amended Passed Senate 2/12/15 To House 2/13/15 To Education
  - 20. 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
  - 21. 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
- 24. By Sen. Blair, Gaunch and Sypolt **Prohibiting public** officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 25. By Sen. Boley, Blair and Stollings Relating to implementation of Common Core standards and assessments Introduced 1/14/15 To Education then Finance
- 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

- 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
- 29. By Sen. D. Hall Allowing county employee to run for vacant office without resigning (original same as H. B. No. 2229) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- \*30. By Sen. D. Hall, Trump, Blair, Williams and Karnes Permitting shared animal ownership agreement to consume raw milk (original same as H. B. No. 2448) Introduced 1/14/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Health and Human Resources Com. sub. reported 2/10/15 To Health and Human Resources 2/10/15 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Health and Human Resources
  - 31. By Sen. D. Hall **Relating to bailpiece surety** Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
  - 32. 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
  - 33. By Sen. D. Hall Decreasing teacher-pupil ratios; increasing certain classroom aides' pay Introduced 1/14/15 To Education then Finance
  - 34. By Sen. Nohe, Sypolt and Karnes Exempting certain precious metals sales from consumers' sales tax Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance
  - 35. 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 Creating Revised Uniform Arbitration Act Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/5/15 Amended Passed Senate 2/10/15 Effective July 1, 2015 To House 2/11/15 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
- \*42. By Sen. Beach and Williams Relating to sale of alcoholic beverages on Sundays prior to 1 p.m. (original similar to H. B. No. 2804 and S. B. No. 492) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/16/15 Passed Senate 2/19/15 Effective from passage To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- \*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
- 58. 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
- 59. 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 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/6/15 Passed Senate 2/11/15 To House 2/12/15 To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization To House Government Organization 2/18/15
  - 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
- 65. 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
- 69. 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 and S. B. No. 479) 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
- 73. 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 and use of fireworks;

- **establishing WV Veterans Program Fund** Introduced 1/14/15 To Military then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/5/15 Referred to Judiciary then Finance 2/5/15
- 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
- 78. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/12/15 To Finance 2/12/15
  - 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

- To Judiciary 2/4/15
- \*88. By Sen. Stollings and Plymale Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act (original similar to H. B. No. 2613) Introduced 1/14/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance Com. sub. reported 1/30/15 To Finance 1/30/15 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/20/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 89. By Sen. Laird and Miller **Providing Prosecuting Attorneys**Institute's council establish Executive Director's salary Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance On 3rd reading 2/24/15
- 90. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/17/15 To Finance 2/17/15
  - 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
- 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

- 99. 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
- 100. 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
- 103. 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
- 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
- 107. By Sen. Carmichael **Relating to disclaimer of warranties for used motor vehicles** (original same as H. B. No. 2853) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 108. By Sen. Carmichael Creating loser-pays civil justice system Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- \*109. By Sen. Blair and Leonhardt **Relating to local indoor** smoking prohibitions Introduced 1/14/15 To Military then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/12/15 To Judiciary 2/12/15 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/20/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
  - 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
- 116. 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 To Government Organization 2/12/15

- \*123. By Sen. Snyder, Blair and Romano Exempting gasoline, diesel fuel and blended fuel from unfair trade practices (original same as H. B. No. 2601) Introduced 1/14/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/11/15 To Judiciary 2/11/15
  - 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 Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 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
- \*142. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rules Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/6/15 Com. sub. reported 2/11/15 Passed Senate 2/16/15 Effective from passage To House 2/17/15 To 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
- 145. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System Introduced 1/14/15 To Pensions then Judiciary
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 150. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to wildlife damage control agents Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 151. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to special boating Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 152. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to commercial whitewater outfitters Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 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
- 154. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to child labor Introduced 1/14/15 To Labor then Judiciary
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 159. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Division of Forestry promulgate legislative rule relating to ginseng Introduced 1/14/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary

- 160. 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
- 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 To Judiciary 2/12/15
- 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 To Judiciary 2/19/15
- 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 Bureau of Commerce

- **promulgate legislative rules** Introduced 1/14/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/30/15 Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 Effective from passage To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- 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 To House 2/4/15 To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization To House Judiciary On 2nd reading, Special Calendar 2/24/15
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- \*182. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety promulgate legislative rules Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 Effective from passage To House 2/20/15 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
- 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
- 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
- 186. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Tax Department promulgate legislative rule relating to appointment of special assessors Introduced 1/14/15 To Finance then Judiciary
- \*187. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Revenue promulgate legislative rules Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/22/15 Com. sub. reported 2/4/15 Passed Senate 2/9/15 Effective from passage To House 2/10/15 To Judiciary
- 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

- By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure
   Introduced 1/14/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 190. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to nonintoxicating beer licensing and operations procedures Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- 191. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to private club licensing Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary
- \*192. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Department of Transportation promulgate legislative rules Introduced 1/14/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/28/15 Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 Effective from passage To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary
  - 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
- 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
- 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
- \*199. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing miscellaneous agencies and boards promulgate legislative rules Introduced 1/14/15 -

- To Government Organization then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/30/15 Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 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
- 201. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Board of Osteopathy promulgate legislative rule relating to board fees Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 212. By Sen. Snyder Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to auctioneers Introduced 1/14/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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
- 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 certain water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction Introduced 1/15/15 To Government Organization then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/19/15 To Finance 2/19/15
- 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 Amended Passed House 2/12/15 Effective from passage Senate concurred in House amendments and passed bill 2/13/15 Effective from passage To Governor 2/19/15
  - 238. By Sen. D. Hall, Nohe and Stollings Limiting certain county board of education liability arising from unorganized recreation (original same as H. B. No. 2441) -

- Introduced 1/16/15 To Education then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/4/15 Passed Senate with amended title 2/11/15 To House 2/12/15 To Judiciary On 2nd reading, Special Calendar 2/24/15
- 239. 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
- 241. 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 certain automated telephone calls during state of emergency or preparedness (original same as H. B. No. 2117) Introduced 1/16/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/6/15 Passed Senate 2/11/15 To House 2/12/15 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 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/9/15 Passed Senate 2/12/15 Effective from passage To House 2/13/15 To Education
- 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 To House 2/4/15 To Judiciary
  - 250. 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 Passed Senate 2/6/15 Effective from passage To House 2/9/15 To Agriculture and Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 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
- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act (original same as H. B. No. 2525) 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 Passed Senate 2/10/15 To House 2/11/15 To Government Organization Passed House 2/20/15

- \*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 Com. sub. reported 2/13/15 To Judiciary 2/13/15
  - 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 Passed Senate 2/6/15 To House 2/9/15 To Agriculture and Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 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 Passed Senate 2/10/15 To House 2/11/15 To Government Organization Passed House 2/18/15
- 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 Removed from calendar by action of Committee on Rules on 2nd reading
- 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 Passed Senate 2/10/15 To House 2/11/15 To Health and Human Resources To House Judiciary 2/19/15
- 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 Com. sub. reported 2/12/15 To Judiciary 2/12/15 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- \*274. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the

- Executive] **Relating to TANF program sanctions** (original same as H. B. No. 2382) Introduced 1/21/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/28/15 Com. sub. reported 2/12/15 Passed Senate 2/17/15 To House 2/18/15 To Judiciary
- 275. By Sen. Trump, Kessler, Unger, Nohe, Boso, Blair, Prezioso, D. Hall, Beach and Romano Relating to confidentiality of concealed weapon permit applicants' information (original same as H. B. No. 2636) 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 Com. sub. reported 2/4/15 To Judiciary 2/4/15 Com. sub. for com. sub. reported 2/13/15 Passed Senate 2/18/15 To House 2/18/15 To 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 Com. sub. reported 2/17/15 To Judiciary 2/17/15
- \*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 Recommitted to Judiciary on 3rd reading 2/6/15
- \*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 Approved by Governor 2/4/15
- 281. By Sen. Plymale Creating system of judicial sale of tax liens Introduced 1/21/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 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 On 3rd reading 2/24/15
- \*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 Amended Passed Senate 2/4/15 To House 2/5/15 To Judiciary
  - 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 Amended On 3rd reading 2/24/15
- \*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 Com. sub. reported 2/13/15 Committee reference dispensed Passed Senate 2/18/15 To House 2/18/15 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 Com. sub. reported 2/4/15 Passed Senate 2/9/15 To House 2/10/15 To Education then Finance
- 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
- 291. 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 On 3rd reading 2/24/15
- 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 To Judiciary 2/6/15 Passed Senate 2/19/15 To House 2/19/15 To Government Organization
- 295. By Sen. Ferns and Trump Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions (original same as H. B. No. 2589) Introduced 1/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 1/28/15 Passed Senate 2/10/15 To House 2/11/15 To Judiciary
- 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 To Judiciary 2/5/15 Passed Senate 2/13/15 To House 2/16/15 To Finance Passed House 2/20/15
- 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 To Judiciary 2/5/15 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/13/15 To House 2/16/15 To Finance Amended Passed House 2/20/15 Senate concurred in House amendments and passed bill 2/23/15
- 300. By Sen. Gaunch, Trump and Stollings Relating to military service credit for PERS members (original similar to S. B. No. 551) Introduced 1/26/15 To Pensions then Finance To Finance 2/19/15

