

## 2022 Legislation

- **HB 9-** establish a funding mechanism for public charter schools; establish a category of public charter schools called "urban academies" that must have an enrollment preference for students who live in close proximity to the school; require public charter schools to establish food programs that provide free and reduced-price meals to students. **Governor's veto overridden, Sent to Sec. of State**
- **HB 31, SB 363-** Crown Act, prevent hair-related discrimination at workplaces and schools. **SB 363- sent to Education, HB 31- reported favorably out of House Judiciary**
- **HB 37-** Maternal Care Act for Implicit Bias- require licensed health facilities to provide each patient with written information regarding the patient's rights and implement an evidence-based implicit bias program for all health providers involved in the perinatal care of patients within those facilities; require the Department for Public Health to track data on maternal death and severe morbidity. **Sent to Committee on Committees**
- **HB 120-** expand eligibility for preschool education programs to children who reside in households with an income at or below 200% of the federal poverty level. **Sent to Committee on Committees**
- **HB 126-** FAFSA requirement for HS completion. **Reported favorably out of House Education, posted for passage on 1-13-22, returned to rules on 3/10/22**
- **HB 131-** allowing governing body of a consolidated local govt. to implement rent control ordinances in a developing area. **Sent to Committee on Committees**
- **HB 250-** Appropriate \$23 million as a bail out loan to Kentucky State University to address their budget shortfall; require Council on Postsecondary Education to create and oversee a management improvement plan for KSU; require CPE to make recommendations for repayment and to provide annual reports on the status of the KSU loan. **Signed by Governor**

- **HB 737**-establish the Kentucky Urban Farming Youth Initiative to promote farming to youth in urban counties in at least one urban University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service office. **Sent to Committee on Committees**
- **SB 10**-establish a temporary work permit requirements for a registered nurse who is a graduate of a foreign nursing school. **Signed by Governor**
- **SB 103**- require racial and ethnic community criminal justice and public safety impact statements for certain legislation and administrative regulations. **Sent to L&O**
- **SB 163**- delete the requirement that an eligible high school student and eligible postsecondary student not be a convicted felon for KEES eligibility purposes. Final version passed flipped the original intent and reduced educational opportunities available for current and former incarcerated individuals. **Vetoed by Gov. in its entirety.**
- **SB 173**- require translation of the MOST (Medical Orders for Scope of Treatment) form into Spanish and any other languages as needed. **Signed by Governor**
- **SB 238**- cosmetology exams available in multiple languages. **Sent to L&O**
- **SB 265**-direct the Governor to replace the Kentucky State University board of regents. **Signed by Governor**
- **SB 275**- hate crimes bill, enhanced term of imprisonment. **Sent to Judiciary**
- **SB 276**- Emily's Law, Medicaid coverage for sickle cell disease. **Signed by Governor**
- **SB 319**- create and appropriate to, Black and minority contractor assistance fund. **Sent to A&R**
- **SB 331**- eligible defendants shall not be detained on money bail. **Sent to Judiciary**
- **SJR 158**- direct the Department of Education to create a task force to examine the equity and inclusivity of racial and demographic representation in education curricula. **Sent to Education**