- 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 To Finance 2/5/15
- 302. 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 To Judiciary 2/5/15 Passed Senate 2/13/15 To House 2/16/15 To Finance Passed House 2/20/15
- 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 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 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 To Finance 2/19/15
- 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
- 307. 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 To Judiciary 2/6/15
- 310. 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 Passed Senate 2/4/15 To House 2/5/15 To Judiciary
- 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 To Judiciary 2/10/15
- 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 Com. sub. reported 2/10/15 Passed Senate 2/13/15 To House 2/16/15 To Judiciary
- \*316. By Sen. D. Hall, Leonhardt, Trump, Stollings, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Nohe Exempting new veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State (original similar to H. B. No. 2676) Introduced 1/27/15 To Military then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/5/15 To Finance 2/5/15 Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To 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
- 318. By Sen. Trump, Karnes, Carmichael and Blair **Relating to**payment of wages by employers Introduced 1/27/15 To
  Judiciary Amended on 3rd reading Passed Senate 2/5/15 To House 2/6/15 To Judiciary
- 319. By Sen. D. Hall and Trump Relating to donation of Secretary of State overpayment fees (original same as H. B. No. 2682) Introduced 1/27/15 To Finance
- 320. By Sen. D. Hall and Trump Standardizing notification process for revocation of certificates of authority (original same as H. B. No. 2680) Introduced 1/27/15 To Judiciary
- 321. 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 - Passed Senate 2/4/15 - To House 2/5/15 - To Judiciary
- \*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 Passed Senate 2/4/15 To House 2/5/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 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 Passed Senate 2/4/15 To House 2/5/15 To Judiciary
- 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
- 328. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/20/15 To Finance 2/20/15
- \*330. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/19/15 To Health and Human Resources 2/19/15
- 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. 2547) 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 Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- \*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 Amended Passed House 2/11/15 Title amended Senate concurred in House amendments and passed bill 2/12/15 To Governor 2/19/15
- 336. By Sen. Ferns and Takubo Relating to powers and duties of Health Care Authority Introduced 1/27/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 337. 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2773) Introduced 1/27/15 To Economic Development then Finance
- \*339. By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall and Nohe Eliminating certain funding sources for Workers Compensation Debt Reduction Fund (original similar to H. B. No. 2394) Introduced 1/27/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/11/15 To Finance 2/11/15
- 340. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Blair and Takubo **Requiring** voter provide photo ID (original similar to H. B. No. 2092, H. B. No. 2365, H. B. No. 2477 and H. B. No. 2602) Introduced 1/27/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 341. By Sen. D. Hall, Trump, Blair, Beach, Karnes, Sypolt, Williams and Woelfel (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 requirements for error corrections by CPRB (original same as H. B. No. 2521) Introduced 1/28/15 To Pensions then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/19/15 To Finance 2/19/15
- \*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 Com. sub. reported 2/6/15 To Judiciary 2/6/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 Effective from passage To House 2/20/15 To Government Organization
- \*344. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael and Blair Relating to limitations on back and front pay and punitive damages Introduced 1/28/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/17/15 Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- 345. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 To Finance 2/23/15
- 347. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/11/15 To Finance 2/11/15
- 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 (original similar to H. B. No. 2686) 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 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- \*351. By Sen. Ferns Relating to charitable organization contribution levels requiring independent audit reports (original same as H. B. No. 2716) Introduced 1/28/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- \*352. By Sen. Walters Expanding scope of cooperative associations to goods and services including recycling (original similar to H. B. No. 2603) Introduced 1/28/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/19/15 To Judiciary 2/19/15
- \*353. By Sen. Walters and Nohe Designating State Police Superintendent administrator and enforcer of motor vehicle inspection program Introduced 1/28/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/4/15 Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2591) Introduced 1/29/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 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 Com. sub. reported 2/5/15 Amended Passed Senate 2/10/15 To House 2/11/15 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
- 360. 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 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- \*361. By Sen. Blair Eliminating 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 To Government Organization 1/29/15 Com. sub. reported 2/5/15 2/5/15 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/12/15 Effective from passage To House 2/13/15 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 To Judiciary 2/18/15
- 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 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- \*365. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch, D. Hall and Palumbo Relating to issuance of travel insurance entity producer licenses (original similar to H. B. No. 2536) Introduced 1/29/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/10/15 To Judiciary 2/10/15
- 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2728) -

- Introduced 1/29/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/10/15 To Judiciary 2/10/15
- 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2565) Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary then Finance To Finance 2/9/15 On 3rd reading 2/24/15
- 371. By Sen. Carmichael and Karnes Applying forum non conveniens doctrine when actions involve resident and nonresident plaintiffs Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary
- 372. 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 To Judiciary 2/10/15 Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- \*374. By Sen. Trump and D. Hall **Permitting in absentia parole hearings in certain instances** (original same as H. B. No.
  2703) Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary Com. sub.
  reported 2/3/15 Passed Senate 2/6/15 Effective from
  passage To House 2/9/15 To Judiciary
- \*375. By Sen. Trump **Specifying who receives parole hearing notices via regular or certified mail** (original same as H. B. No. 2721) Introduced 1/30/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/3/15 Passed Senate 2/6/15 Effective from passage To House 2/9/15 To Judiciary
  - 376. 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 Com. sub. reported 2/11/15 Passed Senate 2/16/15 Effective from passage To House 2/17/15 To

- Government Organization Passed House 2/20/15 Effective from passage
- \*379. By Sen. Walters, D. Hall, Beach and Miller Creating State Infrastructure Fund Program (original similar to H. B. No. 2778) Introduced 1/30/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/11/15 To Finance 2/11/15
- 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 Passed Senate 2/17/15 Effective from passage To House 2/18/15 To Finance
- 383. By Sen. D. Hall, Ferns, Kirkendoll, Maynard, Mullins, Takubo and Stollings Permitting hunting or trapping on private lands on Sundays (original same as H. B. No. 2751)
   Introduced 2/2/15 To Natural Resources
- \*384. By Sen. D. Hall, Prezioso, Takubo, Stollings and Beach Permitting wine sales by specialty shop located in dry county, magisterial district or municipality Introduced 2/2/15 To Government Organization Com. sub. reported 2/17/15 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/20/15 Effective from passage To House 2/20/15 To Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Economic Development then Government Organization
- \*385. By Sen. D. Hall, Beach, Blair, Ferns, Karnes, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Williams and Stollings Regulating transportation network companies (original same as H. B. No. 2736) Introduced 2/2/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/12/15 To Judiciary 2/12/15
  - 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 To Finance 2/11/15
  - 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 (Originating in Senate Government Organization) Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements Introduced 2/2/15 Passed Senate 2/5/15 Effective from passage To House 2/6/15 To Government Organization Amended Passed House 2/17/15 Title amended Effective from passage Senate concurred in House amendments and passed bill 2/19/15 Effective from passage
- \*390. By Sen. Trump Authorizing PSC approve expedited cost recovery of natural gas utility infrastructure projects (original same as H. B. No. 2743) Introduced 2/3/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 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 To Judiciary 2/18/15
- 392. By Sen. Plymale Relating to public higher education procurement and payment of expenses (original same as S. B. No. 455) Introduced 2/3/15 To Education then Finance
- 393. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] **Reforming juvenile justice system** (original same as H. B. No. 2641) 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2612) 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2614) Introduced 2/3/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance To Finance 2/6/15 Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 Effective July 1, 2015 To House 2/20/15 To 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 To Judiciary 2/6/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2748) 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 (original same as H. B. No. 2621 and H. B. No. 2673) Introduced 2/3/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/18/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 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
- 406. By Sen. Plymale, Boso and Stollings Criminalizing

- **trademark counterfeiting** (original same as H. B. No. 2779 and S. B. No. 454) Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary
- \*407. By Sen. Plymale Implementing state safety oversight program Introduced 2/4/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 To Finance 2/18/15
  - 408. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Establishing critical need alternative teaching certificate (original same as H. B. No. 2645) Introduced 2/4/15 To Education then Finance
- 409. By Sen. Carmichael, Blair, Boso, Gaunch, M. Hall, Walters and Williams Creating Fair and Open Competition in Governmental Construction Act Introduced 2/4/15 To Labor then Judiciary
- 410. By Sen. Stollings, Prezioso, Plymale, Woelfel, Williams, Unger, Takubo, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Beach, Carmichael, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Palumbo and Nohe Relating to liability insurance coverage for county board of education volunteers and student teachers Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 411. By Sen. Takubo, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch and Mullins Creating Asbestos Bankruptcy Trust Claims
  Transparency Act and Asbestos and Silica Claims
  Priorities Act Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary
- 412. By Sen. Blair **Relating to Real Estate Commission complaint filings** (original same as H. B. No. 2732) Introduced 2/4/15 To Government Organization then
  Judiciary To Judiciary 2/12/15 Passed Senate 2/19/15 To
  House 2/19/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 413. By Sen. D. Hall Relating to pesticide control licensing requirements Introduced 2/4/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Government Organization
- 414. By Sen. Plymale, Cole (Mr. President), Stollings and Woelfel
   Creating Local Development Superiority Act Introduced
   2/4/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 415. By Sen. Trump (Originating in Senate Judiciary) **Relating to circuit judges** Introduced 2/4/15 Referred to Finance
  2/4/15 Passed Senate 2/23/15
- 416. By Sen. D. Hall, M. Hall, Prezioso, Boley, Woelfel, Plymale and Beach **Relating to hotel occupancy tax** (original similar to H. B. No. 2851 and S. B. No. 512) Introduced 2/5/15 To Finance
- 417. By Sen. Snyder and Blair Removing certain tax discounts

- from motor fuel excise tax Introduced 2/5/15 To Finance

  By Sen. Nobe and Gaunch Relating to trustee real estate
- 418. By Sen. Nohe and Gaunch **Relating to trustee real estate** sale under deed of trust (original same as H. B. No. 2655) Introduced 2/5/15 To Judiciary On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 419. By Sen. Nohe and Gaunch Providing insurance requirements for transportation network companies and drivers Introduced 2/5/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 420. By Sen. Boley, Carmichael, Karnes, Kessler, Mullins, Plymale, Sypolt, Unger and Kirkendoll Relating to retirement benefits for certain employees in kindergarten programs Introduced 2/5/15 To Pensions then Finance To Finance 2/19/15
- \*421. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Blair and Gaunch Relating to punitive damages in civil actions Introduced 2/5/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/13/15 Rejected by Senate 2/18/15 Motion to reconsider rejection adopted Amended on 3rd reading Passed Senate with amended title 2/19/15 To House 2/19/15 To Judiciary
- 422. By Sen. Plymale, D. Hall, Miller, Unger, Kessler and Stollings
   Raising minimum teacher salaries Introduced 2/5/15 To
  Education then Finance
- 423. By Sen. M. Hall, Blair, Carmichael, Facemire, D. Hall, Kirkendoll, Mullins, Plymale, Romano, Trump, Woelfel, Williams and Stollings Amending Aboveground Storage Tank Act (original same as H. B. No. 2574) Introduced 2/5/15 To Judiciary
- 424. By Sen. Ferns and Stollings Eliminating compulsory tuberculosis testing for certain school children and school personnel (original same as H. B. No. 2669) Introduced 2/5/15 To Health and Human Resources then Education To Education 2/18/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- By Sen. Plymale, Laird, Kessler, Stollings, Miller, D. Hall, M. Hall, Prezioso, Leonhardt, Walters, Williams and Carmichael Providing WVU, MU and WVSOM more authority to invest assets (original same as H. B. No. 2815) Introduced 2/6/15 To Education Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Education then Finance
- 426. By Sen. Plymale, Prezioso, Beach, Carmichael, D. Hall, Kessler, Walters and Williams Relating to campus police officers of state institutions of higher learning (original similar to H. B. No. 2780) Introduced 2/6/15 To Education
- 427. By Sen. Unger, Yost, Boley, Nohe, Romano, Beach,

- Kirkendoll, Prezioso, Miller, Facemire, Kessler, Palumbo, D. Hall, Laird, Williams, Carmichael, Snyder, Stollings and Plymale **Relating to State Police compensation** Introduced 2/6/15 To Finance
- 428. By Sen. Stollings, Takubo and Kessler **Relating to hydrocodone combination drug prescriptions** Introduced
  2/6/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 429. By Sen. Trump, Williams, D. Hall, Stollings, Miller, Palumbo and Kessler Relating to one-day special charitable event license to sell nonintoxicating beer (original same as H. B. No. 2684) Introduced 2/6/15 To Government Organization then Finance Committee reference dispensed Passed Senate 2/17/15 Effective from passage To House 2/18/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- \*430. By Sen. Trump Permitting mutual orders enjoining certain contact between parties to domestic relations actions Introduced 2/6/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/9/15 Amended Passed Senate 2/12/15 Effective from passage To House 2/13/15 To Judiciary
- 431. By Sen. Kessler, Unger, Beach, Facemire, Kirkendoll, Laird, Miller, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Williams, Woelfel, Yost and Palumbo Relating to graduated salary increases for teachers Introduced 2/6/15 To Education then Finance
- 432. By Sen. Kessler, Beach, Facemire, Kirkendoll, Laird, Miller, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Unger, Woelfel and Yost Relating to graduated salary increases for service personnel Introduced 2/6/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- By Sen. Kessler, Unger, Beach, Facemire, Kirkendoll, Laird, Miller, Romano, Snyder, Stollings, Woelfel and Yost Relating to graduated salary increases for state employees
   Introduced 2/6/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 434. By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall, Kirkendoll and Stollings Relating to horse racing (original similar to H. B. No. 2575)
   Introduced 2/6/15 To Finance
- \*435. By Sen. Blair, D. Hall, Boso, Carmichael, Kirkendoll, Laird, Stollings, Trump, Williams, Prezioso, Plymale, Gaunch and Walters Creating WV Sheriffs' Bureau of Professional Standards Introduced 2/9/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 Committee reference dispensed Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Government

- Organization
- 436. By Sen. Nohe Relating to State Athletic Commission Introduced 2/9/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 437. By Sen. Prezioso, Beach, Carmichael, D. Hall, Kessler, Walters, Williams and Plymale Increasing membership of PEIA Finance Board (original similar to H. B. No. 2814) Introduced 2/9/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 438. By Sen. Palumbo, Gaunch, Kessler, Miller, Sypolt, Plymale, Laird, Prezioso, Walters and Stollings Creating Sexual Assault Fund to End Rape Act (original similar to hb 2821) Introduced 2/9/15 To Finance
- 439. By Sen. Prezioso, Carmichael, Gaunch, D. Hall, Kessler, Leonhardt, Walters, Williams and Plymale Relating to higher education Introduced 2/9/15 To Education then Finance
- 440. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Commerce (original same as S. B. No. 466) Introduced 2/9/15 To Finance
- 441. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Supplementing, amending, decreasing and increasing appropriations from State Road Fund to DOH (original same as H. B. No. 2692 and S. B. No. 477) Introduced 2/9/15 To Finance
- 442. By Sen. Carmichael **Relating to interest on judgments and** decrees Introduced 2/9/15 To Judiciary
- 443. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation from State Fund, State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund, to DHS (original same as H. B. No. 2698 and S. B. No. 464) Introduced 2/10/15 To Finance
- 444. By Sen. Karnes, Boley, Gaunch and Leonhardt **Relating to home schooling** (original similar to H. B. No. 2793) Introduced 2/10/15 To Education then Judiciary
- 445. By Sen. M. Hall, Stollings, Boley, Boso, Snyder, Facemire and Plymale Relating to investment of RJCFA excess funds Introduced 2/10/15 To Finance On 3rd reading 2/24/15
- 446. By Sen. Kessler, Beach and Stollings Increasing number of terminals authorized by limited video lottery retailer license Introduced 2/10/15 To Judiciary

- 447. By Sen. Karnes, Boley, Gaunch and Leonhardt Allowing issuance of diploma by public, private or home school administrator Introduced 2/10/15 To Education then Judiciary
- By Sen. Karnes, Boley, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Nohe and Boso
   Relating to PROMISE Scholarship Program (original same as H. B. No. 2674) Introduced 2/10/15 To Education
- 449. By Sen. Laird, Kirkendoll, Beach, Stollings, Yost, Romano, Williams, Miller, Kessler, Facemire and Snyder Relating to salaries for Division of Corrections, RJCFA and Division of Juvenile Services employees (original same as H. B. No. 2731) Introduced 2/10/15 To Finance
- 450. By Sen. Stollings, Facemire and Snyder Creating offense of sexual assault in fourth degree Introduced 2/10/15 To Judiciary
- 451. By Sen. Carmichael, Leonhardt, Kessler, Nohe, Blair, Romano, Boso and Karnes Allowing certain National Guard firefighters to become Air National Guard civilian firefighters Introduced 2/10/15 To Military then Finance
- 452. By Sen. M. Hall, Stollings and Boley Exempting RJCFA employees from classified service Introduced 2/10/15 To Judiciary
- 453. By Sen. Woelfel, Blair, Ferns, Gaunch, M. Hall, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe, Plymale, Prezioso, Snyder, Takubo, Trump, Walters, Williams and Karnes Relating to motor vehicle dealers, distributors, wholesalers and manufacturers Introduced 2/10/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. Prezioso, Beach, D. Hall, Kessler, Leonhardt, Plymale, Walters, Woelfel, Facemire and Stollings Criminalizing trademark counterfeiting (original same as H. B. No. 2779 and S. B. No. 406) Introduced 2/11/15 To Judiciary
- \*455. By Sen. Prezioso, Carmichael, D. Hall, Kessler, Leonhardt, Plymale, Walters, Williams, Palumbo and Stollings Relating to public higher education procurement and payment of expenses (original same as S. B. No. 392) Introduced 2/11/15 To Education then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/17/15 To Finance 2/17/15
- \*456. By Sen. Takubo, Gaunch and Stollings Relating to letters of merit in medical professional liability actions Introduced 2/11/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 457. By Sen. Plymale, Walters and Nohe Relating to selection of

- school athletic coaches or other extracurricular activities coaches Introduced 2/11/15 To Education
- 458. By Sen. Stollings and Kessler Relating to controlling methamphetamine Introduced 2/11/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- \*459. By Sen. Walters, Kessler, Nohe, Williams, Palumbo, Boso and Stollings Relating to development of broadband middle mile infrastructure Introduced 2/12/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance Com. sub. reported 2/18/15 To Finance 2/18/15
- 460. By Sen. Ferns, D. Hall and Stollings Modifying requirements allowing child witnesses to testify by closed circuit television (original similar to H. B. No. 2828) Introduced 2/12/15 To Judiciary
- 461. By Sen. Walters, D. Hall and Plymale Exempting railroad locomotive fuel from certain fuel excise taxes Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 462. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Expiring funds to State Fund, General Revenue, from Auditor's Office, Purchasing Card Administration Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2772) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 463. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation to DHHR, DHS, Health Care Provider Tax, Medicaid State Share Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2771) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation from State Fund, State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund, to DHHR, DHS (original same as H. B. No. 2770 and S. B. No. 443) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 465. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Expiring funds to State Fund, General Revenue, from various accounts (original same as H. B. No. 2769) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 466. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Commerce (original same as hb 2691H. B. No. 2768 and S. B. No. 440) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 467. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of

- **federal funds to Department of Agriculture, State Conservation Committee** (original same as H. B. No. 2767)
   Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 468. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Expiring funds to State Fund, General Revenue, from Joint Expenses and DHHR, DHS, TRIP Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2766) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 469. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DEP, Division of Environmental Protection (original same as H. B. No. 2765) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 470. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of Lottery Net Profits to State Department of Education, School Building Authority, Debt Service Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2764) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 471. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DHHR, Human Rights Commission, and DHHR, DHS (original same as H. B. No. 2763) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation to DOT, DMV, Motor Vehicle Fees Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2762) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 473. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DMAPS, WV State Police (original same as H. B. No. 2761) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 474. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation of Lottery Net Profits to Bureau of Senior Services, Lottery Senior Citizens Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2760) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance
- 475. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation to DMAPS, Division of Corrections, Parolee Supervision Fees, and WV State Police, Motor Vehicle Inspection Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2759) Introduced 2/12/15 To

- Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 476. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Making supplementary appropriation to Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, Purchasing Improvement Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2758) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 477. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Supplementing, amending, decreasing and increasing appropriation from State Road Fund to DOH (original same as H. B. No. 2757 and S. B. No. 441) Introduced 2/12/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 478. By Sen. Plymale, Stollings, Snyder, Romano, Williams and Kessler Generating and maintaining revenue for road construction and maintenance and infrastructure Introduced 2/12/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
- 479. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Maynard, Miller, Woelfel, Snyder, Ferns, Palumbo, Nohe, Beach, Gaunch, Karnes, D. Hall, Kirkendoll, Romano, Williams and Leonhardt (Originating in Senate Judiciary) Adding additional family court judges (original similar to H. B. No. 2108 and S. B. No. 70) Introduced 2/12/15 Referred to Finance 2/12/15
- 480. By Sen. Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Plymale, Sypolt, Walters, Woelfel and Snyder Increasing tax exemption for PERS and TRS income (original similar to H. B. No. 2113) Introduced 2/13/15 To Finance
- 481. By Sen. Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Plymale, Sypolt and Woelfel Relating to municipal policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds' investment Introduced 2/13/15 To Pensions then Finance To Finance 2/19/15
- 482. By Sen. Carmichael, Blair, D. Hall and Kirkendoll Relating to permits for stationary sources of air pollutants Introduced 2/13/15 To Judiciary
- 483. By Sen. Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Plymale, Sypolt and Woelfel Clarifying continuing election of municipal policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds' trustees Introduced 2/13/15 To Pensions Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 To House 2/20/15 To Finance
- 484. By Sen. Carmichael Relating to procedure for removal of certain county, school district and municipal officers (original similar to H. B. No. 2818) Introduced 2/13/15 To

- Government Organization then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/20/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 485. By Sen. Carmichael and Boso Providing county commissioners mechanism for elected officials' compensation increases (original same as H. B. No. 2865) Introduced 2/13/15 To Government Organization
- 486. By Sen. Leonhardt, Boso, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Romano and Walters Exempting WV Wing of Civil Air Patrol vehicles from displaying WV State Car license plate (original same as H. B. No. 2753) Introduced 2/13/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 487. By Sen. D. Hall, Blair, Boley, Boso, Carmichael, Gaunch, M. Hall, Karnes, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe, Prezioso, Sypolt, Takubo and Trump Creating Freedom of Conscience Protection Act (original same as H. B. No. 2830) Introduced 2/13/15 To Judiciary
- 488. By Sen. Williams, Prezioso and Stollings Reestablishing and modifying Broadband Deployment Council Introduced 2/13/15 To Government Organization
- 489. By Sen. Carmichael Imposing statute of limitations on civil actions derived from surveying of real property Introduced 2/13/15 To Judiciary On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 490. By Sen. Mullins, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Prezioso, Stollings, Williams and Plymale Adding certain facilities and operations to protected parties relating to crimes against property Introduced 2/13/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- 491. By Sen. Kessler, Ferns, D. Hall, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Mullins and Prezioso Creating bid preference for certain limited video lottery current permit holders (original same as H. B. No. 2809) Introduced 2/16/15 To Finance
- 492. By Sen. Beach, Williams, D. Hall, Miller, Stollings and Walters Relating to sale of alcoholic beverages on Sundays prior to 1 p.m. (original similar to H. B. No. 2804 and S. B. No. 42) Introduced 2/16/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary
- 493. By Sen. Carmichael, Ferns, Stollings, Takubo and Trump Relating to authority to waive incapacitated person's right to jury trial (original same as H. B. No. 2781) Introduced 2/16/15 To Judiciary
- 494. By Sen. Takubo, Carmichael, Ferns, M. Hall, Maynard,
   Mullins, Nohe, Plymale, Prezioso, Stollings, Trump, Williams
   and Gaunch Relating to prescriptions for epinephrine

- **auto-injectors** Introduced 2/16/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 495. By Sen. Leonhardt and Kessler Relating to County Local Powers Act Introduced 2/16/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
- 496. By Sen. D. Hall, Boso, Ferns, Gaunch, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Takubo, Walters, Williams and Stollings Creating Statewide Interoperable Radio Network Act (original same as H. B. No. 2871 similar to H. B. No. 2785) Introduced 2/16/15 To Finance
- 497. By Sen. Stollings, Prezioso, Williams, Facemire, Gaunch, D. Hall, Laird and Snyder **Permitting school nurses to possess and administer opioid antagonists** Introduced 2/16/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 498. By Sen. Sypolt, Boso, Carmichael, Kessler, Snyder, Prezioso and Facemire Clarifying tax map rules apply to paper and electronic documents (original same as H. B. No. 2838) Introduced 2/16/15 To Government Organization On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- By Sen. Williams, Beach, Facemire, Kessler, Kirkendoll, Laird, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Romano, Snyder, Stollings and D. Hall Creating Tourist-Oriented Directional Signs Program Introduced 2/16/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Government Organization
- 500. By Sen. Karnes, Blair, Boley, Boso, Gaunch, D. Hall, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe, Takubo and Walters Providing procedure for delegate selection to Article V Convention (original similar to H. B. No. 2424) Introduced 2/17/15 To Judiciary
- 501. By Sen. Karnes, Blair, Boley, Boso, Gaunch, D. Hall, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe and Walters Requiring annual report by persons practicing midwifery (original same as H. B. No. 2829) Introduced 2/17/15 To Health and Human Resources
- 502. By Sen. Sypolt, Ferns, Gaunch, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Plymale, Prezioso and Stollings Relating to eligibility for certain reclamation or remediation tax credit (original same as H. B. No. 2816) Introduced 2/17/15 To Finance
- 503. By Sen. Kirkendoll, Beach, Facemire, D. Hall, Kessler, Laird, Stollings, Yost, Romano and Palumbo Permitting sheriff hire outside attorneys for tax collection assistance (original similar to H. B. No. 2847) Introduced 2/17/15 To

- Government Organization then Judiciary
- 504. By Sen. Kirkendoll Authorizing collection of additional local 911 fees Introduced 2/17/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure then Government Organization
- 505. By Sen. D. Hall, Ferns and Mullins Creating Physicians Lien Act Introduced 2/17/15 To Judiciary
- 506. By Sen. Carmichael **Requiring licensing of athletic** trainers (original same as H. B. No. 2746) Introduced 2/17/15 To Government Organization
- 507. By Sen. Trump and Plymale **Relating to monitoring**inmates' electronic communications Introduced 2/17/15 To Judiciary On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 508. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Reorganizing Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority (original same as H. B. No. 2835) Introduced 2/17/15 To Natural Resources then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/19/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 509. By Sen. Trump **Relating to waste by cotenant** Introduced 2/17/15 To Judiciary
- 510. By Sen. Ferns Amending Uniform Interstate Family Support Act (original same as H. B. No. 2834) Introduced 2/18/15 To Interstate Cooperation then Judiciary To Judiciary 2/23/15
- 511. By Sen. Boso and Stollings Relating to contractor or subcontractor's obligations regarding minimum prevailing wage rates on public improvement projects Introduced 2/18/15 To Judiciary
- 512. By Sen. D. Hall Exempting complimentary hotel rooms from hotel occupancy tax Introduced 2/18/15 To Finance
- 513. By Sen. D. Hall Establishing minimum standards for unconventional well sites Introduced 2/18/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
- 514. By Sen. Gaunch and Plymale Relating to investments of local policemen's and firemen's pension and relief funds Introduced 2/18/15 To Pensions then Finance To Finance 2/19/15
- 515. By Sen. Gaunch and Plymale Allowing Municipal Pensions
  Oversight Board invest funds with Investment
  Management Board or Board of Treasury Investments Introduced 2/19/15 To Finance
- 516. By Sen. Leonhardt, Karnes and Blair Relating to practice of advance practice registered nurses Introduced 2/19/15
   To Health and Human Resources then Finance

- 517. By Sen. D. Hall Exempting privilege of producing coalbed methane gas from severance tax Introduced 2/19/15 To Finance
- 518. By Sen. Blair, Carmichael, Snyder, Trump and Unger-Permitting county and municipal economic development authorities invest certain funds - Introduced 2/19/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- 519. By Sen. Laird, Carmichael, Gaunch, Mullins, Palumbo, Prezioso, Stollings, Walters, Williams, Nohe, Snyder and Plymale Relating to Nonprofit Youth Organization Tax Exemption Support Amendment enabling legislation Introduced 2/19/15 To Finance
- 520. By Sen. Walters, Blair, Miller, Snyder and Woelfel-Creating Local Energy Efficiency Partnership Act -Introduced 2/19/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
- 521. By Sen. Kessler Requiring employer provide group life insurance policy under certain circumstances Introduced 2/19/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- 522. By Sen. Laird, Miller and Kessler Increasing wholesale liquor prices for promotion of travel and tourism Introduced 2/19/15 To Finance
- \*523. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] Creating Alcohol and Drug Overdose Prevention and Clemency Act (original same as H. B. No. 2631) Introduced 2/19/15 To Judiciary Com. sub. reported 2/23/15 On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- By Sen. Prezioso, Sypolt and Blair Requiring higher education institutions award transfer credit (original same as H. B. No. 2594) Introduced 2/19/15 To Education
- 525. By Sen. M. Hall Exempting services of individuals authorized to practice before IRS from consumers sales and service tax Introduced 2/19/15 To Finance
- 526. By Sen. Kessler, Miller, Laird and Yost Relating to expungement of certain felony convictions Introduced 2/19/15 To Judiciary
- 527. By Sen. Miller and D. Hall Eliminating certain qualification requirements of Commissioner of Agriculture Introduced 2/20/15 To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
- 528. By Sen. Kessler, Beach, Laird, Miller, Snyder and Yost-Creating Earned Sick Time Act (original same as H. B. No. 2874) - Introduced 2/20/15 - To Labor then Judiciary then

- Finance
- 529. By Sen. Gaunch and Carmichael Relating to PERS, SPRS and TRS benefits and costs Introduced 2/20/15 To Finance
- 530. By Sen. Yost, Ferns, Kessler, Snyder and Romano-Extending income tax exemption for retirees receiving pensions from certain defined pension plans - Introduced 2/20/15 - To Finance
- 531. By Sen. Kessler, Palumbo, Romano, Stollings and Unger-Increasing cigarette tax to fund substance abuse and workforce development - Introduced 2/20/15 - To Finance
- 532. By Sen. Trump, Woelfel, Plymale, Stollings, Takubo, Prezioso, Carmichael, Ferns and Beach Relating to civil liability immunity for clinical practice plans and medical and dental school personnel Introduced 2/20/15 To Judiciary then Finance To Finance 2/23/15
- 533. By Sen. Laird, D. Hall, Trump, Boso and Romano-Prohibiting visual obstruction of motor vehicle registration plates - Introduced 2/20/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
- 534. By Sen. Takubo, Stollings, Kessler and Prezioso Increasing cigarette tax (original similar to H. B. No. 2559) Introduced 2/20/15 To Finance
- 535. By Sen. Nohe and Boso Exempting certain community rehabilitation programs from taxes on sales of personal property and services Introduced 2/20/15 To Finance
- 536. By Sen. Woelfel **Expanding definition of "kidnapping"** Introduced 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- 537. By Sen. D. Hall and Boso Changing mandatory school instructional time from days to minutes Introduced 2/20/15 To Education
- 538. By Sen. Kirkendoll, Romano, Trump, Facemire and Snyder-Relating to hearings before Office of Administrative Hearings (original similar to H. B. No. 2850) Introduced 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- 539. By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall, Nohe and Trump Relating to release of medical records in certain civil actions (original same as H. B. No. 2795) Introduced 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- By Sen. Plymale, Palumbo, Prezioso, Stollings, Unger, Facemire, D. Hall and Laird Creating Office of Early Childhood Collaboration Introduced 2/20/15 To Government Organization then Finance
- 541. By Sen. Carmichael, Blair and D. Hall Relating to

- **regulation and control of elections** Introduced 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 542. By Sen. D. Hall, Carmichael, M. Hall, Gaunch, Trump, Blair and Nohe Reforming provisions of Consumer Credit and Protection Act relating to debt collections Introduced 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 543. By Sen. Trump Redistributing certain lottery revenues to
  State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 544. By Sen. Sypolt, Stollings and D. Hall Establishing procedures for body mass index screening in schools Introduced 2/23/15 To Education then Finance
- 545. By Sen. Nohe, Walters, Palumbo and Gaunch Removing certain prior bank overdraft approval by director or executive officer Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 546. By Sen. Carmichael, Kessler and D. Hall Creating Compassionate Use Act for Medical Cannabis Introduced 2/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
- 547. By Sen. Stollings and D. Hall Creating WV Greyhound Racing Cessation Program (original similar to H. B. No. 2650) Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 548. By Sen. Blair, Karnes and Leonhardt Changing procedure for filling U. S. Senator vacancies Introduced 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 549. By Sen. M. Hall, Blair, Kessler, Unger and D. Hall-Establishing classifications and salary schedules for State Police forensic lab civilian employees Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 550. By Sen. Kirkendoll, Kessler, Stollings and Unger-Authorizing agreements between county commissions and municipalities regarding structures unfit for human habitation Introduced 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 551. By Sen. D. Hall, Kirkendoll, Leonhardt, Palumbo, Romano, Unger and Sypolt **Relating to PERS military service credit** (original similar to S. B. No. 300) Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 552. By Sen. D. Hall Relating to Tourism Promotion Fund Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 553. By Sen. Sypolt, Blair, Karnes and Takubo **Establishing English as official state language** (original same as H. B. No. 2573) Introduced 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 554. By Sen. Walters Limiting broadband/Internet service

- termination fees Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- By Sen. Ferns, Blair and D. Hall Continuing Office of EMS
   as independent office within DMAPS Introduced 2/23/15
   To Government Organization
- 556. By Sen. M. Hall and Ferns Relating to provisional social worker license requirements Introduced 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 557. By Sen. D. Hall and Takubo Requiring licensing of athletic trainers Introduced 2/23/15 To Health and Human Resources
- 558. By Sen. Trump, Blair and D. Hall Permitting scholarship awards by conservation districts Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 559. By Sen. M. Hall and Ferns Relating to social work licensing exemptions Introduced 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 560. By Sen. Trump and D. Hall Establishing special revenue fund for use of certain Supreme Court advanced technology (original same as hb 2833) Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 561. By Sen. Laird and Kessler Establishing Economic Adjustment Evaluation Task Force - Introduced 2/23/15 -To Finance
- 562. By Sen. Yost and Kessler Requiring DHHR review health care providers' rates Introduced 2/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- 563. By Sen. D. Hall and Kessler Relating to racetrack video lottery and table games Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 564. By Sen. Trump and Nohe Authorizing Shallow Gas Well
  Review Board grant certain waivers Introduced 2/23/15 To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
- 565. By Sen. Walters, D. Hall, Miller and Sypolt Relating to tax collections from certain political subdivision vendors Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 566. By Sen. Takubo Creating Hotel and Restaurant Renovation Tax Credit Act Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 567. By Sen. Takubo, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe and Karnes Requiring legislative approval for Medicaid expansion Introduced 2/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- 568. By Sen. Takubo Transferring Medicaid Fraud Control Unit from DHHR to Attorney General - Introduced 2/23/15

- To Health and Human Resources then Finance
- 569. By Sen. Maynard, Karnes and Leonhardt Permitting bear hunting with outfitters - Introduced 2/23/15 - To Natural Resources
- 570. By Sen. Walters Mandating dispatch of local services for emergency towing Introduced 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 571. By Sen. Maynard **Requiring log call sheets for 911 calls** Introduced 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 572. By Sen. Walters, Unger and Karnes Eliminating distribution of Tourism Promotion Funds for courtesy patrol program Introduced 2/23/15 To Finance
- 573. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Nohe, D. Hall, Palumbo and Gaunch (Originating in Senate Judiciary) **Relating to number of magistrates seated in each county** Introduced 2/23/15 Referred to Finance 2/23/15

### SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

- 1. By Sen. Boley **Proposing constitutional amendment designated School Board Election Amendment** (original same as H. J. R. No. 14) Introduced 1/14/15 To Education then Judiciary
- 2. By Sen. Kessler, Williams, Laird and Miller **Proposing** constitutional amendment designated Future Fund Amendment Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 3. By Sen. Snyder and Miller Proposing constitutional amendment designated Homestead Exemption Calculation Amendment Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary then Finance
- 4. By Sen. Trump, D. Hall, Plymale and Prezioso Proposing constitutional amendment designated Disabled Veteran Exemption From Ad Valorem Property Taxation Amendment (original similar to H. J. R. No. 6) Introduced 2/3/15 To Finance
- By Sen. Boley, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Maynard and Nohe-Proposing constitutional amendment designated School Board Membership Amendment - Introduced 2/5/15 - To Judiciary
- By Sen. Leonhardt, Kessler and Stollings Proposing constitutional amendment designated County Economic Development Amendment - Introduced 2/16/15 - To Judiciary

## 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
- 3. 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
- 7. 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 Adopted by

- Senate 2/13/15 To House 2/16/15 To Rules To House Rules 2/16/15
- 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
- 12. 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
- 15. By Sen. Palumbo, Williams, Stollings, Beach and Plymale Requesting DOH name bridge in Kanawha County "Tom Williams Family Bridge" Introduced 2/4/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Sen. D. Hall, Miller and Plymale Urging Congress recognize May 4 as National FPIES Awareness Day -Introduced 2/4/15 - To Health and Human Resources
- 17. By Sen. Trump, Plymale and Romano Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study probate process Introduced 2/4/15 To Rules
- 18. By Sen. Kessler, Leonhardt, Yost, Plymale and Beach-Requesting DOH name bridge in Wetzel County "U. S. Army COL William L. Glover Memorial Bridge" -Introduced 2/5/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 19. By Sen. Maynard, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Stollings Requesting DOH name stretch of road in Wayne County "Darrell W. Sanders Memorial Highway" Introduced 2/5/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 20. By Sen. Maynard, Plymale, D. Hall and Stollings-Requesting DOH name stretch of road in McDowell County "U. S. 1SG Army Joe C. Alderman Memorial Road" Introduced 2/5/15 To Transportation and

- Infrastructure
- 21. By Sen. Karnes, Blair, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Boso, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump and Walters Urging Congress call convention for proposal of constitutional amendments imposing fiscal restraints, limiting jurisdiction and setting term limits Introduced 2/5/15 To Interstate Cooperation then Judiciary
- 22. By Sen. Stollings and Plymale Requesting DOH name portion of U. S. Rt. 119 in Boone County "U. S. Army SGT Mark Andrew Messer Memorial Road" Introduced 2/6/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 23. By Sen. Maynard, Plymale and Stollings Requesting DOH name bridge in McDowell County "U. S. Army SFC Anthony Barton Memorial Bridge" Introduced 2/10/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 24. By Sen. Maynard, Plymale, Stollings and Leonhardt Requesting DOH name portion of Rt. 16 in McDowell County "U. S. Marine Corps LtCol Dennis Ray Blankenship Memorial Road" Introduced 2/10/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 25. By Sen. Prezioso, D. Hall, Plymale, Williams and Stollings Requesting DOH name bridge in Harrison County "U. S. Army PFC Nick A. Cavallaro Memorial Bridge" and "U. S. Army SSG Benjamin T. Portaro Memorial Bridge" Introduced 2/11/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 26. By Sen. Stollings Requesting DOH name bridge in Boone County "USMC PFC Marshall Lee King Memorial Bridge" - Introduced 2/11/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 27. By Sen. Maynard, Kirkendoll and Stollings Requesting DOH name portion of WV Rt. 152 in Wayne County "Wayne County Veterans Memorial Highway" Introduced 2/12/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 28. By Sen. Carmichael Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study magistrate court cost collection process Introduced 2/13/15 To Rules
- 29. By Sen. Palumbo, Boley, Gaunch, Takubo, Walters, Stollings, Prezioso and D. Hall Requesting DOH name bridge in Kanawha County "Rosie the Riveter Memorial Bridge" Introduced 2/16/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 30. By Sen. Prezioso, Beach, D. Hall, Stollings, Williams, Romano and Plymale Requesting DOH name portion of Rt. 19 in Marion County "Nicholas Lou 'Nick' Saban, Jr.,

- **Expressway"** Introduced 2/17/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 31. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) Authorizing meeting of Joint Select Committee on Tax Reform Introduced 2/19/15 To Rules
- 32. By Sen. Blair Amending Joint Rules of Senate and House of Delegates by adding Joint Rule 31, Unfinished Business Introduced 2/20/15 To Rules
- 33. By Sen. Carmichael, M. Hall, Trump, Walters, Blair, Kessler, Laird, Miller, Unger, Facemire and Yost Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study undeveloped land preservation and conservation tax credit program Introduced 2/20/15 To Finance then Rules To Finance 2/23/15
- 34. By Sen. Woelfel, Miller, Laird, Unger and Stollings-Requesting DOH name bridge in Greenbrier County "Army Air Corps LT William H. Corkerean, Jr., Memorial Bridge" Introduced 2/23/15 On Unfinished Business 2/24/15
- 35. By Sen. Stollings and Unger Requesting DOH name bridge in McDowell County "U. S. Army CPL Zane Joseph Gero and U. S. Marine Cpl John Anthony 'Tony' Gero Memorial Bridge" Introduced 2/23/15 On Unfinished Business 2/24/15
- 36. By Sen. Maynard Requesting DOH name bridge in McDowell County "Homer Hopkins Bridge" Introduced 2/23/15 On Unfinished Business 2/24/15

#### 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
- 3. 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
- 5. 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
- 7. **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
- 11. 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
- 13. 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
- 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
- 17. 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
- 18. 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
- 20. 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
- By Sen. Stollings, Prezioso, Palumbo, Laird, M. Hall, Romano, Williams, Kirkendoll, Kessler, Beach, Plymale, D. Hall and Nohe Recognizing February 4, 2015, Social Work Day Introduced 2/4/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/4/15
- 22. By Sen. Takubo, Miller, Laird, D. Hall, Romano, Kessler, Stollings, Beach, Plymale, Boso and Williams Recognizing WV School of Osteopathic Medicine Introduced 2/4/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/4/15
- 23. By Sen. Leonhardt, Beach, D. Hall, Miller and Plymale Recognizing WV Wing of Civil Air Patrol Introduced 2/6/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/6/15
- 24. By Sen. Unger, Snyder, Plymale, Beach, Kessler, Stollings and Prezioso **Recognizing Leadership Jefferson** Introduced 2/9/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/9/15
- 25. By Sen. Trump, Laird, Plymale, Blair, Yost, Williams, Miller, Beach, Prezioso, Stollings, Kessler and Unger Designating February 10, 2015, Corrections Day Introduced 2/10/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/10/15
- 26. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Laird, Kessler, Palumbo, Plymale, Stollings, Walters, Yost, Prezioso, Williams, Miller and Unger Designating February 10, 2015, Drug Court Day Introduced 2/10/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/10/15
- By Sen. Sypolt, Stollings, D. Hall, Prezioso and Williams Recognizing Youth Leadership Association Introduced
   2/12/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/12/15

- By Sen. Sypolt, 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, Takubo, Williams, Stollings, Unger, Walters, Woelfel and Yost Designating February 12, 2015, WV Home School Day Introduced 2/12/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/12/15
- 29. By Sen. Williams, Prezioso, Beach, Sypolt, Kessler, Leonhardt, Plymale, D. Hall, Unger, Nohe, Stollings, Snyder, Yost and Laird Designating February 13, 2015, WVU and WVU Extension Service Day Introduced 2/13/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/13/15
- 30. By Sen. Walters, Unger, Stollings, Gaunch, D. Hall, Boley, M. Hall, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Palumbo and Takubo Designating February 16, 2015, WVSU Day Introduced 2/16/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/16/15
- By Sen. Leonhardt, D. Hall, Snyder, Unger, Laird, Prezioso, Stollings and Williams Designating February 16, 2015,
   Veterans Visibility Day Introduced 2/16/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/16/15
- 32. By Sen. Nohe, Stollings, Unger and D. Hall Recognizing Wood County Detachment 1087 of Marine Corps League - Introduced 2/16/15 - Committee reference dispensed -Adopted 2/16/15
- 33. By Sen. Miller, Stollings, Snyder, Unger, Williams, Prezioso and Plymale Designating February 17, 2015, Local Food Systems Day at Legislature Introduced 2/17/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/17/15
- 34. By Sen. Unger, Prezioso, Plymale, Snyder and Stollings Recognizing Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Introduced 2/17/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/18/15
- 35. By Sen. Ferns, Plymale, Kessler and D. Hall Recognizing Robert Sincavich, Chairman of American Wholesale Marketers Association - Introduced 2/18/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 2/18/15
- 36. By Sen. Plymale, Woelfel, Yost, Unger, Kessler, Laird, Stollings, Nohe, Prezioso and D. Hall Memorializing life of Marshall University President Stephen J. Kopp Introduced 2/18/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/18/15
- By Sen. Plymale, Woelfel, Kessler, Laird, Stollings, D. Hall,
   Unger, Yost, Nohe and Prezioso Recognizing Marshall

- University football team and designating February 18, 2015, Marshall University Day Introduced 2/18/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/18/15
- 38. By Sen. Kirkendoll, Stollings, Williams, Unger, Kessler and Yost Recognizing WV Auxiliary of Wives Behind the Badge Introduced 2/19/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/19/15
- 39. By Sen. Stollings, Unger, Kessler and D. Hall Recognizing Whitesville, a Turn This Town Around community -Introduced 2/23/15 - Committee reference dispensed -Adopted 2/23/15
- By Sen. Woelfel, Plymale, Unger and Stollings Celebrating
   2014 Barboursville Intermediate Little League All-Stars
   Introduced 2/23/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/23/15
- 41. By Sen. Carmichael, Unger, Stollings and D. Hall-Recognizing Ripley, a Turn This Town Around community Introduced 2/23/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted 2/23/15

### 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 Approved by Governor 2/3/15
- \*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 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/9/15 House refused to concur and requested Senate to recede 2/10/15 Senate refused to recede and requested conference 2/11/15

- To conference 2/12/15 Conference committee extended-Joint Rules 2/19/15
- \*2004. By Del. Nelson, J., Howell, Statler, Walters, Foster, Zatezalo, White, B., Moffatt, Stansbury, Gearheart and Butler Providing a procedure for the development of a state plan under section 111(d) of the Clean Air Act (original same as S. B. No. 4) Introduced 1/14/15 To Energy then Judiciary To House Judiciary 1/23/15 Passed House 2/6/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/9/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/18/15 Effective from passage House concurred in Senate amendment and passed 2/19/15 Effective from passage
- \*2005. By Del. Pasdon, Hamrick, Zatezalo, Romine, McCuskey, Walters, Westfall, Arvon, Overington, Espinosa and Moffatt

   Relating to alternative programs for the education of teachers (original same as S. B. No. 5) Introduced 1/14/15

   To Education then Finance To House Finance 1/27/15 Motion to advance bill with amendments pending and restricted right to amend by Del. Pasdon rejected Amendments pending Amended Passed House 2/10/15 Title amended Effective July 1, 2015 To Senate 2/11/15 To Education then Finance To Education 2/11/15
- \*2008. By Del. Summers, Evans, D., Hamrick, Ashley, Ireland, Stansbury, Gearheart, Nelson, E., Howell, Blair and Kurcaba Auditing the Division of Highways (original same as S. B. No. 8) Introduced 1/14/15 To Government Organization then Finance To House Finance 1/19/15 Amended Passed House 2/6/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/9/15 To Finance Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate 2/20/15 Effective from passage
- \*2010. By Del. Kessinger, McCuskey, Border, Shott, Rowan, Frich, Westfall, Lane, Anderson, Sobonya and Faircloth Requiring the elections of justices of the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals, circuit court judges, family court judges and magistrates be nonpartisan and by division (original same as S. B. No. 10) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/4/15 To Senate 2/5/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/20/15 House concurred in Senate amendment and passed 2/23/15
- \*2011. By Del. Hanshaw, Shott, Nelson, E., Rohrbach, Sobonya, Weld, Espinosa, Statler and Miller Relating to disbursements from the Workers' Compensation Fund where an injury is self inflicted or intentionally caused by

- **the employer** (original same as S. B. No. 11) Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Amended Amended on 3rd reading Passed House 2/10/15 To Senate 2/11/15 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 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/10/15 House refused to concur and requested Senate to recede 2/11/15 Senate refused to recede and requested conference 2/12/15 To conference 2/13/15 Conference committee extended- Joint Rules 2/20/15
- \*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
- 2054. By Del. Shott Relating to the right of the landlord of commercial premises to terminate the lease under certain circumstances Introduced 1/14/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- \*2098. By Del. Hamrick, Householder, Cooper, Arvon, Nelson, J., Howell, Waxman, Ellington, Trecost, Blair and Kessinger Authorizing those health care professionals to provide services to patients or residents of state-run veterans' facilities without obtaining an authorization to practice Introduced 1/20/15 To Veterans' Affairs and Homeland Security then Health and Human Resources To House Health and Human Resources 2/5/15 Passed House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Health and Human Resources
- \*2099. By Del. Howell, Householder, Nelson, J., Statler, Walters, Arvon, Border, Folk, Hamilton, Evans, A. and McGeehan Extending the time of meetings of local levying bodies when meetings are delayed Introduced 1/20/15 To Political Subdivisions then Judiciary To House Judiciary 2/4/15 Amended Passed House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Government Organization
  - 2100. By Del. Williams, Campbell, Ellington, Hamilton, Rowan and Fleischauer Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act (original same as S. B. No. 244) Introduced 1/20/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary 2nd reference dispensed Amended Passed House 2/19/15 Title amended To Senate 2/20/15 To Health and Human Resources
  - 2114. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request

- of the Executive] **Updating the meaning of federal adjusted gross income and certain other terms used in the West Virginia Personal Income Tax Act** (original same as S. B. No. 240) Introduced 1/20/15 To Finance Passed House 2/4/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/5/15 To Finance Passed Senate 2/17/15 Effective from passage
- 2115. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Updating the meaning of the term "federal taxable income" and certain other terms used in the West Virginia Corporation Net Income Tax Act (original same as S. B. No. 241) Introduced 1/20/15 To Finance Passed House 2/4/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/5/15 To Finance Passed Senate 2/17/15 Effective from passage
- \*2128. By Del. Howell, Hamrick, Householder, Statler, Moffatt, Walters, Arvon, Blair, Kessinger, Border and Frich Permitting those individuals who have been issued concealed weapons permits to keep loaded firearms in their motor vehicles on the State Capitol Complex grounds (original similar to S. B. No. 118) Introduced 1/20/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/5/15 To Senate 2/6/15 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 Passed Senate 2/11/15 To Governor 2/17/15 Approved by Governor 2/18/15
- \*2139. By Del. Perry, Pasdon, Phillips, L., Hamrick, Rowan, Ambler, Cooper, Espinosa, Pethtel, Romine and Longstreth Relating to employment of retired teachers as substitutes in areas of critical need and shortage for substitutes Introduced 1/20/15 To Education then Finance To House Finance 2/11/15 Passed House 2/20/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/23/15 To Pensions then Education To Pensions 2/23/15
- 2140. By Del. Perry, Pasdon, Hamrick, Rowan, Ambler, Cooper, Romine, Moye, Hartman and Williams Building governance and leadership capacity of county board during period of state intervention Introduced 1/20/15 To Education then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Education

- \*2151. By Del. Perry, Pasdon, Phillips, L., Rowan, Ambler, Cooper, Espinosa, Pethtel, Romine, Longstreth and Moye Making the West Virginia state teacher of the year an ex officio, nonvoting member of the West Virginia Board of Education Introduced 1/20/15 To Education Amended Passed House 2/6/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/9/15 To Education
- \*2157. By Del. Lane **Relating to absentee ballot fraud** Introduced 1/20/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/17/15 To Senate 2/18/15 To Judiciary
- \*2160. By Del. Rowan, Cowles, Perry, Williams, Hamilton, Anderson, Pasdon, Duke, Espinosa, Miley and Nelson, E. WV Schools for the Deaf and Blind eligible for School Building Authority funding (original same as S. B. No. 252) Introduced 1/20/15 To Education then Finance To House Finance 1/27/15 Passed House 2/17/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/18/15 To Education then Finance To Education 2/18/15
- \*2187. By Del. Overington, Hanshaw, Gearheart, Frich, Sobonya, Householder, Moffatt, Kelly, Rowan, Butler and Cadle Encouraging public officials to display the national motto on all public property and public buildings Introduced 1/21/15 To Government Organization then Finance To House Finance 1/26/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 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 To Senate 2/4/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/13/15 Effective from passage House concurred in Senate amendment and passed 2/16/15 Effective from passage To Governor 2/19/15 Approved by Governor 2/19/15
- 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 Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/13/15 Effective from passage House concurred in Senate amendment and passed 2/16/15 Effective from passage To Governor 2/18/15
- By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Changing the amount of severance tax revenue annually dedicated to the West Virginia Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund (original same as S. B. No. 264) Introduced 1/22/15 To Finance Passed House 2/17/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/18/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 2213. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Reducing the distributions to the West Virginia Infrastructure Fund (original same as S. B. No. 265) Introduced 1/22/15 To Finance Advance bill with amendment pending rejected Amended Passed House 2/17/15 Title amended Effective from passage To Senate 2/18/15 To Finance On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- \*2217. By Del. Overington, Walters, Cowles, Upson, Blair, Espinosa, Deem, Phillips, R., Shott, Smith, R. and Sobonya Relating to qualifications of the Commissioner of Labor (original similar to S. B. No. 279) Introduced 1/22/15 To Industry and Labor then Government Organization To House Government Organization 1/28/15 Passed House 2/4/15 To Senate 2/5/15 Committee reference dispensed Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/9/15 House concurred in Senate amendment and passed 2/10/15 To Governor 2/13/15 Approved by Governor 2/18/15
- \*2223. By Del. Walters and Frich Including consumer credit sales that are secured by a mortgage, deed of trust or other equivalent consensual security interest on a dwelling or residential real estate in the definitions of "primary mortgage loan" and "subordinate mortgage loan" (original same as S. B. No. 285) Introduced 1/22/15 To Banking and Insurance then Finance To House Finance 1/30/15 Passed House 2/10/15 To Senate 2/11/15 To Banking and Insurance then Finance To Banking and Insurance 2/11/15
  - 2224. By Del. Howell, Manchin, Rowan, Storch, Canterbury, Stansbury, Zatezalo, Butler, Evans, D., Ambler and Cooper-Providing that historical reenactors are not violating the provision prohibiting unlawful military organizations -

- Introduced 1/22/15 To Veterans' Affairs and Homeland Security then Judiciary To House Judiciary 1/29/15 Amended Passed House 2/10/15 To Senate 2/11/15 To Military then Judiciary To Military 2/11/15
- \*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 Passed Senate 2/11/15

   To Governor 2/17/15 Approved by Governor 2/18/15
- \*2234. By Del. Ashley, Shott, Lane, Nelson, E., Upson, Hanshaw, Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead), McCuskey, Manchin, Campbell and Rowe Requiring a court to permit a party in a divorce proceeding to resume using the name he or she used prior to the marriage Introduced 1/22/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/5/15 To Senate 2/6/15 To Judiciary Amended Passed Senate with amended title 2/20/15
- \*2266. By Del. Shott, Ellington and Gearheart Relating to the publication requirements of the administration of estates
   Introduced 1/23/15 To Judiciary then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Passed House 2/11/15 To Senate 2/12/15 To Judiciary then Finance To Judiciary 2/12/15
- By Del. Ellington, Householder, Arvon, Howell, Kurcaba, Stansbury, Sobonya and Summers Relating to the authority of the Board of Pharmacy Introduced 1/23/15 To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization To House Government Organization 2/12/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Health and Human Resources
- 2274. By Del. Hanshaw, Hamilton, Evans, A. and Azinger-Authorizing the Commissioner of Corrections to enter into mutual aid agreements (original same as S. B. No. 309) Introduced 1/23/15 To Judiciary then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Amended Passed House 2/12/15 To Senate 2/13/15 To Judiciary then Finance To Judiciary 2/13/15 Committee reference dispensed Constitutional rule suspended Passed Senate with amended title 2/20/15 House concurred in Senate title amendment 2/20/15 Passed House 2/20/15
- 2370. By Del. Pasdon, Duke, Rowan, Wagner, Upson, Ambler and Espinosa Increasing the powers of regional councils for

- **governance of regional education service agencies** Introduced 1/26/15 To Education Amended Passed House 2/11/15 To Senate 2/12/15 To Education
- 2387. By Del. Pasdon, Statler, Rowan, Romine, Ambler and Espinosa Relating to a framework for initiating comprehensive transformation of school leadership Introduced 1/27/15 To Education Passed House 2/17/15 To Senate 2/18/15 To Education
- \*2391. By Del. Pasdon, Duke, Statler, Kurcaba, Upson, Rohrbach, Evans, D., Cooper, Romine, Wagner and Rowan Reducing early childhood education program requirements from five days per week to four days per week and imposing minimum instructional hours per week and minimum instructional days per year Introduced 1/27/15 To Education Passed House 2/18/15 To Senate 2/19/15 To Education
- \*2432. By Del. Ellington, Householder, Arvon, Howell and Stansbury Relating to the licensure requirements to practice pharmacist care Introduced 1/27/15 To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization To House Government Organization 2/12/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Government Organization
  - 2444. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead), Del. Miller, Waxman, Azinger, Upson, Kessinger, Summers, Hanshaw, Kurcaba, Hill and Nelson, E. Providing for the assignment of economic development office representatives to serve as Small Business Allies as facilitators to assist small business entities and individuals Introduced 1/28/15 To Small Business, Entrepreneurship and Economic Development Amended Passed House 2/11/15 Title amended To Senate 2/12/15 To Economic Development
- 2461. By Del. Walters, McCuskey, Frich, Azinger, Westfall, Moore, Skinner, Perry, Perdue, Bates and Nelson, E. Relating to delinquency proceedings of insurers (original same as S. B. No. 313) Introduced 1/28/15 To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary To House Judiciary 2/6/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 2492. By Del. Householder, Azinger, Espinosa, Upson, Ellington, Gearheart, Campbell, Ihle, Blair, Hamrick and Waxman Repealing the requirement that an entity charging admission to view certain closed circuit telecast or subscription television events needs to obtain a permit from the State Athletic Commission Introduced 1/28/15 -

- To Government Organization Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- \*2505. By Del. Canterbury, Pethtel, Folk, Walters, Hamilton, Marcum, Kurcaba and Hicks Relating to retirement system participation and concurrent employment provisions (original similar to S. B. No. 305) Introduced 1/29/15 To Pensions and Retirement then Finance To House Finance 2/6/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Pensions
- \*2507. By Del. Canterbury, Pethtel, Folk, Kurcaba, Walters, Hamilton, Marcum and Hicks Relating to membership provisions in the West Virginia Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System (original same as S. B. No. 301) Introduced 1/29/15 To Pensions and Retirement then Finance To House Finance 2/6/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Pensions
- 2523. By Del. Ashley, Westfall, Phillips, R., McCuskey and Nelson, E. Creating a special revenue account to offset costs for the West Virginia State Police 100th Anniversary in 2019 (original similar to S. B. No. 381) Introduced 1/30/15 To Finance Passed House 2/18/15 To Senate 2/19/15 To Finance
- \*2527. By Del. Pasdon, Marcum, Kessinger, Phillips, R., Upson and Phillips, L. Creating a Task Force on Prevention of Sexual Abuse of Children; "Erin Merryn's Law" (original similar to S. B. No. 387) Introduced 2/2/15 To Education then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Passed House 2/18/15 To Senate 2/19/15 To Judiciary
- 2535. By Del. Longstreth, Ferro, Caputo, Rowan, O'Neal, Ashley, Hamrick, Phillips, L., Fleischauer, Skinner and Smith, P. Relating generally to suicide prevention training (original similar to S. B. No. 359) Introduced 2/2/15 To Health and Human Resources then Education 2nd reference dispensed Amended Passed House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Education
- 2545. By Del. Pasdon, Duke, Perry and Moye Relating to reimbursement of certification fee for National Board for Professional Teaching Standards certification Introduced 2/2/15 To Education then Finance To House Finance 2/12/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Education
- \*2562. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Relating to sales tax increment financing

- Introduced 2/2/15 To Finance Amendments pending Passed House 2/23/15 Effective from passage
- \*2568. By Del. Sobonya, Arvon, Kessinger, Rowan, Summers, Border, Blair, Espinosa, Waxman, Moye and Eldridge The Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act Introduced 2/3/15 To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary To House Judiciary 2/6/15 Motion for previous question rejected Passed House 2/11/15 To Senate 2/12/15 To Judiciary On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- 2576. By Del. Howell, Hartman, Kessinger, Cadle, Arvon, Moffatt, McGeehan, Zatezalo, Faircloth, Smith, R. and Ferro Creating new code sections which separate the executive departments Introduced 2/3/15 To Government Organization Amended Passed House 2/10/15 To Senate 2/11/15 To Government Organization
- \*2586. By Del. Shott, Lane, Miller, Frich, Rowan, Fleischauer, Border, Pasdon and Waxman Allowing for an alternative form of service of process in actions against nonresident persons by petitioners seeking domestic violence or personal safety relief Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- 2598. By Del. Campbell, Perry, Cowles, Ambler, Cooper, Reynolds, Rowan, Moye, Pasdon and Marcum Ensuring that teachers of students with disabilities receive complete information about the school's plan for accommodating the child's disabilities Introduced 2/4/15 To Education Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Education
- 2606. By Del. Sponaugle and Shott Clarifying the potential sentence for disorderly conduct Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/17/15 To Senate 2/18/15 To Judiciary
- 2607. By Del. Sponaugle and Shott Relating to the violation of interfering with emergency services communications and clarifying penalties Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Judiciary
- 2608. By Del. Sponaugle and Shott Cleaning up redundant language in the statute relating to misdemeanor offenses for violation of protective orders Introduced 2/4/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/17/15 To Senate 2/18/15 To Judiciary
- 2625. By Del. Ashley and Ireland Continuing the current hazardous waste management fee Introduced 2/5/15 To Government Organization then Judiciary To House Judiciary

- 2/12/15 Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Government Organization
- 2626. By Del. Ashley, Ireland and Frich **Relating to use of the Abandoned Land Reclamation Fund** Introduced 2/5/15 To Finance Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Finance
- By Del. Westfall, Pasdon, Hamrick, Ambler, Cooper, Upson, Statler, Kurcaba, Duke, Rohrbach and Espinosa Exempting the procurement of certain instructional materials for use in and in support of public schools from the division of purchasing requirements Introduced 2/6/15 To Education then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Passed House 2/20/15 Effective July 1, 2015 To Senate 2/23/15 To Finance
- By Del. Phillips, R., Nelson, J., Butler, Marcum, Eldridge, Ashley, Walters, Hanshaw, Hartman, McCuskey and White, H. Legalizing and regulating the sale and use of fireworks (original similar to S. B. No. 75) Introduced 2/6/15 To Veterans' Affairs and Homeland Security then Finance 2nd reference dispensed Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 2663. By Del. Ashley and Frich Creating the Rehabilitation Services Vending Program Fund Introduced 2/9/15 To Finance Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Finance
- 2669. By Del. Ellington, Householder, Pasdon and Campbell Relating to compulsory tuberculosis testing (original same as S. B. No. 424) Introduced 2/9/15 To Education then Health and Human Resources 2nd reference dispensed Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 Committee reference dispensed On 2nd reading 2/24/15
- \*2702. By Del. Pasdon, Perry, Moye, Hamrick, Campbell, Statler, Rowan and Espinosa Redefining service personnel class titles of early childhood classroom assistant teacher Introduced 2/12/15 To Education Amended Passed House 2/20/15 Effective from passage To Senate 2/23/15 To Education
- 2726. By Del. Shott, Folk, Overington, Sobonya, Azinger, Deem and Waxman Clarifying choice of laws issues in product's liability actions Introduced 2/13/15 To Judiciary Passed House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Judiciary
- 2770. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Making a supplementary appropriation

- from the State Fund, State Excess Lottery Revenue Fund, to the Division of Human Services (original same as S. B. No. 464) Introduced 2/16/15 To Finance Passed House 2/23/15 Effective from passage
- 2776. By Del. Stansbury, Campbell, Rodighiero, Householder, Ashley, Fleischauer, Summers, Longstreth, Kurcaba, Ellington and Eldridge (Originating in House Health and Human Resources) Relating to prescribing hydrocodone combination drugs for a duration of no more than three days Introduced 2/13/15 Passed House 2/18/15 To Senate 2/19/15 To Health and Human Resources
- 2777. By Del. Faircloth, Ihle, Hill, Kessinger, Stansbury, Hamrick, Hartman, Ferro, McGeehan, Zatezalo and Blair (Originating in House Government Organization) Relating to licensing of barbers, cosmetologists, and hairstylists, and revising the membership requirements of the Board of Barbers and Cosmetologists Introduced 2/13/15 Amended Passed House 2/18/15 Title amended To Senate 2/19/15 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
- \*4. By Del. Phillips, R., Eldridge, Marcum and Moffatt The US

  Army PFC Clarence Allen Mooney Memorial Bridge Introduced 1/22/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules
   To House Rules 2/3/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To
  Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*6. By Del. Smith, R. and Williams The Army Air Force SGT Everett Wayne "Bud" Sell Memorial Bridge Introduced 1/22/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/3/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*9. By Del. Phillips, L., Arvon, Phillips, R., Rodighiero, White, H. and White, B. The U. S. Air Force Lt. Col. John Richard "Toots" Wilcox Memorial Bridge Introduced 1/22/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House

- Rules 2/3/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*19. By Del. Phillips, R., Marcum, Eldridge and Moffatt The U. S. Army SGT Bobby Ray Adkins Memorial Highway Introduced 1/22/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/3/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*20. By Del. Phillips, L., Arvon, Phillips, R., Rodighiero, White, H. and White, B. The Virginia & U. S. Army Major Woodrow Cook Memorial Road Introduced 1/22/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/17/15 Adopted by House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*21. By Del. Statler, Kurcaba, Fleischauer, Frich, Border, Pasdon, Evans, D., Summers, Pethtel, Blair, Hamrick and Pushkin The PFC James Elwood Wickline Memorial Bridge Introduced 1/23/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/3/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*27. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead), Del. Walters, Evans, D. and Nelson, J. The West Virginia Air National Guard 167th Fighter Squadron Memorial Bridge Introduced 1/27/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/3/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*28. By Del. Hamilton The USMC Cpl Marple W. Landes and US Army PV2 Margel S. Landes Memorial Bridge. Introduced 1/28/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/10/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 30. By Del. Marcum, Eldridge, Bates, Blair, Boggs, Border, Caputo, Faircloth, Ferro, Hamilton, Hartman, Hicks, Hill, Hornbuckle, Ihle, Kessinger, Longstreth, Lynch, Miley, Moore, Morgan, Moye, Perry, Pethtel, Phillips, R., Reynolds, Rodighiero, Smith, P., Smith, R., Sponaugle, Stansbury, Westfall and White, H. **The Baisden Family Memorial Bridge.** Introduced 1/28/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/11/15 Adopted by House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*32. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) **The Lipscomb Brothers Veterans Bridge** Introduced 2/2/15 To Roads and
  Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/10/15 -

- Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*35. By Del. Ihle, Westfall, Cadle, Hanshaw, Ashley, Sponaugle, Smith, P., Hartman, Evans, A., Campbell and Boggs The Historic Blue-Gray Highway. Introduced 2/2/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/10/15 Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/23/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- \*36. By Del. Rodighiero, Eldridge, Moffatt and Hicks The US Army SPC David H. Stamper Memorial Bridge. Introduced 2/2/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/17/15 Adopted by House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 37. By Del. Ambler and Canterbury The U. S. Army PV2
  Eskridge A. Waggoner Memorial Bridge Introduced
  2/3/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House
  Rules 2/17/15 Adopted by House 2/19/15 To Senate
  2/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- 38. By Del. Evans, A., Sponaugle, Hartman and Romine The Captain John Bond and the West Virginia State Troops Memorial Bridge Introduced 2/4/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/17/15 Adopted by House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Del. Nelson, J., Moffatt, McGeehan, Storch, Westfall, Espinosa, Folk, Butler, Ihle, Stansbury and Gearheart The U.
   S. Army SSG James C. Vickers and U. S. Marine Corps PFC Randall Carl Phelps Memorial Bridge. Introduced 2/6/15 To Roads and Transportation then Rules To House Rules 2/17/15 Adopted by House 2/19/15 To Senate 2/20/15 To Transportation and Infrastructure
- By Del. McCuskey and Shott Extending the Committee of Conference relating to consideration of Com. Sub. for H.
   B. 2002 Introduced 2/18/15 Reference dispensed Adopted by House 2/18/15 To Senate 2/19/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted by Senate 2/19/15
- 82. By Del. Weld Extending the Committee of Conference relating to consideration of Com. Sub. for H. B. 2025 Introduced 2/20/15 Reference dispensed Adopted by House 2/20/15 To Senate 2/20/15 Committee reference dispensed Adopted by Senate 2/20/15
- 83. By Del. Walters, Canterbury, Pethtel, Hamilton, Kurcaba, Folk and Marcum (Originating in House Pensions and

Retirement) - Requesting the Joint Committee on Government and Finance to study the needs, challenges, and issues facing municipalities in this state as to the funding of their police and firefighter pension plans - Introduced 2/20/15 - Adopted by House 2/23/15

### 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 To Governor 2/4/15 Approved by Governor 2/9/15
- \*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) Passed 2/12/2015; Effective July 1, 2015 To Governor 2/19/15
- \*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) Passed 2/18/2015; Effective from passage
- \*237. By Sen. D. Hall, Romano, Snyder, Facemire and Williams Creating Captive Cervid Farming Act (original similar to H. B. No. 2033) Passed 2/13/2015; Effective from passage To Governor 2/19/15
- \*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) Passed 2/20/2015
- 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) Passed 2/18/2015
- \*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 Approved by Governor 2/4/15

- 298. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2504) Passed 2/20/2015
- 299. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments (original same as H. B. No. 2506) Passed 2/23/2015
- 302. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump **Relating to state retirement** plans (original same as H. B. No. 2560) Passed 2/20/2015
- \*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) Passed 2/12/2015 To Governor 2/19/15
- \*378. By Sen. Snyder, Blair, Miller, Kessler, Kirkendoll and Gaunch Relicensing electricians without retesting under certain circumstances Passed 2/20/2015; Effective from passage
- 389. By Sen. Blair, Yost, Maynard, Facemire, Leonhardt, Williams, Walters, Boso, Palumbo, Mullins, Gaunch, Miller, Ferns and Snyder (Originating in Senate Government Organization) Relating to Board of Registration for Professional Engineers license renewals and reinstatements Passed 2/19/2015; Effective from passage

# 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

## HOUSE BILLS PASSED LEGISLATURE

- \*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) Passed 1/27/2015; Effective from passage To Governor 1/29/15 Approved by Governor 2/3/15
- \*2004. By Del. Nelson, J., Howell, Statler, Walters, Foster, Zatezalo, White, B., Moffatt, Stansbury, Gearheart and Butler -

- Providing a procedure for the development of a state plan under section 111(d) of the Clean Air Act (original same as S. B. No. 4) - Passed 2/19/2015; Effective from passage
- \*2008. By Del. Summers, Evans, D., Hamrick, Ashley, Ireland, Stansbury, Gearheart, Nelson, E., Howell, Blair and Kurcaba Auditing the Division of Highways (original same as S. B. No. 8) Passed 2/20/2015; Effective from passage
- 2114. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Updating the meaning of federal adjusted gross income and certain other terms used in the West Virginia Personal Income Tax Act (original same as S. B. No. 240) Passed 2/17/2015; Effective from passage
- 2115. By Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) and Del. Miley [By Request of the Executive] Updating the meaning of the term "federal taxable income" and certain other terms used in the West Virginia Corporation Net Income Tax Act (original same as S. B. No. 241) Passed 2/17/2015; Effective from passage
- 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 Passed 2/11/2015 To Governor 2/17/15 Approved by Governor 2/18/15
- 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) Passed 2/16/2015; Effective from passage To Governor 2/19/15 Approved by Governor 2/19/15
- 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) Passed 2/16/2015; Effective from passage To Governor 2/18/15
- \*2217. By Del. Overington, Walters, Cowles, Upson, Blair, Espinosa, Deem, Phillips, R., Shott, Smith, R. and Sobonya **Relating to qualifications of the Commissioner of Labor** (original similar to S. B. No. 279) Passed 2/10/2015 To Governor 2/13/15 Approved by Governor 2/18/15
- \*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) Passed 2/11/2015 To Governor 2/17/15 Approved by Governor 2/18/15
- 2274. By Del. Hanshaw, Hamilton, Evans, A. and Azinger-Authorizing the Commissioner of Corrections to enter into mutual aid agreements (original same as S. B. No. 309) Passed 2/20/2015

# HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY LEGISLATURE

- 1. 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 Adopted 1/14/15
- 74. By Del. McCuskey and Shott Extending the Committee of Conference relating to consideration of Com. Sub. for H. B. 2002 - Adopted 2/19/15
- 82. By Del. Weld Extending the Committee of Conference relating to consideration of Com. Sub. for H. B. 2025 Adopted 2/20/15

### HOUSE BILLS IN CONFERENCE

- \*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) To conference 2/12/15. Conference committee extended- Joint Rules 2/19/15. House conferees: Shott, McCuskey, Lynch; Senate conferees: Trump, Carmichael, Palumbo
- \*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 To conference 2/13/15. Conference committee extended- Joint Rules 2/20/15. House conferees: Weld, Lane, Lynch; Senate conferees: Nohe, Gaunch, Williams

# SENATE CALENDAR

Tuesday, February 24, 2015

# 11:00 A.M.

# **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- S. C. R. No. 34 Requesting DOH name bridge in Greenbrier County "Army Air Corps LT William H. Corkerean, Jr., Memorial Bridge".
- S. C. R. No. 35 Requesting DOH name bridge in McDowell County "U. S. Army CPL Zane Joseph Gero and U. S. Marine Cpl John Anthony 'Tony' Gero Memorial Bridge".
- S. C. R. No. 36 Requesting DOH name bridge in McDowell County "Homer Hopkins Bridge".

# THIRD READING

- Eng. S. B. No. 89 Providing Prosecuting Attorneys Institute's council establish Executive Director's salary.
- Eng. S. B. No. 283 Relating to branch banking (original same as H. B. No. 2379).
- Eng. S. B. No. 285 Relating to primary and subordinate mortgage loans (Com. title amend. pending) (original same as H. B. No. 2223).
- Eng. S. B. No. 292 Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission (original same as H. B. No. 2241).

- Eng. S. B. No. 370 Reorganizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction and its subcommittees (Com. title amend. pending) (original same as H. B. No. 2565).
- Eng. S. B. No. 445 Relating to investment of RJCFA excess funds.

## SECOND READING

- S. B. No. 24 Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.
- Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 88 Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act (original similar to H. B. No. 2613).
- Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 109 Relating to local indoor smoking prohibitions.
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 140 Amending State Administrative Procedures Act (original same as H. B. No. 2445). **[PASSAGE]**
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 199 Authorizing miscellaneous agencies and boards promulgate legislative rules. **[PASSAGE]**
- Com. Sub. for Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 273 Relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations (original same as H. B. No. 2385).
- S. B. No. 304 Relating to farmers markets (Com. amend. pending) (original same as H. B. No. 2467).

- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 351 Relating to charitable organization contribution levels requiring independent audit reports (original same as H. B. No. 2716).
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 353 Designating State Police Superintendent administrator and enforcer of motor vehicle inspection program.
- S. B. No. 360 Repealing code sections relating to book indexes and claims reports required by court clerks. [PASSAGE]
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 373 Allowing wireless communication image serve as proof of motor vehicle insurance.
- S. B. No. 399 Relating to hospitals owned or operated by nonprofit corporations or associations or local governmental units.
- S. B. No. 403 Increasing period during which motor vehicle lien is valid (original same as H. B. No. 2621 and H. B. No. 2673).
- S. B. No. 418 Relating to trustee real estate sale under deed of trust (original same as H. B. No. 2655).
- S. B. No. 424 Eliminating compulsory tuberculosis testing for certain school children and school personnel (original same as H. B. No. 2669).
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 456 Relating to letters of merit in medical professional liability actions.
- S. B. No. 463 Making supplementary appropriation to DHHR, DHS, Health Care Provider Tax, Medicaid State Share Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2771). [PASSAGE]

- S. B. No. 466 Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Commerce (original same as H. B. 2691, H. B. No. 2768 and S. B. No. 440). [PASSAGE]
- S. B. No. 467 Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to Department of Agriculture, State Conservation Committee (original same as H. B. No. 2767). **[PASSAGE]**
- S. B. No. 469 Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DEP, Division of Environmental Protection (original same as H. B. No. 2765). **[PASSAGE]**
- S. B. No. 471 Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DHHR, Human Rights Commission, and DHHR, DHS (original same as H. B. No. 2763). [PASSAGE]
- S. B. No. 472 Making supplementary appropriation to DOT, DMV, Motor Vehicle Fees Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2762). [PASSAGE]
- S. B. No. 473 Making supplementary appropriation of federal funds to DMAPS, WV State Police (original same as H. B. No. 2761). [PASSAGE]
- S. B. No. 475 Making supplementary appropriation to DMAPS, Division of Corrections, Parolee Supervision Fees, and WV State Police, Motor Vehicle Inspection Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2759). [PASSAGE]
- S. B. No. 476 Making supplementary appropriation to Department of Administration, Division of Purchasing, Purchasing Improvement Fund (original same as H. B. No. 2758). [PASSAGE]

- S. B. No. 477 Supplementing, amending, decreasing and increasing appropriation from State Road Fund to DOH (original same as H. B. No. 2757 and S. B. No. 441). **[PASSAGE]**
- S. B. No. 484 Relating to procedure for removal of certain county, school district and municipal officers (Com. title amend. pending) (original similar to H. B. No. 2818).
- S. B. No. 489 Imposing statute of limitations on civil actions derived from surveying of real property (Com. title amend. pending).
- S. B. No. 498 Clarifying tax map rules apply to paper and electronic documents (original same as H. B. No. 2838). **[PASSAGE]**
- S. B. No. 507 Relating to monitoring inmates' electronic communications. [PASSAGE]
- S. B. No. 508 Reorganizing Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority (Com. amends. pending) (original same as H. B. No. 2835).
- Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 523 Creating Alcohol and Drug Overdose Prevention and Clemency Act (original same as H. B. No. 2631).
- Eng. H. B. No. 2212 Changing the amount of severance tax revenue annually dedicated to the West Virginia Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund (original same as S. B. No. 264). [PASSAGE]
- Eng. H. B. No. 2213 Reducing the distributions to the West Virginia Infrastructure Fund (Com. amend. pending) (original same as S. B. No. 265). [PASSAGE]

- Eng. Com. Sub. for H. B. No. 2568 The Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act.
- Eng. H. B. No. 2669 Relating to compulsory tuberculosis testing (original same as S. B. No. 424).

# ANNOUNCED SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

# **Regular Session 2015**

# Tuesday, February 24, 2015

9 a.m.	Finance	(Room No. 451M)	
10 a.m.	Transportation & Infrastructure	(Room No. 451M)	
10 a.m.	Labor	(Room No. 208W)	
1 p.m.	Health & Human Resources	(Room No. 451M)	
2 p.m.	Education	(Room No. 451M)	
2 p.m.	Government Organization	(Room No. 208W)	
3 p.m.	Finance	(Room No. 451M)	
Wednesday, February 25, 2015			

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